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DESCRIPTION:

Clark, Hugh

DATE:

03/22/86



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Witnesses:

John I. Quigley
James D. Lander

Counsel, L. May
Filed 22 day of March 1886
Pleads, May 26.

THE PEOPLE
vs. B
Hugh Clark
Sections 498, 506, 528 and 532
Burglary in the Third Degree.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Verdict Guilty of Burglary
Union Ref.
A True Bill. May 24/86.

Robert B. Roberts

May 15, 1886 Foreman
May 18th
May 17th
May 18th

John B. Lander

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Police Court—5th District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:of No. 68 East 128th John J. Quigley Street, aged 22 years,
occupation Seaman, being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 2121, 2nd Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick building
the first floor of.
and which was occupied by deponent as a Liquor Store
and in which there was at the time no human being, by namewere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the
glass of the door leading to said storeon the 28 day of February 1886 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:gold and lawful money of the issue
of the United States, to the amount
and of the value of twenty five
dollarsthe property of Daniel J. Quigley deponent's Father

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

Hugh Clark (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit:

Deponent is informed by
Jayus W. Sawler of No 2121, 2nd Avenue,
that at the hour of about 3 o'clock in
the morning of said 28th day of February
1886, he was awakened by the breaking
of the glass in the above described store
that he got out of his bed and that
he saw said defendant 'come through
said door from said store and run away
John J. Quigley

Sworn to before me this
28th day of February 1886
John J. Quigley
John J. Quigley

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James V Lawler.
aged 38 years, occupation Clerk of No.

2121 2nd Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John Dwyer

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

Sworn to before me, this 28
day of February 1888 James V Lawler

John J. Hermon
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss

Hugh Clark 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

Hugh Clark

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.

2165 2nd Avenue 1 year

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Printer

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

H. Blank

Taken before me this

day of

July

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John J. McManis

Police Justice.

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

Henry H. Clancy

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 28

1886

John J. Gorman

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____

defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated

March 4

1886

John J. Gorman

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

_____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated

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Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by *James French*
Residence *William bridge* Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

#2500 bail for E.
March 2. 9. 1886
at 3 30 PM

Police Court *5* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Dingley
68 E 128 St
Hugh Clark

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence *Burglary*

Dated *July 28* 188*6*

Porter Magistrate

David Cagney Officer.

23 Precinct.

Witnesses *James D. Lawler*

No. *2121* 2nd Avenue Street,

Arthur Delahay

No. *308 E 109* Street,

Dan J. Dingley

No. _____ Street,

\$ *500* to answer _____

Paul

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City & County
of New York 3

James W. Suter being
comes Edward Suter
I know the defendant, I
never saw him before
the burglary
I saw him from the window
of the 2nd floor where I
reside, that was about 3
& 4 o'clock in the morning
it was last Sunday
morning about 3 & half
past 3 in the morning
I know it was after 3
o'clock

I first saw ^{him} at 109 Street
after the glass was broken
he was on the ~~North~~ ^{South} side of
2nd Avenue I saw him
leaving the house when the glass
was broken, I was in bed
the bed is at the window
in the 2nd floor My wife
and child were in the
same room,
I opened the window and

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leaved out and saw the
defendant. I went to bed
at about 7 o'clock that
night, ~~at that time~~ the
time I saw him first I
saw his back, ~~after that~~
by the gas and moon light I
saw the shade of his hair,
I saw his face about 20 minutes
after that.

I did give the officer a
description of the prisoner
and the officer asked me
up to that time of
order. I only saw the
back of his face and his
back.

I never saw the defendant
before and have known
him. I gave the description
to the officer, as follows
a Paquette, light pants
and a dark coat,
I can positively identify the
defendant by his hair
his coat, his pants and by
his hat. His coat was a dark
Olive drab coat.

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I told the officer that the pants
were tattered, and that coat
was dark
he had his coat upon
he had his hat on
when I saw him first I
mistaken for Puller
I told the defendant I know
you, and will show you
again he then ran away
through 2nd Avenue & 108 St
about 20 minutes after he left
the store I saw him in
the custody of the officer -
I will swear positively that
the defendant is the man
whom I saw coming
from the store I am
not mistaken
I reside about 3 years
in the premises,

James Lawlor

Sworn to before me this
2nd day of March 1886

John J. Hornum
Notary Public

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON COMPLAINT OF

District Police Court.

vs.

Examination of Surety.

James French being duly sworn as to his sufficiency as bail for
Hugh Clark in the above entitled proceedings, says in answer to the
following questions, as follows:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James French

Question. Where do you reside?

Answer.

Olinville Westchester Co

Question. What is your business?

Answer.

Bricklayer

Question. Do you own any Real Estate,—if so, where situated, and of what does it consist?

Answer.

Yes Wm Budge } Lot 100 feet deep
Westchester Co } and house

Question. When did you purchase, of whom, and what did you pay?

Answer.

1883 Jm Briggs \$800 Gots \$2200 for house

Question. Are there any mortgages upon the same—and if so, to what amount?

Answer.

Yes; \$1700

Question. When are they due?

Answer.

Next September

Question. Is the property in your own name alone?

Answer.

Yes

Question. Is the Deed or Deeds on record?

Answer.

Yes

Question. Are you surety for anyone else,—and if so, to what amount, and for what?

Answer.

No

Question. Do you owe any money,—and if so, how much?

Answer.

No

Question. Are there any judgments against you?

Answer.

No

Question. Are there any proceedings in foreclosure now pending against you?

Answer.

No

James French

Sworn to before me, this

day of March 1888

John J. Jones District Police Justice.

