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**DESCRIPTION:**

Smith, George

**DATE:**

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Smith, John F.

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Barnes, Andrew

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Hill, Michael

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Witnesses:

George Erpen

Counsel

Filed

16 day of Nov

1893

Pleads,

guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Smith  
John S. Smith  
Andrew Barnes  
and  
Michael Still

Grand Jurors, with Degree  
From the Person.  
[Sections 528, 530, 531 Penal Code.]

Dec 13/93  
DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

Not Plead  
Mr. 5 10 5 years Dec 14/93  
A TRUE BILL

Dec 14/93  
1, 3 & 4. Trial & Verdict  
H. C. Ward Foreman.

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Police Court—

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District.

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Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No.

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Gus Parker  
South  
barkeeper

Street, aged 51 years.

occupation.

being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 20 day of October 1893 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 night time, the following property, viz:

A silver watch and a gold-plated  
chain together of the value of  
Twelve Dollars\$12<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

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

George Smith, John F. Smith,  
Andrew Barnes, Michael Hill (all working)  
acting in concert, from the fact, that about  
3 A.M. on the aforesaid date whilst deponent  
was intoxicated in Catherine Slip,  
deponent is informed by one Joseph  
Esper of No. 767 First Avenue in this  
city, that he saw two of the above-named  
defendants having hold of deponent  
while the other two defendants were  
placing their hands in the pockets of  
his clothing; that deponent is further  
informed by Officer Murphy of the 7<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
Police, that when he placed defendants under  
arrest, he found a watch and chain in

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice

the possession of the defendant John F. Smith  
which deponent identifies as his missing  
property. Therefore deponent prays that  
defendants may be dealt with according  
to law.

Inom before me this } Gust Parker  
21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1895 }

John P. Moorhead  
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 30 years, occupation George Erpen Butcher of No. 767 First Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Gus Parker and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 21 day  
of October 1893

Jeffery C. C. C.

John M. Doolittle Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 72 years, occupation Police officer of No. 72 Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Gus Parker and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 21 day } Thomas Heaphy  
of October 1893

John Pellorini Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*George Smith* being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is h right to make a statement in relation to the charge against h; that the statement is designed to enable h, 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 waiver cannot be used against h on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *153 Monroe Street - 7 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Cryptographer*

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 X Smith*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 1893*John W. McArthur*

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

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City and County of New York, ss:

*John F. Smith* 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.

Taken before me this

day of October

1893

John F. Smith  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*Andrew Barnes* 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. *Andrew Barnes*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *34 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U. S.*

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

Answer. *19 Columbia place Brooklyn, 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waiter*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty**Andrew Barnes*

Taken before me this

day of

*October* 1893

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

1882  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*Michael Hill* 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. *Michael Hill*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *634 H. Water Street - 9 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Distiller*

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**Michael Hill*

Taken before me this

*21*  
day of *October* 1893*John W. McArthur*

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 Defendant

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, each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, October 21 189 5

John H. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_

Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_

Police Justice.

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*William Mahoney -*  
*John Gleason -*

BAILED,

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

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

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

No. 4, by *Christine Schaffer*  
Residence *70 W 58* Street.

Police Court--- 3 District. 1129

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Gus Parker*  
*197 South*  
*George Smith*  
*John F. Smith*  
*Andrew Barnes*  
*Michael Hill*

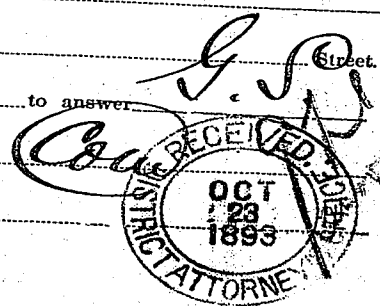
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Dated, *Oct. 21* 189 *3*

*Worke* Magistrate.  
*Heup* Officer.  
*7* Precinct.

