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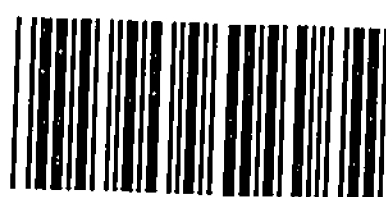
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by a threat then and there made by them
the said Giuseppe Panizza and Cesare
Picone to the said Vincenzo Dragoni, to
do some unlawful injury to the person
of him the said Vincenzo Dragoni, against
the form of the Statute in such case
made and provided, and against the
Peace of the People of the State of New
York, and their dignity.

John McKeon
District Attorney.

Counsel, *Wm. J. [unclear]* Sep 12
Filed *12* day of *Sept* 88
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THE PEOPLE
vs. *B. vs. [unclear]*
Robbery in the first
degree, and extortion
(9224, 4228 and 42, 4552, 4553 and 1)

Giuseppe Panizza
and
Cesare Picone

1 - Court Dec 28/88

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

I'm [unclear] District Attorney
not [unclear] charged
A True Bill [unclear] charged
in the 3rd Court
[unclear] West City
I'm [unclear] Foreman
[unclear]

4 PM 16 Mar 89

Ed

Bail \$1000.
Jan 21/89 [unclear]
Apr - departed with [unclear]
+ 1000 Cash -
first dealer 861 Broadway

Bailed in \$500 by order
of Judge Childers
Jan 10/89
Joseph R. Grogan
861 Broadway

The General Exam
having removed the
judgment of conviction
on the ground that the
prisoner was insufficient
and the District Attorney
having no further evidence
of heretofore conviction that
no time thereunto or discharge
of [unclear] will
be a necessity

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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

Guiseppe Panizza
and
Cesare Picone

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Guiseppe Panizza and Cesare Picone of the CRIME OF Robbery in the first degree committed as follows:

The said Guiseppe Panizza and Cesare Picone

late of the City and County of New York, on the Eight day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-Three with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid,

in and upon one Vincenzo Dragoin in the peace of the People of the said State then and there being, feloniously did make an assault [each of them, the said Guiseppe Panizza and Cesare Picone being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present] and divers promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called United States Treasury notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of

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the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, one watch of the value of thirty six dollars, and two certain books of account of the kind commonly called bank books of the value of one dollar each, of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Vincenzo Dragoin, in the presence of the said Vincenzo Dragoin, against his will, and by means of putting him the said Vincenzo Dragoin in fear of some immediate injury to his person, then and there violently and feloniously did ~~not~~ ^{unlawfully} ~~steal~~ ^{take} and carry away against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Second Count:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said Guiseppe Panizza and Cesare Picone of the Crime of Robbery in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said Guiseppe Panizza and Cesare Picone late of the City and County of New York, afterwards, to wit: on the said eighth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one Vincenzo Dragoin in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an

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assault each of them, the said Giuseppe Paurazzo and Cesare Picone, being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present] and divers promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called United States Treasury notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of, and of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called Bank notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown for the payment of, and of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, one watch of the value of thirty six dollars, and two certain

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of the value of One dollar
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and personal property of
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in the presence of the said
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his will, and by means of
putting him the said Vincenzo
Dragoin in fear of some
future injury to his person,
then and there violently
and feloniously did unlawfully
take, rob, steal, 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.

Third Count.

And the Grand Jury afore-
said, by this indictment further
accuse the said Giuseppe Pan-
vigo and Cesare Pione of the

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Crime of Extortion, committed as follows:

The said Giuseppe Panizza and Cesare Pione, late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, divers promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called United States Treasury notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of One hundred and fifty dollars, divers other promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, one watch of the value of thirty six dollars, and two certain books of account of the kind commonly called Bank books of the value of one dollar each, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Vincenzo Dragoin, from the said Vincenzo Dragoin then and there feloniously did extorsively obtain, with the consent of the said Vincenzo Dragoin, which consent was then and there induced by a wrongful use of fear; to wit:

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Mary Isaacs

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(Case 12358)

August 13th. 1883

Officer Burlando went to 10th Precinct and learned that Mary Isaacs 10 years had been arrested at 4.15 by Officer Buckley at request of Mr. Hughes of Coyle & Co. 265 & 267 Grand St. for the theft of a bonnet. Saw the girl who said that she lives with parents John & Rosie in 41 Lewis St. top floor and that her aunt Rebecca Solomon of 6th house below Lord & Taylor's dry goods on Chrystie St. rear, told her to go and steal a nice bonnet for her and she would give her 50 c. Other children Harry 7 years, Samuel 5 years, Phoebe 6 mos. and Bertha 3 years, are at home. Took girl to Society's Reception Rooms, 6.05 P. M.

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Ref. 420 +

New York 15th May 1858.

Ricordo al signor Don Lorenzo
cervo Fragoni la somma
ma di soldi quattrocento
quaranta (cioè \$440.00) che
mi obbligo pagare. Per
terzo mensile del 29 per
cento come si è pattuito,
tutto alla restituzione
del capitale che si sta
liberando per il termine di
mese tre continue per
la fine Luglio 1858.

Il 15th capitale per
trova per estendere
quanto è dovuto.
In fede di ciò mi sottoscrivo

L. C. de la Pina

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The people of the State of
New York
against
Giuseppe Pennizzo
and Pecore.