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The People
vs.
Hugh Clark.

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

May 13, 1886.

Indictment for burglary in the third degree.

John J. Quigley sworn. I live 63 East 128th Street my father occupies the premises 2121 Second Avenue, I was not living there on the 28th of February, my father is in court, I don't know anything about the circumstances of the case.

Daniel J. Quigley sworn. I live 63 East 128th Street and on February 28th I had a liquor store 2121 Second Avenue, I was there the night of the 27th and the morning of the 28th, I had over twenty-five dollars in my money drawer that night, I locked up the store a quarter after twelve, the glass door is on 109th Street, it is partly wood and partly glass, that door was in perfect condition when I locked up and the glass was all solid, I visited the store on the morning of the 28th about four o'clock, I was notified at that time.

Counsel: I will admit in order to save time, that this glass door was broken and that this place was entered and twenty-five dollars taken away, I admit that somebody committed a burglary.

Witness. I know the defendant since he was arrested but I do not remember having seen him before that time.

James D. Lawlor sworn. On the 28th of February I was occupying a room on the premises 2121 Second Avenue in this city, it is on the second floor front, facing on

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109th Street right over the door that was broken of the store 2121 Second Avenue. I went to bed about seven o'clock Saturday evening and was awaked about three o'clock I should say by the crashing of glass, I rasied the window an looked out and I identified the prisoner, he had a pea jacket with smoked pearl buttons, I halloood and said when I heard the glass broke, there is something the matter there, I said that to my wife and I saw him walking away from the door where the window was broken. I put my pants on and by that time he came back, I saw him deliberately go in through the window of the door that he broke and I then halloood and he remained inside for I should say four or five minutes when I saw him come out of the door again and he walked down towards 108th Street on Second Avenue. I gave the alarm and a police officer came around, I gave him a full description of the prisoner he went down and in about five minutes he brought him up and I fully identified him as it was a bright night, the moon was shining brightly and I identified him particularly by the hair which was red and also by the pea jacket and smoked pearl buttons. I had three distinct opportunities of seeing him that night. I am positive beyond all doubt that the man whom I saw three different times and described is the man on trial.

Cross Examined. I live two stories above the ground floor, it is on the northwest corner of 109th St. and Second Avenue, the door is in 109th St., it is a corner house. I heard the glass broke, I raised the window and looked and recognized the defendant by the pearl buttons, the color of his hair, the pea jacket and his attitude; I did not recognize anything peculiar about him that

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attracted my attention at the time, the moon was shining very bright and the lamps were shining, I had a full opportunity of seeing him as plain as I have to-day, the lamp was about twenty feet from the corner so that I could distinguish the buttons on his coat, it was a short time after three o'clock for I heard the clock strike shortly before that, I did not exactly see the moon but I know it was very bright. He was going in the direction of 108th Street to Second Avenue, crossing the street, I saw him after that between that time and the time he was arrested going in through the window of the door that he broke and coming out, I should say it was about five minutes after the breaking of the glass that I saw him in the store, I was looking right down out of the window, I did not see him on the street at all, I never spoke to the man in my life until he was brought to me after his arrest, I could not say where he was arrested, he was brought to the house I was in the window and I recognized him from the window. I testified in the Police Court when the defendant was arrested and I was cross examined there, I testified that I saw him go in the store and also that I saw his features about twenty minutes after that. The first time I saw his full features was when he was brought to me to be identified but I saw his side features the first time I saw him, he wore a derby hat, I saw him altogether I should think two or three minutes in the aggregate. I gave the officer a description of him stating that he had a pea jacket, tight pants and a derby hat, I could not say whether I said anything about the buttons in the Police Court. I could not say exactly how high my window is

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from the street, I should suppose it was about thirty-seven or forty feet; when I heard the crushing of glass I looked out and only saw the defendant's side face at that time, he had a hat on, he ran; when the officer brought him up he had a pea jacket on with pearl buttons.

David Cagney sworn. I am an officer of the 23rd precinct and arrested the defendant on the morning in question one block from 2121 Second Avenue in a liquor store, it may be about ten minutes past three, he had on a derby hat, a pea jacket, smoked pearl buttons and light pants, or at least colored pants, that is the description I got of him. I tried the side door of the liquor store and the front door and they were closed, it was Sunday morning, I heard some persons talking inside, I knocked at the door, who is there was the inquiry, a policeman was the reply; somebody hollered out the place was closed, I told them I wanted to see somebody inside, I was an officer, the front door was opened, I asked the bartender, have you got a young fellow here with light pants, a pea jacket and derby hat? He said no first. I said, allow me to look, he did, I went inside and Clark was sitting on a barrel. I asked him how long he was in here and he told me at eleven o'clock, I told him I wanted to see him about something and brought him up to Kelly's store, the place that was broken. I left him in there and went back to the store where I arrested him and asked when he came in? I was told that he came in at eleven o'clock and spent a dollar and a half and he left the place at half past twelve, he and another young fellow named Buchanan and

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they both left, I was told he returned a short while before I came after him. I brought him up and asked Mr. Lawlor if he was the man? He said, I saw him, I searched him and found nothing in his pockets, his hand was bleeding and I asked him how he got it cut? He said, I am a "supe" at the theater Comique and had a scrape there. The complainant made a charge against him. I am sure that Hammel did not tell me that Clark remained in his place till half past twelve.