Witnesses *Leo Expen*  
No. *767- 1- Anam* Street.  
*Officer Heup*  
No. *7* Precinct. *Blue* Street.  
*John Gleason -*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ *500* to answer



**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 Smith, John F. Smith, Andrew Barnes and Michael Hill.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*George Smith, John F. Smith, Andrew Barnes and Michael Hill*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:  
The said *George Smith, John F. Smith, Andrew Barnes and Michael Hill, all*  
*late* of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth*  
day of *October*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, in the *night*-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms, -

*one watch of the value*  
*of eight dollars, - and one*  
*chain of the value of four*  
*dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one  
on the person of the said

*Gus Parker*  
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Gus Parker*  
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.

## SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*George Smith, John F. Smith*  
*Andrew Barnes and Michael Hill*  
 of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *George Smith, John F. Smith,*  
*Andrew Barnes and Michael Hill, all*  
 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,

*one watch of the value of*  
*eight dollars, and one chain*  
*of the value of four dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

*George Smith,*  
*John F. Smith, Andrew Barnes and Michael Hill*

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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Smith, George

**DATE:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Kyle, William

**DATE:**

11/29/93



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Witnesses:

Isaac Goodman

Counsel,

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Pleads

29 day of

1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Smith  
and  
William Kyle

DE LANCEY NICOLL

District Attorney.

Burglary in the Third Degree.  
Grand Jurors Indictment  
[Section 488, SU Code, § 530]

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.

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Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 185 Greenwich Street, aged 42 years,  
occupation Clothing being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 185 Greenwich Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Store and dwellingand which was occupied by deponent as a Store  
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a  
side light of glass in the door  
coveredon the 18th day of November 1888 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Eight coats Eight vests and two  
separate coats together of the  
value of Eight dollarsthe 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 byGeorge Smith and William Kylefor the reasons following, to wit: that on said date said  
premises were broken as described  
and said property stolen and  
carried away. Deponent was  
says that he was subsequently  
informed by Officer Henry Staker  
of the 2nd Precinct that he arrested  
the defendants as suspicious persons  
and upon their persons found

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two coats and one vest which  
 Applicant has seen and fully  
 identifies as a portion of the  
 property stolen from said  
 broken premises

D. Goodman  
 sworn before me  
 this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 1893

*[Signature]*  
 Justice

Police Court — District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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.

Henry Kahn  
Aged 24 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 2nd Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me this, 25  
day of April 1898 Henry Kahn

James Martin  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*George Smith* 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 Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *MS*

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

Answer. *229 West 47 St.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labour*

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 Smith*

Taken before me this

*James M. McArthur*  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*William Kyle* 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.

*William Kyle*

I declare before me this

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 Defendants

John 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, Jan 15 1893 James Martin Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court---

1262  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Goddard*  
*James Smith*  
*William H. H.*

*James Goddard*  
Offense

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated,

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

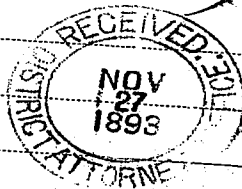
No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$1000 each to answer



*James Goddard*

*James Goddard*  
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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 Smith*  
*aged*  
*William Kyle*

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

*George Smith and William Kyle*

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

The said

*George Smith and William Kyle, both*

late of the 3<sup>d</sup> Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*eighteenth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three* in the *ninth* time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of  
one *Isaac Goodman*

there situate, 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

*Isaac Goodman* 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.



## SECOND COUNT—

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

*George Smith and William Kyle*

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

The said

*George Smith and William Kyle, both*

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 said day, with force and arms,

*eight*<sup>ten</sup> coats of the value of six dollars each, and eight vests of the value of three dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Isaac Goodman*

in the

*store*

of the said

*Isaac Goodman*

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.

*Dehancey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Smith, William

**DATE:**

11/13/93



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Witnesses:

Mary Speed.

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Smith

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.

24th 4 Mrs SP  
Nov 7/91

Burglary in the second degree.  
(Section 99 Penal Code.)