Attorney of
Thomas Sergeant

Louis Brown

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City and County }
of New York. } ss.

Thomas Sargentich being duly
sworn deposes and says.

That he is bookkeeper in the
Bleeker Street Savings bank and has known
Wm Vincenz Dragone from 3 to 4 years
past.

In or about the 8th of March 1883
Wm Dragone came to the Bank and
asked deponent to assist him in
drawing all the money that he Dragone
had in the Bank. He asked me to
do so as deponent has such Dragone
flew at dining and other places
Dragone on the day that he came
to draw out his money was very
excited and I noticed the excite-
ment very plainly.

About three weeks after he
Confided to me all what had happened
to him with regard to being threatened
by two Italian or rather Sicilians
and that he had drawn the money
to give it all to them because of
these threats.

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Deponent thereupon consulted with
Detective Sargent McLoughlin at the
Police Headquarters. The latter promised
to introduce deponent to Inspector
Byrnes, and thereupon an appointment
was made to meet the Inspector.
The appointment however was not
kept as deponent advised Drayton
not to stir in the matter but to
leave it until the men should
attempt again to extort money
from him by the same means.

Shown & before me Thomas Sargentich
this 27 day of August 1883.

Chas. Stewart Davison
Notary Public
Rich (cert filed in NY Co)

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

_____ being duly sworn, says that he resides at No. _____ Street, in the City of New York; that he is _____ years of age; that on the _____ day of _____ 18_____, at Number _____ in the City of New York, he served the within _____ on _____ the _____ by leaving a copy thereof with _____

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____ 18 _____ }

N. D. General Sessions.

The People &c.

Plaintiff,
against
Giuseppe Panunzio
Defendant.

(copy)
Notice of Motion.

HOWE & HUMMEL,
Attorneys for *Def.*
87 & 89 CENTRE ST., New York City.

Due and timely service of cop of the within hereby admitted this 19th day of 18_____.
Attorney.

To Randolph B. Martine, Esq.
Dist. Atty &c.

Approved by the Judge
14th January
H. H. [Signature]
Thos. [Signature]
Remond [Signature]

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

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The People & c.,)

against)

For Robbery.

G u i s e p p e P a n i z z a)

x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-x-)

To Hon. Randolph B. Martine,

District Attorney of the City and County of New York.

Sir:-

Please take notice that a motion will be made for the discharge of the abovenamed prisoner, Guiseppe Panizza, who is now confined in the City Prison on a charge of robbery, having been committed to said City Prison on or about the 15th day of September, 1884, before the Honorable Henry A. Gildersleeve, one of the Justices of said Court of General Sessions, at the opening of said Court of General Sessions, on the 13th day of January 1885 on the ground that all the evidence against the defendant has been reviewed by the General Term of the Supreme Court, and it has been decided by said Court that said evidence was insufficient to justify the conviction of the defendant.

Dated the 12th day of January, 1885.

Yours, Respectfully,

H O W E & H U M M E L,

Of counsel for said def't.

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Lincoln Square
204. 23 Ave

The People of the State of

New York

agst

Quincy B. Sawyer

and Cesare Picone

Defendants of S. Sawyer

Wm. & O'Brien

Attys for

5513 Avenue St

N.Y.C.

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We the undersigned do certify that we have known Mr Vincenzo Dragone for several years past. That he is a well known member of the musical profession in this City as a performer on the viola and violincello that we have met him during the past few years on many occasions and gained a knowledge of his character and habits. That from our knowledge of him we can confidently assert that he is a worthy gentleman whose statements we believe to be fully deserving of credit.

Dated New York August 20th 1883.

Rudolph Choussy Casino. Man

Jose Williams Music Reader

Ang. Roebelen 334 E. 14th St

H. Kayser Casino

E. Bernstein Casino

P. Schullenger Casino

Pietro Ferranti 109 E. 19th St

231 Leamton Rd - Mrs Mary A. Byrne.

73 E. 4th St M. Papst Secy M.M.P.U.

236 East 14th St - Maria Benfante

Casino

Eg. Weissenfeld

Casino

Edward Amson

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Fred Lurie

276. 4th Ave

4110 Deis 306 E 52^d St. N.Y.

Giorgio Scott 129 Waverly. Place

E. M. Pargo
127 East 16th St - New York City

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Leonard Vainroul 160 E. 46th St.

Carillo Ciccone 349 E. 15th St.

M. A. Liebenstein 313 E. 58th St.

E. M. S. S. 204 2^d Av.

A. Riccadonna Union Sq. 4th Av.

G. B. S. S. S.

Carl Krosen No 23 Waverley Place N. Y.

E. Catenhusen 14 Marns Place L. I.

Max Maretzek

21 - 5th Avenue

Achille Rossi

108 4th Ave.

F. Operti 176 2^d Av.

H. Ventura 111 E. 115th St.

Frank A. Howson
Musical Director

Madison Squ. Theatre

Max Schwarz 8 East 3rd St.

S. Lilienthal 105 East 4th St.

Professor W. H. Hackett, Observer
Signal Service U. S. Army, at Havana
145 East 17th St. N. York Cuba

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The People of the State of New York,
against,
Giuseppe Danizza, and
Pisone,

City and County of New York ss:

Vincenzo Dragone
being duly sworn says; I am a musician and
perform principally on the viola and violin-
cello and am at present performing on the
violin-cello at the Casino and have been there
playing since its opening in October last.