Hugh Clark sworn and examined in his own behalf. I live 42nd Street and First Avenue with my mother and am a printer at the Sun office for the last five years. I used to help a young fellow named Gottesman in distributing papers on Saturday nights and Sunday morning, I was arrested on Saturday night having been employed for three or four weeks as a "supe" in the Siberia Company at the theater in 125th Street, I received two dollars that night and spent one. I met Buchanan in Hammel's store that night and had a couple of drinks, I went there first between half past twelve and one o'clock and remained there till one o'clock and went up to the corner and bid Buchanan good-night and came back again to Hammel's place and remained until the policeman arrested me, I was waiting for the young man to come up with the papers to help him. I know nothing of the burglary and had nothing to do with the breaking of the glass. I had on a pea jacket with pearl buttons and a derby hat. There was a little blood on my hand which was occasioned by a scratch I got when I was fooling with two friends at the theater.

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Thomas Hamill sworn. I am a liquor dealer at the corner of 108th Street and Second Avenue, I know the defendant Clark and remember the night he was arrested, he was in my place around one o'clock and he remained until the officer came and arrested him, I attend bar myself, I am positive he was not out of the place, I had the door locked and nobody could get in or out, the defendant used to assist Gottesman in distributing and delivering papers.

Cross Examined. We were sitting down at the stove talking about several things, we were expecting Gottesman every moment, there were two more men there who were asleep, men who lived in the house, I let the officer in when he knocked, the officer is mistaken when he said that I said there was nobody in there, we were talking about the play in the theater and the defendant told me about the scuffle he had up there, Buchanan left around one o'clock.

Sigmund Gottesman sworn. I am a newsdealer at 2135 Second Avenue, I know the defendant and he helped me about five or six Saturday nights to distribute papers I remember the morning he was arrested, I frequently met him at Hamill's place.

Terrence F. Harman sworn. I was working in the Theater Comique, Harlem and was the head of the supes, the defendant was employed there, I remember the morning he was arrested, he was there the night before in the play and I paid him two dollars. There was a little trouble while we were getting paid and we got fencing between the fourth and fifth acts and my sword slipped down

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on the side of his hand and there was a little scratch, I did not see any blood. He said, Harman, every time I fool with you you always draw blood. I did not look at his hand.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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Testimony in the
case of
Hugh Clark
filed March
1886.

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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

Amos Planda

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

Amos Planda

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

The said *Amos Planda*,

late of the *South* — Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *February*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *store* — of one

Daniel J. Smiley

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Daniel J. Smiley

in the said *store* then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the 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

Amazo Plada —
of the CRIME OF *Exit* LARCENY,— committed as follows :

The said *Amazo Plada*,

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

*the sum of Twenty nine dollars in
money, lawful money of the
United States and of the value of
Twenty nine dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Daniel J. Danahy —
in the *store* of the said

Daniel J. Danahy —

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

Randolph B. Martin
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Coleman, Thomas

DATE:

03/31/86



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Witnesses:

Michael Appel

Upon the affidavits of the defendants
herein verified the day of May
& filed this day, the facts of
which affidavits have been
concluded by the affiant,
I recommend dismissal of
indictment.

My May 9.

Wm. D. Martin
David D. Martin

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May 9
1886

Counsel,

Filed
day of May 1886

Pleads
Wm. D. Martin

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Thomas Coleman

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Filed May 9/86.

Indictment dismissed

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. B. Folsom

Wm. D. Martin
David D. Martin

Dismissed

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Police Court—14 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

The 1st p Michael Oppelt
of No. Pennet Street, aged 21 years,
occupation Policeman being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 21 day of March 1887 (at the City of New York,
in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Thomas Coleman
law here who dealt deponent two
violent blows with his clenched
fist on deponent's face while
deponent was in the discharge
of his duty as a police officer
without any justification on the part of the said assailant

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

Sworn to before me, this 22

day of March 1887

Andrew Smith

Michael Oppelt

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss

4 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer *Thomas Coleman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *W*

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

Answer. *406 E 17 St. 15 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer *Matress maker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
Thomas Coleman

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

Thomas Coleman

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Two 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 March 13 1886 Andrew White Police Justice.

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

Dated March 1886 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by James Dellow
Residence 1441 E 19 Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Oppel
vs 18th Precinct
Thomas Foreman

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated March 22 1888
Wm White Magistrate
Oppel Officer.
Precinct.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 500 to answer

Bailed

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NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

vs.

THOMAS SOLEMAN,

Defendant.

City and County of New York, ss:

Thomas Solomon, being duly sworn, says, that he is the above named defendant. That at the time of the alleged assault herein deponent was in the yard of premises No. 548 East 17th Street in the City of New York, to wit:- The evening of March 31st 1886 at about 8 o'clock.

That at said place he was then and there assaulted by several persons who were there and was terribly beat and cut by them of which he has a mark yet on his face and was confined to his home for several weeks thereafter by reason of said assault. That at the time of said assault the said Complainant came up to deponent in said yard and grabbed deponent and deponent not knowing him to be a Police Officer he being in Citizens Clothes supposed he was one of the parties who had assaulted him there and in order to defend himself got hold of said officer. That when he was told said Complainant was a Police Officer deponent told said Complainant to arrest the persons who assaulted him and said officer and Complainant tried to find them but was unable to do so and said Complainant then arrested deponent. That said Complainant could have seen and deponent believes he did see how deponent was marked and bruised at the time of said arrest.

Deponent further says that he had no intention to take hold of said Complainant only for the fact

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that he supposed he was one of the persons who assaulted him
that evening and acted in self-defence.

Deponent further says, that he always be-
haved as a good and peaceable citizen and was never arrested
before.

Sworn to before me this)
3^d day of May, 1887.)

Thomas Coleman

Harold T. Tinsley
Notary Public
N. Y. Co.