0170

Police Court—2—District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York.of No. 43 Clinton Place Street, aged 44 years,  
occupation Keep House being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 93 Clinton Place Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick  
dwelling basement floor ofand which was occupied by deponent as a living apartment  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by nameSusie Speed  
were BURGLARIOUSLY <sup>attempted to be</sup> entered by means of forcibly lowering the  
upper sash of the window of the  
hall bed room of deponent's apartment  
which leads into the yard of said  
premises.on the 7 day of November 1888 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously <sup>attempted to be</sup> taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:A quantity of wearing  
apparel of the value  
of twenty five dollars.the property of Susie R. Speed and in deponent's care  
and deponent further says, that she has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property <sup>attempted to be</sup> taken, stolen, and carried away byWilliam Smith an unknown man not yet  
arrested  
for the reasons following, to wit: That at about 4:30 o'clock  
P.M. deponent was startled at the  
lowering of the said window when  
she ran into the hallway and  
saw the defendant and unknown  
man come out of the yard of the  
said premises. That she held  
the defendant and the unknown  
man made good his escape.

When for defendant charges the  
 defendant and an unknown man with  
 being together and acting in concert  
 with each other in attempting to  
 burglariously enter the said  
 premises. do affirm and pray  
 that they be held and dealt with  
 as the law directs  
 Done to before me  
 the 8th day of Nov 1893 } May Speed  
 Charles L. By }  
 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.

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Sec. 198-200,

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*William Smith* 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 Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Troy New York*

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

Answer.

*111 Ave*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Labrer*

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*  
*W. Smith*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1889

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 Agustine

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Twenty 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 1893 Paul R. Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court---

1184 District.

THE PEOPLE &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Speed*  
931 Clifton Pl.  
*William Smith*

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Offence *Smuggling*

Dated

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*Nov 8*  
*W. H. Ketch* Magistrate.  
*Ed. Hoog & Hudson* Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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

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

*2500* to answer

*Alm*





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 Smith*

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

*William Smith*

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

The said

*William Smith*

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety *three* in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

*James R. Speed*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there a human being within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*James R. Speed*

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

*the said William Smith being then and there assisted by a confederate actually present, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid, unknown;*

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

*De Lancey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

0176

**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Stafford, Robert

**DATE:**

11/27/93



4925

0177

Witnesses:

Off Lang.

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Robert Stafford

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
[Sections 528, 534, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

Foreman.

In the Matter of the  
I find that the  
Mr. Coats the subject  
of the Larceny was  
the complainant  
had had for a year  
and in my opinion  
the drug must not  
find the depraved  
quality of a great  
degree of crime than  
that of a larceny  
His former record  
seems to have been  
good. *Wm. J. Forman*  
Dec. 4/93 *Wm. J. Forman*

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*Wm. J. Forman*

Dec 4/93

*Wm. J. Forman*

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Dec 12/93

*Wm. J. Forman*

0178

Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

of No.

61

William H. Campbell  
West 58th

Street, aged 22 years,

occupation

Salesman

being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the

20 day of

Nov

1897 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 overcoat of the value of  
fifty dollars \$ 50

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

now living

Robert H. Afford

butler at No 61 West 58th St.

from whence said property was

stolen and deponent left the

said place on said date. Subsequently

this day deponent caught deponent

walking in West Avenue with the

said stolen coat in his possession

and he was wearing the same

Subscribed before me  
this 20th day of Nov 1897  
W. H. Campbell  
Police Justice



Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

District Police Court.

*Robert Stafford* 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.

*It was simply because I wanted to get out of the place that I took the coat*

*Robert Stafford*

Taken before me this  
day of

Police Justice

0 180

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

Robert Stafford

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 Nov 21<sup>st</sup> 1895 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 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 18 Police Justice.



0181

1239

Police Court---2--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm H. Campbell  
61 W. 36th St.  
Robert Stefford

Offence  
Larceny  
1st

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Dated Nov 21 1887

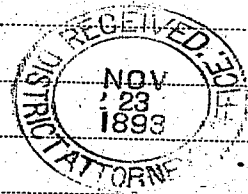
Hagan Magistrate.

Sullivan Officer.

19 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.



No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 500 to answer

Am 922

BAILED,

No. 1, by  
Residence Street.

No. 2, by  
Residence Street.

No. 3, by  
Residence Street.

No. 4, by  
Residence Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace  
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Robert Stafford*

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

*Robert Stafford*

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

The said

*Robert Stafford*

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

*one overcoat of the value  
of fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William H. Mc Campbell*

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.