On the 7th of March a certain Giu-
seppe Danizza came to my room in the
house No. 204, 2nd Ave. at 5.50 P.M. and told
me that his friend a certain Pisone had
received some money from Palermo, and that
he had just paid him a certain amount due
him and that if I went up to see him (Pi-
sone) I could collect \$100 which I had previous-
ly loaned to said Pisone, I told Danizza to
give me the address that I might go the
next day, as I was then preparing my-
self to go to my dinner, and thence to the
Academy of Music where I was to play at
Hamrock Oratorio. Danizza then told me
that he could not give me the address but

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that he knew the house which was only a short way up 2nd Ave. and advise me to go at once and not to delay until the next day as he might not have the money; moreover the Danizza promised that he would speak a good word for me to Oicone and influence him in giving me back my money. I went with Danizza and found Cesare Oicone in a room of the house No. 23rd East 20th St. where he was ~~expecting me~~. I asked Oicone for my \$100. Oicone then asked me if I had his receipt. I told him no, but I would write out one, and at the same time I asked for the \$100. he said the money was all right and again asked me to write the receipt. I said I would do no such thing unless I saw the money before me, Oicone thereupon went to the door, locked it with a key then he went to a bureau took out a dagger from a drawer, and advancing towards me threatened to kill me if I said a word. I confess I was very much frightened, At that moment Danizza, his companion, drew a short stiletto he had in his cane and placed himself on the other side. I was then ordered to sit at the table and to write what they wanted, on threat of being stabbed on both sides of the neck, Then the following conversation took

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place, as far as I can remember it.

"Deponent: What do you want me to write?"

"Picone: We must have \$3,000- we are desperate, and will do anything to obtain it, write what I dictate."

(and taking a paper from his pocket with the left hand, holding always the dagger with his right with the point towards my neck, he continued.)

"What does this paper say- what we want you to write." As both held the daggers still pointed at my neck I was compelled to write under the dictation of Picone who was reading from the paper shown me. The substance of the letter was that I was to engage myself to pay to Picone \$1,000 for his procuring me a young girl about 15 or 16 years old to live with me. I remonstrated that I had not \$1,000; and that if they were to kill me it would be of no profit to them.

"Picone: Well how much have you in

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"four savings banks?"

Deponent: Altogether I may have about \$300.

Picone: Then we shall leave the matter of
"amount to be settled latter"

"Thereupon the Picone told me that
"I would not get out of the room
"for three days." I said that I had
"to go to play at Hamrocks con-
"cert and that as I am reputed
"for my punctuality and regular
"habits and that I would be
"searched all over town by my
"friends and landlady."

Picone: Then write me a check."

Deponent: I have no check and cannot
make one."

Picone: Then give me the keys of your
"rooms and of your trunks and
"bureau and I shall go and then
"four bank books."

Deponent: You cannot obtain anything
at my house for the lady of the
"house will let me see in my-
"rooms without being present
"come with me to my rooms and I
"shall give you my bank book, and
"tomorrow I shall go and take the

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"money, as you cannot obtain the
"money at the bank without I
"being present.

"Picone: Then, I shall be at your house to-
"morrow at 10 o'clock. But what as-
"surance have we that once out of
"this house you will not go to the
"police and denounce us?"

"Danizza then rejoined, remember once
"and for all that we shall watch
"you closely. We were to be here
"this evening but we thought after
"wards 2 of us would be sufficient.
"We are in all ten, and determin-
"ed that no body shall thwart
"our plans. He continued I had
"been told you were worth \$10,000=
"at least."

"Picone, What will you swear by that you
"will not denounce us, coming
"out of this room?"

"Deponent: I will swear it on any mother's
"memory."

"Picone: It is well, that will do, let him go,
"and do not forget that one of us
"has the watch on you, and if ever
"you open your lips to any one of
"what has occurred here this even-

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"money, as you cannot obtain the
"money at the bank without
"being present.

"Picone: Then I shall visit your house to-
"morrow at 11, o'clock. But what as-
"surance have we that one out of
"this house will not go to the
"police and denounce us?"

"Danizza then rejoined, remember once
"and for all that we shall watch
"you closely. We were to be in
"this evening but we thought after-
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"what has occurred here this even-

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"ing you shall be stabbed dead were it even at
"your music stand at the academy
"of Music, or any where else. We are
"regardless of fear and are playing
"all for all."

"Orcone and myself then went to my rooms
"and I gave up my bank books,
"and he told me before he left what
"he would give me back that money
"at the end of July. I then hurried
"by went to the Academy of Music."

"The next morning March 5th
"Orcone came at 10 o'clock and we
"went to the Dickey St. Bank he
"did not want to come in with
"me he gave me the book. I took
"all the money \$122.10, We then
"went to the Drovers Bank where
"he came in and sat down on a
"bench where he was noticed and
"observed by the paying teller who
"knows me for many years."

"I took then \$184.82. In all
"\$308.79 We then came back to
"my rooms and I counted and
"gave him \$300. I had in my
"desk a second hand gold watch

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for which I had paid \$96: on seeing it he said
you must give me that watch.
I have none, he took it, and made
me a receipt of \$100: which is in
the shape of a promissory note
payable end of July, 1883. for
borrowed money and worth
nothing.