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N. Y. COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE ON COMPLAINT OF
MICHAEL OPPEL,
agst
THOMAS COLEMAN,

City and County of New York, ss:

Edward A. Reilly being duly sworn
says, that he resides No ~~402~~th 617 Street, in the City of New York
that he knows the above named Thomas Coleman, who also resi-
des in deponents neighborhood and has known him for the last
Ten years, that he knows him to be a person of good character
and has always heard in said neighborhood that he said Cole-
man was a quiet and peaceable man and never knew him to be
arrested before.

Sworn to before me this)
2nd day of May, 1887.)

Albert Goettmann
Notary Public (40)
New York C.^y

Edward A. Reilly

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N. Y. COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF

NEW YORK,

vs.

JOHN P. BEGG,

City and County of New York, ss:

John Begg being duly sworn
says, that he resides at th426 1/2 Street, in the City of New York
that he knows the above named Thomas Coleman, who also resi-
des in deponent's neighborhood and has known him for the last
Seven years, that he knows him to be a person of good character
and has always heard in said neighborhood that he said Cole-
man was a quiet and peaceable man and never knew him to be
arrested before.

Sworn to before me this

2nd day of May, 1887.

Albert G. Wetmann
Notary Public (40)
New York Co.

John P. Begg

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N. Y. COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE ON COMPLAINT OF

MICHAEL OPPEL,

agst

THOMAS COLEMAN,

City and County of New York, ss:

James Dillon being duly sworn
says, that he resides No *446 1/2*th Street, in the City of New York
that he knows the above named Thomas Coleman, who also resi-
des in deponents neighborhood and has known him for the last
Twelve years, that he knows him to be a person of good character
and has always heard in said neighborhood that he said Cole-
man was a quiet and peaceable man and never knew him to be
arrested before.

Sworn to before me this

2nd day of May, 1887.

James Dillon

Albert Goettmann
Notary Public (40)
New York Co.

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N.Y. General Sessions Court.

The People vs

Plaintiff
against

Thomas Coleman

Defendant

Original

Officiate

LEOPOLD TURK,

Attorney for Defendant

25 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK CITY.

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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 Rodeman

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

Thomas Rodeman

of the CRIME of using personal violence upon a member of the police force, when in the discharge of his duty, without justifiable or excusable cause, committed as follows:

The said Thomas Rodeman,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

with force and arms, in and upon one Michael O'Connell, being then and there a member of the police force of the City of New York, to wit: a policeman thereof, and being then and there in the discharge of his duty as such, unlawfully did make an assault, and did then and there and whilst the said Michael O'Connell was so in the discharge of his duty as such member of the police force, unlawfully and intentionally without justifiable or excusable cause, use personal violence upon the said Michael O'Connell, and then the said Michael O'Connell did then and

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there unlawfully bear, wound and
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.

Randolph M. Martin
District Attorney

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BOX:

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DESCRIPTION:

Colligan, William J.

DATE:

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Counsel,
Filed 29 March 1886
Pleas, *Proquity*

[Section 406] *Proquity*
Burglary in the 1st Degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

William J. Colligan

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

For and 3/4 District Attorney.

Ind + acquitted, a the grand
juror he was indicted the
day of the commission of the
A True Bill.

Witness

Chas. B. Folsom

Foreman

William J. Colligan
Barnes, Folsom

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Police Court—3 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 17 Catharine Morris Stidloosky Street, aged 37 years,
occupation dry goods being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 17 Catharine Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Rich Jewelling
on the second floor
and which was occupied by deponent as a Jewellery
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Barrett Pollock
Sarah Stidloosky were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaching
the window leading into the
deponent's apartmenton the 13 day of March 1886 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:of gold watch and chain of the
value of one hundred dollars
and a quantity of wearing apparel
of the value of fifty dollars
a quantity of silverware of
the value of two hundred dollars — 7200
and some jewelry of the
value of three hundred dollars — 7300
in all of the value of six hundred
fifty dollars — 7650the property of deponentand 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 byWilliam J. Colligan(now here),
for the reasons following, to wit: that at the hour of 3.0
clock A.M. on said day the deponent
was awakened by a noise and after
rising from his bed he saw the
deponent in the act of breaking
into and entering the window
into said premises, on entering
the deponent seized hold of the said
Barrett Pollock and attempted to subdue him

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Then the defendant and the other
inmates of the prison seized
hold of the defendant and
held on to him and sent for the
Police and caused the defendant's
arrest.

Morris Shidloky
Sworn to before me
this 24 day of August 1888
J. D. [Signature]
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 64 years, occupation Reverend Father of No.

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

Sworn to before me, this 24

day of March 1886

B. Pollard

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

34 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, { ss

William J. Colligan 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.

William J. Colligan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

19 Catherine street 9 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

William J. Colligan

Taken before me this

24

day of *March* 188*6*

W. J. Colligan
District Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court 3437 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Conrad H. H. H. H.
17 Catharine St
William H. H. H.

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated March 24 1886

James H. H. H. Magistrate.
James H. H. H. Officer.

James H. H. H. Precinct.

Witnesses James H. H. H.

No. 17 Catharine Street.

James H. H. H.

No. 17 Catharine Street.

James H. H. H.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 500 to answer H. S.

James H. H. H.

James H. H. H.

James H. H. H.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 March 24 1886 Police Justice.

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

Dated March 24 1886 Police Justice.

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

Dated March 24 1886 Police Justice.

0446

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William J. Roddigan

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

- William J. Roddigan -

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

The said

William J. Roddigan,

late of the *Seventh* - Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty third* day of *March* - , in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six* , with force and arms, about the hour of *Three* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Morris Skidmore.