*De Lancey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Steinheimer, Isaac

**DATE:**

11/10/93



4925

0184

Witnesses:

Lazarus Reich  
Off Rogers

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

Day of

1893

THE PEOPLE

33 Bowery  
83 vs.  
Butcher

Isaac Steinheimer

Grand Larceny,  
(From the Person)  
[Sections 83, 84, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

seven days

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. L. Foreman.

Part 3. November 16/93  
Pleads Attempt G. K. 2<sup>d</sup> deg.

2 fr S.P. B.

Police Court 3 District.

1912

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 197 Rivington Street, aged 35 years.  
occupation butler dealer being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 28 day of October 1899 At the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was <sup>attempted to be</sup> feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in night time, the following property, viz:

A necktie, containing a diamond pin  
of the value of Eighty-Dollars

\$80.00

Sworn to before me, this  
of October 1899 day

the property of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was <sup>attempted to be</sup> feloniously taken, stolen  
from the person and possession of deponent Isaac Steinhilber (now here)  
and carried away by  
from the fact, that whilst deponent was asleep  
on the stoop of No. 197 Rivington Street,  
about 2 A.M. on said date he was awakened  
by the defendant attempting to tear off  
the necktie containing said pin which deponent  
was wearing. Wherefore deponent prays that  
defendant may be dealt with according  
to law. Isaac Steinhilber

Police Justice

0186

Sec. 198—200.

3  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*Isaac Steinheim* being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is h right to make a statement in relation to the charge against h; that the statement is designed to enable h, 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 waiver cannot be used against h on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Isaac Steinheim*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*33 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*83 Bowery**6 mos.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Butcher*

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**Isaac Steinheim*

Taken before me this  
day of *October* 189*3*

*Johann R. H. ...*  
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 Defendant

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, October 28 1893 John R. Sullivan Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

0188

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court---

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1152

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Lazarus Reich*  
*97 Huntington*  
*Isaac Steinhilber*

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*Offense*  
*Attempted fornication*  
*from the person*

Dated, *Oct 28* 189 *3*

*Worhis* Magistrate.

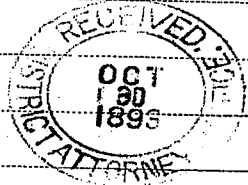
*Rofers* Officer.

*13* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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



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

\$ *1000* to answer *G.S.*

*S*

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**  
**OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.**

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Isaac Steinheimer*

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

*Isaac Steinheimer*  
attempting to commit the crime of  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said

*Isaac Steinheimer*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 28th  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, in the night-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms,

*one necktie of the value  
of one dollar and one pin  
of the value of eighty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Lazarus Reich*  
on the person of the said *Lazarus Reich*  
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Lazarus Reich*  
then and there feloniously *attempted 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.

*Wm. Lawrence Recoll,*  
*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Steinmetz, Nathan

**DATE:**

11/13/93



4925

0191

Witnesses:

Gas, McCabe

Counsel,

Filed,

day of

189

Pleads,

Warren #59

THE PEOPLE

29  
26 Counties ship  
vs.  
seaman

Nathan Steinmetz

Given day  
4

INJURY TO PROPERTY.

[Section 654, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. P. Ward Foreman.

Part 2 - Nov. 17, 1893

Plead Guilty as a misdemeanor

Sentence suspended

P.S. My

0 1922

1932

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

James McCabe  
of No. 325 Bury Street, aged years,  
occupation Bartender being duly sworn, deposes and says  
that on the 4 day of November 1893

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

Nathan Stimmert did willfully  
and maliciously break the  
glass in defendant's show  
windows doing damage  
to the amount of thirty dollars.  
The premises 325 Bury

James McCabe

Sworn to before me this

of

1893

day

John J. Dwyer Police Justice



0193

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

1882

City and County of New York, ss:

*Nathan Stimmt* 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 - I was drunk*

*N. Stimmt*

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 189 *25*

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 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *Repeudant* \_\_\_\_\_  
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, *Nov 5* 189

*John Ryan* Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.  
1881

0195

Police Court---

1172  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James McCabe*  
*325 1/2 Broadway*  
*Matthew Sturme*

*Mal W. ...*  
Clerk

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

Dated, *Nov 5* 189

*Ryan* Magistrate.

*White* Officer.