Since then I have been in a constant
fear for my life, and have
since known the damning
character of these parties and
of others with whom they asso-
ciate. I have therefore reason to
suspect they are a band or-
ganized for nefarious enter-
prises.

So very few of my friends I have
confided what happened to me.
I was generally advised by them
to be prudent, but fearing that
I would be again attacked at
the end of July, when the note
they gave me was made to be
due, I thought of consulting a
lawyer before that period
came.

At the end of June and beginning of

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July I confided what happened to me with a certain
Mr. Simon whom I knew and who
I thought was connected with a
lawyer Mr. Wm. J. Kane of No. 25
Chamber Street. Mr. Simon
advised me to put the matter
in the hands of the police. I
had several consultations with
him, lasting about 3 weeks, act-
ing upon his advice at the
end of July the matter was
put before Inspector Thomas
Dwyer at 800 Hattery St.
Whereupon Canzja and Quone
were arrested on the 1st of August
and brought before the Justice
Gardner who hastily dismissed
the complaint as he could
not well explain the facts and
there was no interpreter pres-
ent and the justice public-
ly said that I was crazy and
that he could not believe the
facts to be possible in this
City.

I am however well
known in this city for a

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wards of ten years and in support of my
habits and character. I have
procured a certificate from the
leading members of the musi-
cal profession who attest that
my statements are fully
deserving of credit.

Signed before me this } Vincent Dragon
29th day of August 1883 }

Richard Davison
Notary Public
Richd. cert: filed in N. Y. Co.

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

being duly sworn, says that he resides at No. Street, in the City of New York; that he is years of age; that on the day of 18, at Number in the City of New York, he served the within on the by leaving a copy thereof with

Sworn to before me, this day of 18 }

N. D. General Sessions

The People

Plaintiff,

against

Giuseppe Parizza

Defendant.

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Notice of Motion.

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for deft.

87 & 89 CENTRE ST., New York City.

Due and timely service of cop of the within hereby admitted this day of 18

Attorney.

To Randolph B. Martin, Esq.

District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions, of the Peace,
In and for the City and County of New York.

The People
 against
Giuseppe Panizza } For Extortion.

To Hon. Randolph S. Martine
District Attorney of the City and County of New York.

Sir:

Please take notice, that a motion will be made for the discharge of the above named Giuseppe Panizza on Friday the 30th day of January 1885, before the Honorable Henry A. Sildersleeve one of the Justices of said Court of General Sessions, at the opening of Part 2 of said Court of General Sessions, on the ground that more than two terms of said Court of General Sessions have elapsed since the committal of the said Giuseppe Panizza, and that he has not been brought to trial, and on the further ground of the order of the said Court of General Sessions that if said Giuseppe Panizza was not brought to trial during this term the said Panizza's application for discharge would be granted.

Dated this 29th day of January 1885.

Yours, respectfully,

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*Howe & Hummel,
Of counsel for said Panizza.*

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STATE OF NEW YORK, }
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sworn, says that he resides at No.Street, in the City of
New York; that he is.....years of age; that on the.....day of.....
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York, he served the within.....on.....
the.....by leaving a copy thereof with.....
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Sworn to before me, this
day of 18 }
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N. D. General Sessions.

The People

Plaintiff,

against

Giuseppe Panizza

Defendant.

Notice of Motion.

HOWE & HUMMEL,
Attorneys for defendant.
87 & 89 CENTRE ST., New York City.

Due and timely service of copy of the within
Notice of Motion is hereby admitted
this 29th day of January 1885.

Wm. M. Cullen
Attorney.

To.....

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace,
In and for the City and County of New York.

The People }
 against } For Extortion
Giuseppe Panizza }

To Hon: Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney of the City ^{and} County of New
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Dated this 29th day of January 1885.

Yours respectfully

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Howe & Hummel
of Counsel for said Panizza.

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Filed *4* day of *Sept* 1883
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Emma Phillips

Assault in the First Degree,
(Firearms.)
(§ 21 and 21B)

JOHN MCKEON,
Sept 27/83 District Attorney.
Truesdell acquitted
A TRUEBILL.
Murder 1st Degree

Foreman.

and 4 to Sept 27/83
and 4 to Sept 28/83
27/83

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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

Emma Phillips

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Emma Phillips*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Andrew Ryan* then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *Andrew Ryan* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *Emma Phillips* in *her* 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 *to kill* the said *Andrew Ryan* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided. and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

Emma Phillips

of the Crime of assault in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *Emma Phillips*, late of the City and County aforesaid

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Andrew Ryan* then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *Andrew Ryan* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *she* the said

Emma Phillips

in *her* right hand, then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there shoot off and discharge

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

~~JOHN MACDON, District Attorney.~~

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Third COUNT

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

_____ Emma Phillips _____

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

The said Emma Phillips _____

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the twentyth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Andrew Ryan _____

in the peace of the People of the State of New York then and there being, feloniously did willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said Emma Phillips to, at and against him the said Andrew Ryan _____

_____ a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet which she in her right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the head _____

of him the said Andrew Ryan _____

then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge thereby then and there willfully and wrongfully, feloniously inflicting upon the said Andrew Ryan _____ grievous bodily harm, to wit: whereby then and there penetrating and seriously wounding the head of him the said Andrew Ryan _____

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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BAILED.