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

the said Morris Skidmore and one Samuel Pollak.

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

Morris Skidmore.

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

And the said William J. Roddigan, while engaged as aforesaid in the night time in effecting such entrance into the said dwelling house, in and upon the said Samuel Pollak as aforesaid then and there being within the said dwelling house, feloniously did make an assault, and him the said Samuel Pollak did then and there feloniously strike, beat and ill-treat; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity,

Randolph B. Martin,
District Attorney,

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, George

DATE:

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Witnesses: *Patience Connolly*

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Counsel, _____
Filed *20th* day of *March* 188*6*
Pleads _____

THE PEOPLE
vs. *R*
George Collins
George Collins
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. Folsom
March 20th 1886 Foreman.
Leah G. Gully
State Representative Colman.

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Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 540 East 14th Patrick Connolly
occupation Delivery clerk N.Y. Central & Hudson River Railroad Co. Street, aged 46 years,
deposes and says, that on the 20th day of March 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One case containing two dozen pairs
Ladies Shoes of the value of thirty six
Dollars

Subscribed before me, this
day of March 1886
at New York.

John J. McQuinn
Police Justice.

the property of Thomas E. Greacen and in the care
and custody of deponent as Delivery clerk for
the New York Central and Hudson River Rail
Road Company as common carriers and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by George Collins (nowhere) from
the fact that deponent missed the aforesaid
property from the platform in the St. Johns
Park Depot and deponent subsequently
found the aforesaid case of shoes on the
front part of a truck driven by deponent
and deponent identified said case of
shoes by the mark on the outside of said
case the name of Thomas E. Greacen no
34 Warren Street New York marked on said
case

Patrick Connolly

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *George Collins*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *St. Louis New Orleans*

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

Answer *23 Lewis St. 3 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Truck Driver*

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

Answer.

I am guilty - George Collins

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*6*

John J. McCauley

Police Justice.

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

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 March 20 188 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court

1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Connolly
N.Y. C. & H.P. & C.
St. John Park
George Wolnes

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Offence

For claim

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

March 20th

1886

Paterson

Magistrate

Chas. Pike

Officer.

5th Precinct.

Witnesses

Maurice Allen

No.

Care of the New York

Street.

Central Railroad Company

No.

Two Kelly

Street.

No.

5th Varick

Street,

No.

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to answer

G.S.

Comms

0453

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Fitzgerald Rollins

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

- Fitzgerald Rollins -

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

The said *Fitzgerald Rollins*,

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

one pair of shoes of the value of
thirty six dollars, and twenty
four pairs of shoes of the value
of one dollar and fifty cents
each pair,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Thomas R. Fitzgerald, -

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.

Bartholomew Martin,

District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, John

DATE:

03/31/86



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Feeney, James

DATE:

03/31/86



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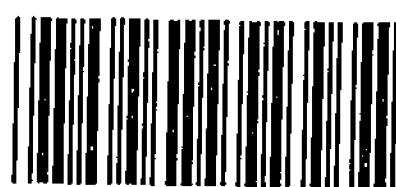
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DESCRIPTION:

Beck, George W.

DATE:

03/31/86



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Witnesses:

Fredrick Proctor
Off Michael Rehor

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Newer ch. 900
except, marking
his father's as
that he may be
out of order

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203 folios.

Counsel,
Filed 27 day of March 1886
Pleadings, which hereby agree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.
John Collins
James Feeney
George W. Beck

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Mr. [Signature]
and [Signature] in district
of [Signature] [Signature] 50 [Signature]
A True Bill.

[Signature]
[Signature]

Foreman

[Signature]
[Signature]
et al. 2. at [Signature]
[Signature]

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Police Court First District.

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

Frederick Boscher

of No. 118 Centre

Street, aged 32 years,

occupation Restaurant keeper

being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises No 118 No Centre

Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a Restaurant and Liquor Saloon
~~which was at the time being by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a
panel of a door leading from the hallway into
said premises

on the 26 day of March 1886 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Three boxes containing cigars of the value of Seven
dollars, Two boxes containing thirty packages of
Chewing tobacco of the value of Two dollars
and ninety cents, and two bottles of Claret wine
of the value of ~~Five dollars~~ ^{one dollar} all of the value of
Ten dollars and ~~ninety~~ ^{thirty} cents

\$10 ⁹⁰/₁₀₀

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

John Collins, James Fenney, and George W. Beck (now here)
and another man whose name is unknown

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent is informed by
Michael Ochoe an officer attached to the
6th Precinct Police that he arrested said
defendants (now here) in Chatham Square
said Collins and Fenney having part of
said property in their possession and
said Beck was in their company at the
time and that previous to him said officer
taking said defendants now in custody

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said unknown person described as aforesaid
left the aforesaid defendants and walked down
Chatham Square in said City

Frederick Boschen
Sworn to before me
this 27th day of Feb 1886
Sam'l O'Reilly Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree

Burglary

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No Street.

0460

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Michael Kehoe
aged 26 years, occupation Police officer of N
the 6th Precinct - Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Fredrick Boshen
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27
day of Nov 1886

Samuel O'Brien
Police Justice.

Michael Kehoe

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

1st District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

George W Beck

Question. How old are you?

Answer

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

118 Centre Street 13 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Machinist

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty
George W. Beck*

Taken before me this

day of

1891

Police Justice.

0462

Sec. 198-208

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss

18th District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Question Where were you born?

Answer

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

Answer

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

I am not guilty
John Collins

Taken before me this

day of

March 1931

at New York City

Police Justice.