*14* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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



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

\$ *500* to answer *G. ...*

*G. ...*

0196

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

517

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Nathan Steinmetz*

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

*Nathan Steinmetz*  
of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER,  
committed as follows:

The said

*Nathan Steinmetz*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth*  
day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one pane of plate glass*

of the value of

*thirty dollar*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Henry E. Smeaghen*

then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully

*break*

*and destroy,*

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.

0197

SECOND COUNT.

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

*Nathan Stummety*  
of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER,  
committed as follows:

The said *Nathan Stummety*  
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,  
of the County of *Queens* in the Borough of *Queens* in the City of *New York*

of the value of *one pane of plate glass*  
of the value of *thirty dollars*  
in, and forming part and parcel of the realty of a certain building of one *Henry*  
*E. Mesher* there situate, of the real property of the said,  
*Henry E. Mesher*  
then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully

*break*  
and destroy;  
committed as follows:  
of the County of *Queens* in the Borough of *Queens* in the City of *New York*

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF *Queens* in the Borough of *Queens* in the City of *New York*  
DO hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the indictment as the same appears from the records of the Court of Sessions of the City and County of *Queens* in the Borough of *Queens* in the City of *New York*

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**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Stevens, Frank

**DATE:**

11/06/93



4925



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**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, John

**DATE:**

11/06/93



4925

**Witnesses:**

Witnesses:

Paul Pene

Counsel,

Filed

~~day of~~

189

Pleads.

## THE PEOPLE

54

Engländer

US.

11 Bentley

Frank Stevens

62  
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John Sullivan:  
(2 cases)

(2 cases)

**Degree.**

Penal Code.]

**Grand Larceny.**

[Sections 528, 531]

DE LANCEY NICOLL.

*District Attorney.*

Part 3. November 14/93

Both plead - Petit Larceny

**A TRUE BILL.**

for 172. 174 Ench

*H. C. Foreman*

0201

Police Court

7 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

Paul Pene

of No. 52 West 14<sup>th</sup>

Street, aged 30 years,

occupation Salesman

being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1892 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 Diamond locker valued at  
Thirty five dollars  
\$35<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

the property of

A Frankford & Co in the care  
of deponent as salesman

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Frank Stevens and

John Sullivan (both now here) who were acting in concert in the manner following to wit: said defendants came into said store on said date and asked to be shown some lockers that they desired to purchase. that they failed to purchase any locker and then after they left said store deponent missed said locker. That said defendants again called at said store on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1893 and again pretended to purchase a locker and that they failed to make said purchase and that deponent then caused the arrest of said defendant where he charges with having stolen said property

Paul Pene

Sworn to before me this 10 day

1893  
Police Justice.

0202

Sec. 198-200.

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Frank Stevens 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 a 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 Stevens

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

54 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

W.S.

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

Answer.

11 Bowery 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Engraver

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  
Frank Stevens

Taken before me this

day of

189

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Police Officer.



0203

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court. 1882

City and County of New York, ss:

*John Sullivan* 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 a 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. *John Sullivan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *61 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *40 Oliver Street 8 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bootmaker*

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 + Sullivan*  
*omit*

Taken before me this

*John Sullivan*

189-

Police Justice.

0204

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

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

Dated *Oct 26* 18 *93* *J. A. Hogan* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



0205

**BAILED,**

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court---

1151 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Paul Penn  
52 W. 14<sup>th</sup> St.

1. John Sullivan  
2. Frank Stasch  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Offence

Dated Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1897

Hopm

Magistrate.

Hopm

Officer.

15<sup>th</sup>

Precinct

Witnesses Lizzie Butler

No. 52 W 14<sup>th</sup> Street

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

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

\$ 1000.<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> to answer



Gm

912

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 Stevens*  
and  
*John Sullivan*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Frank Stevens and John Sullivan*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *Second* DEGREE, committed  
as follows:  
The said *Frank Stevens and John Sullivan, both*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *27th*  
day of *September*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*two* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one locket of the value  
of thirty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Adolph Frankfeld*

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.