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Andrew (Edward) Phillips
465 Grand St.
1 Emma Phillips

Offence Felonious Assault & Battery

Dated 21 Aug 188 _____
Magistrate. J. White
Precinct. 5
Officer. J. White

Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
to answer \$ 1000 48
Street, _____

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

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

Dated 21 Aug 3 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1887 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. Emma Phillips

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 25 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. England

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

Answer. 7 1/2 Watt St. about 1 week

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Married woman

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 shot~~
I shot him in self defense

Emma Phillips

Taken before me this
day of

August 1887

Charles Phillips

Police Justice.

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Police Court—1st District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No.

Andrew Ryan. 23 years. Laborer
466 Greenwich Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Monday the 20th day of August

in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Emma Phillips
(now here) who did wilfully and feloniously
point aim and discharge a pistol loaded
with powder and leaden ball at deponent
person said ball striking deponent in
the head causing a serious wound

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

of

21 day
August 1883 } Andrew Ryan

Andrew J. Mills POLICE JUSTICE.

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FOLDER:

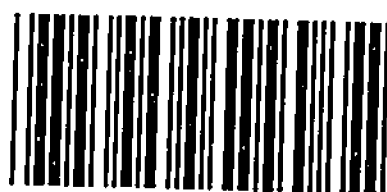
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DESCRIPTION:

Phillips, Walter

DATE:

09/21/83



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Thorpe, William

DATE:

09/21/83



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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No 273

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1883

Pleads

to July 14.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Walter Phillips

and

William Thorpe

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

Wm. Barclay
(Book) Co. 11/13. Foreman.

(Book) (Grand Jury)
State Refomatory Columbia
Oct 8/83.

Grand Larceny, Second degree, and
Receiving Stolen Goods.
[55 528 and 531]

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Walter Phillips
and
William Thorne

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Walter Phillips and William Thorne
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the Second degree, committed as follows:

The said Walter Phillips and William Thorne

18th ~~on the~~ day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty- three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

one horse of the value of
one hundred and fifty
dollars

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

John McKeon
District Attorney

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Testimony in care
W. L. Phillips & W.
Harpe

Filed Sept
1883.

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The People
Walter Phillips
vs
Wm and
Thorp

Court of General Sessions, Part I
Before Judge Gildersleeve.

October 1, 1883. Indictment for

grand larceny in the second degree.
George K Otis sworn. I reside in Brooklyn
and do business in this city. I am a
mail contractor for the United States
government. I have charge of all the mail
matter in New York city except the foreign
mail. I employ a number of men and
use a great many horses and wagons. Walter
Phillips was employed by me as an extra
driver and Thorpe was a driver. I lost a
horse on the 18th of Sept. a bay horse about
15 1/2 hands high and was worth \$150; it
was my property. Of my own personal know-
ledge I don't know where the horse was taken
from. I have received information from
an employee named Hermann. That
horse did not leave the city with my con-
sent and authority. I have not seen that
horse since. Cross examined. I bought
the horse and had seen him a hundred
times. I could not tell you when I saw him
for the last time. I have about 150 horses.
I don't know how long ago it is since
I bought the horse. I looked through the
stable and could not see him there.

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George Hermance sworn. I live at 11 Bayard St and am Superintendent for the mail contractor George K. Otis. I know the prisoners for three or four months as drivers. The horse in question was about 15^u 15¹/₂ hands high, a bay horse. I don't know as he had any marks on him; it was Mr. Otis' horse. About 10 minutes after four Phillips came from the stable to the Post office to change horses. I showed him the wagon and I saw that the horses were exchanged. Phillips got on the horse's back and commenced playing circus up and down the Post office. I told him that was no place to play circus. Phillips started away and Thorpe stood on the curb stone and he followed. That is the last I saw of him. They went towards Centre St; the stable was at 86 Hooster St. He left the post office with instructions to go to the stable. I did not go to the stable till the next morning at 8¹/₂; the horse was not there then; neither of the prisoners had any authority to take that horse. I have not seen the horse since. Cross Examined. Phillips brought down a horse to the Post office and the driver of the wagon exchanged the horse for him; the driver's

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name is Munch. I was on the platform when the horses were exchanged, which was about 20 to 25 feet from his wagon. I was watching that the horses were exchanged right, which is my business. He (Munch) stood by his horses until it was time for him to back in for his mail. I noticed Thorpe about five minutes previous to the horse going away. I had no conversation with Thorpe; he stood on the upper end of the platform near ^{the} Chatham St. entrance. He did not hear what was said to Phillips. When Phillips started to go away with the horse Thorpe followed him. I did not see Thorpe and Phillips speak to or make motions to each other. James Ryan sworn. I am foreman for Mr. Otis at the stables in Wooster St. I remember when the horse in question was taken from the stable about 3 1/2 in the afternoon. The horse was not returned to the stable that afternoon, and the following day I found him over in 71 Garden St. Hoboken at 9 o'clock the next evening. This was the horse that Mr. Otis and Mr. Hermann spoke about. Phillips left the stable at half past three. I saw Phillips in 7th ave. asleep in a wagon at 2 o'clock the next morning.