0463

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Question Where were you born?

Answer

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

Answer

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

day of

Taken before me this

188

Police Justice.

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

James Feeney ^{and} George W. Beck

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

Dated March 27 188 6 Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated March 27th 188 6 Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated March 29 188 6 Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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Police Court 1st 4/4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Fredrick Baschen
118 Centre St.

1 John Collins

2 James Fenney

3 George W. Beck

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Offence Burglary

BAILED,

No. 3, by Frederick A. Niemister
Residence No 456 Pearl Street.

No. 2, by

Residence _____ Street.

No. 1, by

Residence Edward Maher
130 1/2 W. 4th Street.

No. 4, by

Residence _____ Street.

Dated March 27 1886

Daniel O. Reilly Magistrate

Michael O'Leary Officer.

6th Precinct.

Witnesses O'Leary

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 15.00 to answer by \$

Committed

No Bail

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Rollins, James
Beemer & Fitzgerald W. Bada

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

John Rollins, James Beemer and
Fitzgerald W. Bada -

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

The said John Rollins, James Beemer
and Fitzgerald W. Bada, each -

late of the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the twenty sixth day of March, in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the residence of one

Fredenida Gordon, -

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to
wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Fredenida Gordon, -

in the said residence, 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
John Rollins, James Kearney and
Frederick W. Benda —
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, — committed as follows :

The said *John Rollins, James Kearney*
and Frederick W. Benda, each —
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night* time of the said day, with force and arms,
three boxes of cigars of the value of
two dollars each box, thirty packages
of chewing tobacco of the value of
ten cents each package, and two
bottles of brand wine of the value
of fifty cents each bottle.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Frederick Benda,

in the *saloon* of the said

Frederick Benda,

there situate, then and there being found, *in the saloon,* 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
John Rollins, James Kearney and
Fitzgerald W. Bada —
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *John Rollins, James Kearney*
and Fitzgerald W. Bada, each —
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at
the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

three boxes of cigars of the value
of two dollars each box, including
packages of chewing tobacco of the
value of ten cents each package,
and two bottles of port wine of
the value of fifty cents each bottle;

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Frederick Gordon. —

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

Frederick Gordon. —

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said *John Rollins,*
James Kearney and Fitzgerald W. Bada

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2088

DESCRIPTION:

Connolly, Jeremiah

DATE:

03/29/86



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Witnesses:

Michael C. Coe
Patrick Kennedy

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Counsel,
Filed 29 March 1886
Pleads, *Whitely*

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Pl

Jeremiah Connolly

W. J. Connolly
113 W. 4th

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

23 Apr 86

Filed P.L.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. Roberts

Pres. Dix m.r.

Foreman.

April 28
J. S. J.

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Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York. } ss.

of No. 370 Water Street, aged 28 years,
occupation Waiter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 23rd day of March 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of

person of deponent, in the Day time, the following property viz :

One overcoat of the value of
Three 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 Jeremiah Connolly (now here)

from the fact that deponent was sitting
down on a bench in a lodging house in
premises No. 334 Water Street deponent
is informed by Patrick Kennedy of the
334 Water Street that he saw the said
defendant take steal and carry away
the aforesaid from the person of deponent
and worn by deponent and run away
wherefore deponent charges the said defendant
with feloniously taking stealing and carrying
away the aforesaid coat from possession
and person of deponent

Mich. Coy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
of March 1886
James W. Kelly
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 57 years, occupation Baker of No. 334 Water
Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Michael Cox
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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23 Patrick Kennedy
Mark

Samuel O'Reilly
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

107 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Question Where were you born?

Answer

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

Answer

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

I am not guilty of the charge
he gave me the coal to pawn

Jeremiah Connolly
mark

Taken before this

day of March 1887

Police Justice.

0474

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 Samuel Connolly

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 3 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 March 23 1886 Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0475

Police Court

1823
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

IN THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Coy
340 Water St

Jeremiah Connolly

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Dated

March 23 1887

O'Reilly

Magistrate

Keeler

Officer.

4 Precinct.

Witnesses

Patrick Kennedy

No. 33

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 300 to answer

h.s.

Committed

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

0476

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Jeremiah Ransdell

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

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

The said *Jeremiah Ransdell*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty Ninth day of *March*, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-*five*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one parcel of the value of
three dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Michael Fox*, -
on the person of the said *Michael Fox*, -
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Michael Fox*, -
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.

Charles B. Martin,
District Attorney

0477

BOX:

210

FOLDER:

2088

DESCRIPTION:

Connors, James

DATE:

03/15/86



2088

Witnesses:

Alice Maddy
Robert Maddy
Off Benham

137

Counsel,

Filed

Pleas,

1886

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Connor

Grand Larceny, (From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. Folsom

March 16/86, Foreman.

Charles J. Ledy

Per two years.

March 18/86.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

of No. 211 East 4th Street, 28 years old Housekeeper
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 9th day of March 1888
at the _____ City of New York,

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

A pocket book containing
forty five cents lawful money
the property of deponent

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 James J. Connor now

present, because he followed deponent
up a stairway in premises 213 West
4th Avenue and when on the third flight
thereof, he approached deponent who
then felt a hand in the outside pocket of a
coat then worn by her, that deponent
immediately missed her pocketbook from
her pocket and saw the defendant turn
down the stairway and into the street

Sworn before me this

day of

Power Justice

188

0480

That Deponent Sprouted, Stop Thief
 which brought Robert Manning to the
 place - That Deponent is now informed
 by said Manning that he pursued
 the defendant through the street, and
 into a rear yard where he found
 the pocketbook, and caused the
 defendant to be given into custody.
 That no person other than the defendant
 was on the stairway, or near Deponent
 at the time the pocketbook was so
 taken and carried away as aforesaid

unnie maddy,

Sporn to before me this
 10th day of March 1886
 H. A. Webb Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Robert Manning
aged 27 years, occupation Fireman of No. 213

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188

10th
March & Robert Manning

Wm. W. W. W.