*De Laurey Nicoll*  
District Attorney

0207

**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Stevenson, Charles

**DATE:**

11/08/93



4925

0208

Witnesses:

Off Nugent  
" Grady

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Stevenson

Grand Larceny, second Degree  
[Sections 598, 603, 607 Penal Code.]

off. Mr. Term '93  
DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part 3. Dec 12 93 B. B. L.

A TRUE BILL. Dec. 12. 1893

Part 3. Dec. 12. 1893

Pleads - Attempt S. L. 2nd deg

Pen 141 Foreman.

Sent for complainant  
and officer

0209

Police Court— District.

1012

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County { ss.  
of New York, }

*Oswald J. Martin*  
 of No. *121 East 39<sup>th</sup>* Street, aged *51* years,  
 occupation *Dry goods salesman* being duly sworn,  
 deposes and says, that on the *11* day of *October* 189*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 *night* time, the following property, viz:

*One gold case watch and  
 chain together of the full  
 value of One Hundred  
 Dollars*

the property of

*Almont*Sworn to before me this  
11th day of  
October 1898

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 *Charles Stevenson (now in)*

*from the fact that while  
 Almont was asleep in a  
 room in the Vanderbilt Hotel  
 in said City, said property was  
 stolen and Almont is now  
 informed by Detective Sergeant  
 of 300 Mulberry street that on  
 October 12<sup>th</sup> he arrested and  
 Stevenson in the act of disposing  
 of a watch on the 6<sup>th</sup> Ave and  
 upon his personal examination  
 which Almont has seen and  
 fully identifies as the one stolen  
 from his room in said Hotel  
 on said date*

*Oswald J. Martin*

*Charles Stevenson*  
 Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

August Nugent  
aged 3 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 300  
Stueben Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Ronald J. Martin  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me this, 15 day of October 1894 by Andrew Nugent

Almucall  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Charles Stevenson* 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.

*Charles Stevenson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*France*

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

Answer.

*52 West 28<sup>th</sup> St*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Car Conductor*

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*  
*Cha. Stevenson*

Taken before me this

1st

1893

at

Police Court

City of New York

Before me

Notary Public

in and for the State of New York

02 12

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 Defendant

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, Oct 15 1893 James Martin Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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1158

Police Court---

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Edward J. Martin*  
*Paula Stevenson*

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *October 15* 189

*Made* Magistrate.

*O. Gray* Officer.

*100* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\$ *1000* to answer *for*

*Adj. 27th*

*Adj. 23rd 2 P.M.*

*1000 - Ex Oct 16th*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

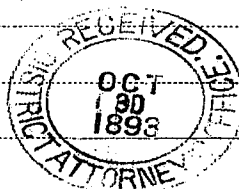
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.



0214

Court of General Sessions of the Peace  
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Charles Stevenson*

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

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

The said

*Charles Stevenson*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eleventh*  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of  
seventy dollars and one chain  
of the value of thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Oswald J. Martin*

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.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

*Charles Stevenson*

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

*Charles Stevenson*

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,

*one watch of the value of  
seventy dollars and one chain  
of the value of thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Oswald J. Martin*

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

*Oswald J. Martin*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have the said

*Charles Stevenson*

then and there well known 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Strauss, Edward

**DATE:**

11/17/93



4925



0217

Witnesses:

Theresa Cohn

Counsel,

Filed

17

day of

Nov

1893

Pleads,

28  
mcs

Guilty to

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Strauss

Doors 3/93

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Henry L. Ledy

A TRUE BILL.

3/16/93  
Dec. 17/93

Foreman.

Grand Larceny, second Degree.  
[Sections 588, 589, Penal Code.]

Subpoenaed officers  
+ compelled for  
5th  
a thorough  
search of the  
on apt result  
as to the of larceny.  
2  
3

0218

Police Court—L District.

1912

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 570 Park Avenue Street, aged 54 years,

occupation Caterer being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 17 day of October 1898 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:

Trunk Table Cloth of the  
value of Thirty dollars.

\$30.00  
100

Sworn to before me  
of  
1898

the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Edward Strauss (common)

from the fact that said defendant was in the employ of deponent and said property was in Ocean Hall 157 East 58 Street. Deponent missed the said property and caused the arrest of the said defendant by Officer Arthur H. Murphy of the 93 Precinct Police. The said defendant admits and confesses that he did take said property and carry away said property.