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Cross Examined. I saw Phillips get the horse from one of the stable men. I did not go down to the Post office with him. I was with detective Moran when I saw both of them asleep in Seventh ave. I asked them where was the horse, and they told me they did not know. William Disch sworn. I live in Hoboken. I know one of the prisoners, Thorpe. I saw him one evening last month at a stable in Hoboken. He had a horse and he wanted me to buy him. The horse was in a stall at Gretter's stable. It was a bay horse about 15 or 16 hands. He said the horse was for sale; he said himself and another young fellow was in the express business and they "burst up" and he wanted to sell the horse. He did not say who the other young fellow was; he wanted forty dollars for it. It was too large a horse for my business and he showed him to Mr. Gretter; he took the horse on trial for that evening and he was to come for his pay the next morning if the horse suited him. He went away that evening. I did not see anybody with him. Thomas Moran sworn. I am a police officer and arrested the prisoners. I found them asleep on a wagon on Seventh ave. upon the morning of the 19th about 2 o'clock.

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They said they knew nothing about
the case

They pleaded guilty.

10 o'clock the next morning.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

No 273 1 734
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George J. Otto
Edward J. S. Thomas
William Charles
Walter Phillips

Offence _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated Sept 19 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Preinct.

Witnesses

No. 1, by _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Street _____

No. 5, by _____
Street _____

No. 6, by _____
Street _____

No. 7, by _____
Street _____

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

William Burke
and Walter Phillips

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

Dated Sept 19 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Thorpe 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. *William Thorpe.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Patterson N.J.*

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

Answer. *86. Horster Street 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the Charge.*
William Thorpe

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*3*

Joseph Henderson
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

Walter Phillips

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. *Walter Phillips*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Philadelphia Penna*

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

Answer. *86 Horster Street 6 Weeks.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Owner*

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.*

Walter Phillips.

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*3*

Charles Spencer Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 47 years, occupation Policeman of No. 8th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George K Otis and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this Sept 19 day of Sept 1888

August Charles
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation George Hermanns
11 Bayard Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 19 day of Sept 1888 } George Hermanns

Alfred Gardner
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 31 years, occupation James Ryan
Foreman Stableman of No. 426 Canal Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George Rotis
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this Sept 19
day of Sept 1888 }

James Ryan
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No: *86 W. 88th Street*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *18th* day of *September* 188*8*

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 with intent to deprive the true*

owner thereof the following property, viz:

*One Bay Horse of the
Value of One hundred and fifty
dollars.*

the property of *deponent*.

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,
stolen, and carried away by *Walter Phillips and William*

Thorppe (both now present) from the fact.

That deponent is informed by George Hermann

Obernarns that he gave the said

horse to the said Phillips to take to

deponent's stable No 86 Wooster Street

and the said Thorppe went away from

the New York Post Office in Company with

the said Phillips who had the horse.

Sworn before me this 18th day of September 1888
Police Justice.

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in his possession, Dependent is further informed by James Ryan that he was in Charge of Dependent's Stable on the said date and that the said Phillips did not return the said horse to Dependent's Stable and that the said Phillips did not return to his work. and that he the said Phillips should have been at the stable at the hour of 4³⁰ P.M. on said date. Dependent is further informed by Officer Moran that he arrested the said Defendants who were sleeping together in a Wagon in Seventh Avenue. Dependent therefore Charges that the said Phillips in Company with the said Thorpe took said property with the intention of converting the same to their own use. and that the said Defendants have converted the said property to their own use.

Sworn to before me.

This 19th day of September 1889 } *Comptroller*

Augustus J. Fox
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

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Date

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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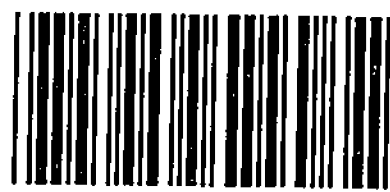
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DESCRIPTION:

Pohlman, George C.

DATE:

09/14/83



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No 159

Counsel, *D. Manning*
Filed *4* day of *Sept* 1883
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
George C. Pohlman
INDICTMENT.
Grand Larceny in the *Second* degree.
(MONEY.)
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JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.
Heads of the Jury
quest submitted.
A True Bill. *W. J. G. G.*

Wm. J. G. G.
Foreman
October 1.

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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

George C. Pohlman

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

George C. Pohlman

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

The said George C. Pohlman

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

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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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City & County of New York ss
Dennis Quinn of the
City of New York, being duly sworn,
says that he is well acquainted with
George C. Pohlman, charged on behalf
of the People of the State of New York, with
the crime of Grand Larceny and who
has pleaded guilty to petit larceny.

Deponent further says that he has
known Bernard Pohlman, the father
of said George, for twenty years
last past, and has known the said
George since he was a boy going
to school, at least for the period
of fifteen years. Deponent further
says that the said George has
always borne during that time a
respectable character and, with the
exception of the offense with which
he now stands charged, deponent has
never heard of the slightest blemish
on his character. And deponent further
says that he knows the said
Bernard Pohlman to be a man of
the most unblemished character, and
to possess a high reputation for
honesty and integrity among all who
know him, and in the community

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where he has lived and done
business for ~~the past~~ twenty years.
and over
sworn to before me
this 8th day of October
1883.

Denis Quinn

J. Henry Shepard
Notary Public
Kemp & Cullen & Co

Walter George
C. Cochran

affidavit of
Denis Quinn
as to Character
of Prisoner.
Taken from Arthur H. H. H.