Police Justice.

0482

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me this
day of *March* 188*8*

W. J. Connors
Police Justice.

0483

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 _____

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

Dated March 10th 1886 M. A. Beck Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0484

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mrs. Paddy
Pr 21 Encl. 26/60
Ames of Connors

Offence from person

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

March 10

188

Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Robert Manning
213 1st Avenue

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

to answer

700
Ames

0485

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 Rannard

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

James Rannard —
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said

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

one pocket watch of the value
of twenty cents, and divers
coins of the United States of
a number, kind and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of
forty five cents, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

on the person of the said

Annice Maddy,
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Annice Maddy*,
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.

Charles J. Martinie,
Attorney

0486

BOX:

210

FOLDER:

2088

DESCRIPTION:

Corbin, James

DATE:

03/11/86



2088

0487

Witnesses:

Thomas P. Gray
A. H. Villars

#109

Counsel,

Filed

11 day of March 1886

Pleads

Wm. H. H. H.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

James Corbin

MISDEMEANOR.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Attorney at Law

Plends & 1887

A True Bill.

Chas. B. Fickel

Foreman.

Wm. H. H. H.

0488

Sec. 151.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Police Court 4th District.

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Thomas R. Gray of No. 1337 Washington Street, that on the 8th day of February 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, one James Corbin did

sell to said Thomas R. Gray one half pound of oleomargarine as and for butter and did violate Section 3 of Chapter 458 of the laws of 1883

James Corbin 863 10th av

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 each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 4th 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 25th day of February 1886
Charles J. Smith POLICE JUSTICE.

0489

863 - 10 av

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas R. Gray

vs.

James Corbin

Warrant-General.

Dated 188

..... Magistrate

Foley Officer.

The Defendant James Corbin

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

age 65. Irish Res. 863. 10. av
..... Officer.

Dated February 27 1886

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Henry J. White Police Justice.

Dated

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having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

The within named

Police Justice.

0490

CHAS. M. STILLWELL, A. M.
THOMAS S. GLADDING, A. M.

Off:

Laboratory of

STILLWELL & GLADDING,
Analytical and Consulting Chemists,

Old Series, No. 9406,
New Series, No. 18784.

No. 55 Fulton St., cor. Cliff St.,

P. O. Box 1261.

New York, Feb 15 1886.

Certificate of Analysis

of a sealed sample of "BUTTER".....

marked No. 461. Gorbui 863 10th Ave 2 by 8/86.....

received for account of M. J. J. Hogan.....

drawn by our Agent. B. F. Van Valkenburgh Feb 9/86
for Mr. J. R. Gray.....

This Sample contains

Animal and Butter Fat,.... 86.20
Curd,..... 0.96
Salt, [Ash,]..... 5.01
Water, at 100° C.,..... 7.83

Analysis of the Fat present in the sample.

Soluble Fatty Acids, [on a dry basis]..... 0.13 7
Insoluble do do do .. 95.67. 10
Specific Gravity of the dry Fat, at 100° Fah., .. 0.9054
Titre,..... °C.

This sample is composed mainly of Animal Fat and was not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same. It was not produced from milk or cream alone. It contains coloring matter, whereby it is made to resemble butter—the product of the dairy, and it is in imitation and semblance of butter produced from pure unadulterated milk or cream from the same.

Very Respectfully,

Charles Stillwell

B. F. Van Valkenburgh

NY

State of New York
City of New York
County of New York

On the fifteenth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty six before me personally came Charles Stillwell to me known, and known to me to be the individual described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he executed the same.

W. S. Holbrook

NOTARY PUBLIC,
KINGS COUNTY.
Certificate filed in N. Y. County,

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No. 461
July 15/86

RECEIVED
JUL 15 1886
U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE
WASHINGTON

0493

4th District Police
Court of New York
County of New York

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs.

James D. Dyer

Affiant:

James R. Dyer
357 Madison Ave. N.Y.C.

Witnesses:

Joseph J. Dyer
Residence 357 Madison Ave. N.Y.C.
Charles W. Dyer
Residence 357 Madison Ave. N.Y.C.

Residence

0494

Sec. 108-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

James Corbin 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 he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h. *is* waiver cannot be used
against h. *is* on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and if
held demanded a trial
by my James Corbin*

Taken before me this

day of *July* 189*5*

Charles J. Smith
Police Justice.

0495

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 _____

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

Dated *Feb 27* 188*6* *Andrew J. Smith* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____

dependent
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *February 27* 188*6* *Andrew J. Smith* Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

_____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0496

BAILED,
No. 1, by John J. Larkin
Residence 500 West 52nd Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

252
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas R. Larkin

vs.

James Larkin

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Offence Misdemeanor

Dated

Thomas R. Larkin
James Larkin
Cont

188

Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

\$ 300 to answer

Bail

0497

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 Rodin

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

James Rodin

(Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 3.) of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *James Rodin*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eight* day of *February*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, *one half pound* of a certain oleaginous substance and compound, not made nor produced from milk or cream (a more particular description of which said substance and compound, and of the ingredients and matters of which the same was made and produced, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), unlawfully did sell, and cause and procure to be sold to one *Thomas R. Fegan*, for butter, the product of the dairy; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SECOND COUNT: (Chap. 246, Laws of 1882, § 1.)