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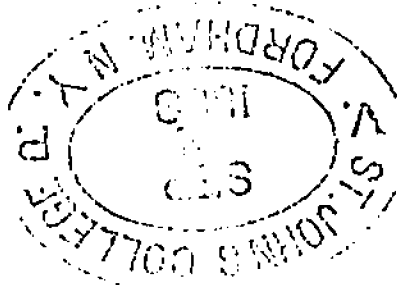
St. John's College,

FORDHAM, NEW YORK.

Sept 22^d 1883

It is a pity that the
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...
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...
...

Yours truly,
...



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No 159 718

Police Court 5th District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Norman Charnick
207 E 86 St
George Pollman
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Offence Grand Larceny

Dated Sept. 10 1883

35 Margaret Magistrate.
City Hall Precinct.

Witnesses Rosa Lynch
No. 118 East 80th Street.

No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
to answer \$ 1000

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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 Pollman

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

Dated Sept 10 1883 P. J. Pollman Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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5th

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Berman / Ehrenreich

of No. 207 East 86th Street, 5th
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 5 day of September 1883
at the City of New York,

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

the following property, viz :

good and lawful money consisting of
divers bills of divers denominations
of the value of Twenty six dollars

the property of deponent and his copartner deponent
is 35 years old and is in the coal
business

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 Polman (now there)

That said defendant was at the time and
place aforesaid a clerk of deponent and his
copartner and being such clerk did then
and there by virtue of such employment
receive for deponent and his copartner and
have in his possession the aforesaid \$26⁰⁰
and having so received and taken it into
his possession for and on account of his
employers did on the day and year

Sworn before me this

day of

Notary Public

1883

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aforesaid in said City and County feloniously and unlawfully appropriate \$26 to his own use with the intent to deprive defendant of said property

Sworn to before me Bernard Ehrenreich
this 10th day of September 1883
R. L. Morgan Police Justice

City and County of New York
Rosa Lynch of No 118 East 80th Street
being duly sworn says that on the 5th
day of September 1883 she saw her
husband pay George Pohlman the
sum described in the within affidavit
of Bernard Ehrenreich (to wit \$26⁰⁰/₁₀₀)

Sworn to before me Rosa Lynch
this 10th day of September 1883
R. L. Morgan Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

ss.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

0652

Sec. 198-200

5

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Pohlman 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 Pohlman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *119 E 85th St one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

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*

G. Pohlman

Taken before me this

18th

day of

Sept

1883

Richard A. M. Police Justice.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

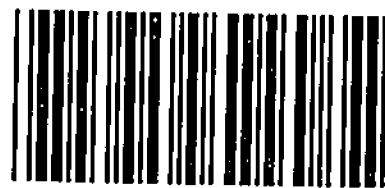
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DESCRIPTION:

Polhemus, Silas

DATE:

09/19/83



1205

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0654

No 204

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed, 19 day of Sept 1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Silas

Polhemus

no verdict

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm Colborn
Foreman.

Recd Feb 19th 1887

Assault in the First Degree. 213

0655

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Silas Polhemus

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Silas Polhemus*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Eight* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas Pyatt* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas Pyatt* with a certain *knife* which the said *Silas Polhemus*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *in* the said *Thomas Pyatt* then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT :

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

Silas Polhemus

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:

The said *Silas Polhemus*, late of the City and County aforesaid afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Thomas Pyatt* then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas Pyatt* with a certain *knife* which the said *Silas Polhemus*

- in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0657

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

1st District Police Court.

Thomas Polhemus 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. The Complainant put his hand in his pistol pocket as if to draw a pistol and knowing him to be a dangerous man I tried to defend myself from him and get away

T Polhemus

Taken before me this

day of

1886

Police Justice.

0658

Police Court District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss.

of No.

198 South 3rd Avenue
40 years old. Laborer

Street,

on

the

day of

in the year 1883

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

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Silas Polhemus now
present who did wilfully
and maliciously cut and
stab deponent upon his
right arm with a
Means of a certain Knife
and sharp dangerous weapon
which the defendant then
held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

of

1883

POLICE JUSTICE.

0659

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1205

DESCRIPTION:

Pollock, Moritz A.

DATE:

09/17/83



1205

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0660

183-218-1883
Filed *17* day *Oct* 1883
Pleads *454*

RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS
THE PEOPLE
vs. *N.A.*
Moritz A.
Pollock

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Wm. H. Morley
Foreman.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0661

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Moritz A. Pollack

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

Moritz A. Pollack

_____ of the crime of RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS,
committed as follows :

The said *Moritz A. Pollack* _____
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on
the 21st day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~ at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
one coat of the value of
two hundred and fifty
dollars _____

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Sherman Binders*
by one Joseph S. Now, and by _____
by a certain ~~person or~~ persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Sherman*
Binders _____
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have, he the said *Moritz*
A. Pollack _____
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.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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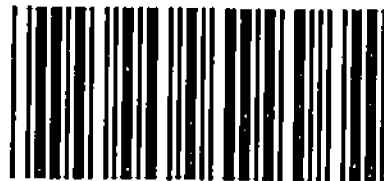
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DESCRIPTION:

Powell, James

DATE:

09/25/83



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No 287

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed, 25 day of Sep 1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

James Powell

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. Albrock

Foreman.

Sep 26/83

Wm. Albrock

S.P. 5 y ear.

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0664

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 Powell

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *James Powell*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Eighteenth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Mary Holland* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Mary Holland* with a certain *club* which the said *James Powell*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held,

using such means and force as might be likely to produce the death of the said Mary Holland with intent, then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

James Powell

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:

The said *James Powell*, late of the City and County aforesaid afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Mary Holland* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *her* the said *Mary Holland* with a certain *club* which the said *James Powell*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a *club* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, cut and wound

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.

0665

~~Third~~ ~~SECOND~~ COUNT

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

James Powell

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

The said James Powell _____

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the Eighteenth
day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-three at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and
upon one Mary Holland _____

in the peace of the People of the State of New York then and there being, feloniously
did willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said James
Powell, her the said Mary Holland
~~with a certain~~
~~which~~ ~~the said in~~ ~~right hand then and there had and held~~, in
and upon the head and arm _____
of her the said Mary Holland _____
then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut _____
bruise and wound, thereby then and there willfully and wrongfully, feloniously inflicting
upon the said Mary Holland _____
grievous bodily harm, to wit: striking her and
there striking and wounding
her head, and breaking her
arm _____

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

Dated 188 *Police Justice.*

0667

Sec. 198—200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Parrell

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

43 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

149th St^h Courtland Ave 5 years

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 struck him in self defence

James ^{his} *Parrell*
mark

Taken before me this

20

1883

Police Justice.

0668

Police Court— 5th District.

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

Mary Holland
of 149th Street between Morris & Courtland Aves
aged 40 years and is a Laundress being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 18th day of September

in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James Powell
(now here) who wilfully and maliciously
struck deponent on the arm
and head with a stick
of wood then and there
held in the hand of said
Powell cutting her head
and breaking her arm

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do ^{grievous} ~~her~~ bodily harm; and without any
justification on the part of the said assailant :

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

Sworn to before me, this 20 day
of Sept- 1883 }

[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

Mary ^{hw} X Holland
mark

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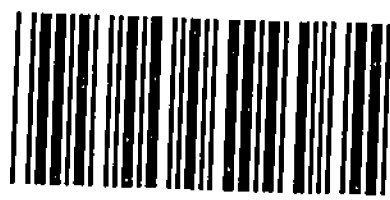
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Quinn, Frank

DATE:

09/05/83



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BOX:

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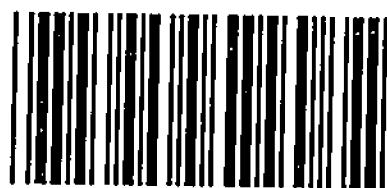
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DESCRIPTION:

Frank, Henry

DATE:

09/05/83



1205

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0671

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No 28

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *Sept* day of *1883*

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Frank Quinn

and

Henry Frank

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. McKeon

Foreman.

Wm. J. McKeon

House of Refuge & Sept 17/83

BURGLARY—Third Degree, ~~and~~
~~Indictment against~~
\$5498,506,528 and 532

0672

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frank Durin
and
Henry Frank

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Frank Durin and Henry Frank
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE,

committed as follows:

The said Frank Durin and Henry Frank
late of the Eighth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the 26th day of August in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty three with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the store of

F. George Schaber
there situate, feloniously and
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a part of a building
in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept
for use, sale and deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter
described, with intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

F. George Schaber
then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and two pairs
of shoes of the value of two
dollars each pair

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said F. George
Schaber

so kept as aforesaid in the said store then and there being found, then and
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York, and their dignity.

John Mc Keon
District Attorney

0673

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

No. 28 688
Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Belcher
100 Macrae St.
Frank Quinn
Henry Frank
Offence Burglary

Dated August 28 1883

Magistrate.
Precinct.

Witnesses
Noted at the Court

1883
AUG 28
RECEIVED
CLERK OF THE COURT

No. _____
Street _____
\$ 200 to answer

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

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

Dated August 28 1883 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1883 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1883 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0674

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

Henry Frank 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 *im*; that the statement is designed to
enable h *im* if h *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. *Henry Frank*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *535 Beekman St (resided there 16 yrs)*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Spring bed 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 was in my Schaeffers
place with the other
boys*
Henry Frank

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0675

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Frank Quinn

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

13 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

100 random St (resided there 1 1/2 yrs)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

School boy -

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 went into Mr Schaeffer
place with Henry Frank
Frank Quinn*

Taken before me this

day of *August* 188*8*

Police Justice.

0676

Police Court— 2 District.

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

Henry Schaeffer
of No. 100 Vandam Street, aged 39 years,
occupation Shoemaker being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No. 100 Vandam Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Frame Building
1 floor
and which was occupied by deponent as a Shoe store
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking open
the shutters which were outside
of the rear window, of said
premises, and then forcing open
the window through which they entered
into the store, passing a cotton rope
on the 26 day of August 1883 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

two pair of shoes value five dollars
one clock value four dollars

together of the value of nine dollars
the property of Complainant

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
Frank Quinn and Henry Frank (now present)

for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that
said Quinn and Frank
acknowledged and confess to
having broken into the
above described premises, and
in their possession was found
some of the property of

H. E. Schaeffer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of August 1883
J. E. Schaeffer