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

James Rodin

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *James Rodin*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold, at retail, to one *Thomas R. Fegan*, *one half pound* of a certain substance, not butter, commonly called oleomargarine, and did then and there falsely represent the same to the said *Thomas R. Fegan*,

to be butter; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

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THIRD COUNT: (Section 430, Penal Code.)

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

James Corbin —

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *James Corbin*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold, to one

Thomas R. Figg, as an article of food ~~one half pound~~ of a certain substance in imitation of a certain article of food, to wit: butter, without disclosing such imitation by a suitable and plainly visible mark or brand; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

FOURTH COUNT: (Chap. 238, Laws of 1882, § 3.)

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

James Corbin —

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *James Corbin*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, a certain parcel containing ~~one half pound~~ of a certain article and substance in semblance of butter, not the legitimate product of the dairy, and not made exclusively of milk or cream, but into which divers oils and fats not produced from milk or cream, entered as component parts (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), the same being then and there an article and substance required by law, in case of retail sales in parcels, to be sold from a tub, firkin, box or package, distinctly and durably stamped, branded or marked upon the top and side with the words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, where it could be plainly seen, in Roman letters, burned in or painted thereon with permanent black paint in a straight line, and not less than one-half inch in length, and wherewith the seller was then and there required by law, to deliver to the purchaser, a printed label, bearing the plainly printed words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, in Roman letters not less than one-half inch in length, in a straight line, unlawfully did then and there sell and cause and procure to be sold at retail to one

Thomas R. Figg —

from a certain ~~box~~ which was not then and there stamped, branded or marked as aforesaid, and did then and there unlawfully omit to deliver therewith to the said *Thomas R. Figg* a label of the kind and description aforesaid, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

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FIFTH COUNT : (Chap. 215, Laws 1882, § 2.)

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

James Cardin

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said

James Cardin,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Thomas R. Hay, one half pound

of a certain article and substance in semblance of natural butter, and known as oleomargarine or imitation butter, the same not being the legitimate product of the dairy, and not being made exclusively from milk or cream, or both, with salt or rennet, or both, with or without coloring matter or sage, but into which divers oils, and animal and other fats, not produced from milk or cream, had been introduced (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SIXTH COUNT : (Chap. 458, Laws of 1885, § 2.)

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

James Cardin

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said

James Cardin,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Thomas R. Hay, one half pound

of a certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of, and designed to take the place of natural butter produced from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same the said article, substance and compound, so sold as aforesaid, being rendered and manufactured out of divers animal fats and oils not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same, the said article, substance and compound not being manufactured or in process of manufacture on the ~~thirteenth~~ ^{30th} day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (a more particular description of which said article, substance and compound, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

0500

BOX:

210

FOLDER:

2088

DESCRIPTION:

Costello, Luke

DATE:

03/30/86



2088

Witnesses:

John Jones

First appearance

Bartholomew

70

Counsel,

Handwritten signature

Filed 30 (day of March) 1886

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Enke Costello

Grand Larceny 2nd degree
[Sections 628, 68 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas B. Bidwell

April 7/86.

Foreman.

Glenn J. Jones

James Redd

0501

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Police Court—

4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 526 W 45th Street, aged 50 years,

occupation Locksmith being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 22 day of March 1888

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

of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz :

Our music box of the value of
Thirty 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 Mike Costello (now here),

from the fact that on said
date said Costello was in
deponent's premises and took
said property and said
he would return the same
shortly—that day. That said
Costello then took said property
away and purloined the same
and has not since returned
the same

John Jones

Sworn to before me, this 22 day of March 1888

Police Justice.

0503

Sec. 108—200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

District Police Court.

Luke Costello 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 *him*; that the statement is designed to
enable h *im* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h *im*
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h *is* waiver cannot be used
against h *im* on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer.

Luke Costello

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Police Justice.

0504

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 _____

Ruke Costello

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

Dated

March 26 188*6* *Andrew Smith* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated

188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated

188

Police Justice.

0505

Police Court 14 District. 401

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Jones
526 West 45th
Ruke Costello

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*Office of the
Magistrate*

Dated

March 26 188

Magistrate

Michael Kelly Officer.

22 Precinct.

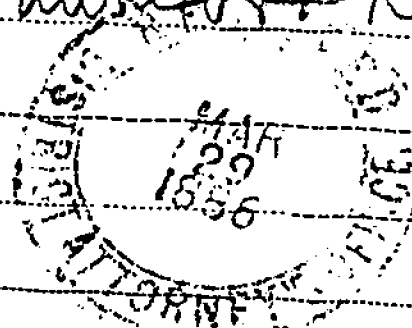
Witnesses

No.

J. Weaver
Ramond R.

Street.

No.



Street,

No.

Street,

\$

500

to answer

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

0506

83172
J. A. WEAVER,
726 10th Avenue.
Between 49th and 50th Streets.
MAR 23 1886
Music
Bot
217
GOOD FOR ONE YEAR ONLY.
Not accountable for loss or damage by fire,
breakage, robbery or moth.
RATES OF INTEREST.
On sums of 100 Dollars or under, 3 per cent.
per month, or any fraction thereof for first six
months, and 2 per cent. per month thereafter.
On sums over 100 Dollars, 2 per cent.
month for first six months, and 1 per cent. per
month thereafter.

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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

Sindae Rostello

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

- Sindae Rostello -

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

The said

Sindae Rostello,

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

one music box of the value

of thirty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Jones.*

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

Randolph B. Martin,
District Attorney.