James O'Brien

Police Justice.

0219

Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

4 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Edward Strauss

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 210 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St - 1 day

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter

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

Answer. I am not Guilty

Taken before me this

day of Nov 1893

Police Justice

0220

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 Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 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 November 4 1897 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice

0221

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court--- District. 1176

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Theresa Cullen  
570 vs. Park Ave.

1. Edward Strauss

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

Offence - Law Case  
Jury

Dated November 4, 1897

Hogan Magistrate.

Donohue & Murphy, Officer.

23 Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

There are several other  
law cases charged against  
this defendant. See the  
office about them.

Tommy Skene  
58-11  
Knoxville Ave.

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

\$ 1.00 to answer.

Cullen

RECEIVED  
NOV 6 1897  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
gk

0222

Court of General Sessions of the Peace  
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Edward Strauss*

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

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

The said *Edward Strauss*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventeenth*  
day of *October*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*twelve table-cloths of the  
value of two dollars and  
fifty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Theresa Cohn*

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.

*De Lancey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*



0223

**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Streiter, Herman

**DATE:**

11/29/93



4925

0224

Witnesses:

Off Lang

Counsel,

Filed 29 day of Nov 1893

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Herman Strater

De Lancey Nicoll,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

Foreman.

Grand Larceny, second Degree.  
[Sections 128, 534 Penn Code.]

sent for  
Subpoena  
+ comp for  
6<sup>th</sup>  
first examination  
property return  
93

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0225

Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No.

occupation.

deposes and says, that on the

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

Two Rings, one gold, one  
Diamond and one sapphire stone  
ring, one pair of trousers  
and watch and chain, and  
four dollars and <sup>27</sup>/<sub>100</sub> in current  
money of the United States.  
The total value of aforesaid  
property \$30.

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

Herbert H. Hester  
you here, for the reason  
that said deponent in  
open Court, by his own  
free will, confessed that  
he took, stole and carried  
away said property.

Her Hansen

Surety to be sworn to by the  
deponent.

Shubert, Police Justice.

0226

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*3rd*  
District Police Court.

*Herman Streiter*  
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. *Herman Streiter*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Chester*

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

Answer. *67 Bowery*

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 guilty*  
*Herman Streiter*

Taken before me this  
day of *July* 189*3*

*John W. McLaughlin*

Police Justice

0227

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

Defendant  
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 Nov 18 1893 John McBoodis Police Justice.

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

Dated 189 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 189 Police Justice.

0228

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

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189  
Magistrate.  
Officer.  
Precinct.

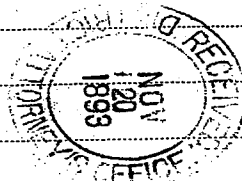
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

to answer





**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**  
**OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.**

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Herman Streiter*

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

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

The said

*Herman Streiter*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirtieth*  
day of *October*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*five rings of the value of six  
dollars each, one pair of trousers  
of the value of five dollars, one  
watch of the value of seven  
dollars, one chain of the value  
of three dollars, and the sum of  
four dollars and twenty-seven  
cents in money, lawful money of  
the United States of America, and of the value  
of four dollars and twenty-seven cents  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Alexander Hansen*

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

*De Lancey McCall,  
District Attorney*

0230

**BOX:**

541

**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, James

**DATE:**

11/21/93



4925

Witnesses:

John G. Steinhof

Counsel,

Filed

21 day of

1893

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Sullivan

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Harvard

Foreman

Dec 21/93  
Theodore B. Bley  
Pen 6 ms.

I am satisfied that  
the acceptance  
of a plea of assault  
in the 3d degree  
now before the  
proper authorities  
The complainant  
was not struck  
by the defendant  
nor injured in  
any way.

Robert J. J. J.  
Dec. 22nd 93

Assault in the First Degree, etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

0232



Providence, R.I. Nov 2 1893

To Whom it May Concern

Mr James Sullivan was in  
our Employ for some time  
as an Upholsterer he is  
a first Class Workman and  
Understands his business in  
Lonest and Industrious.

Flint & Co  
E.A.M.

0233

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations.

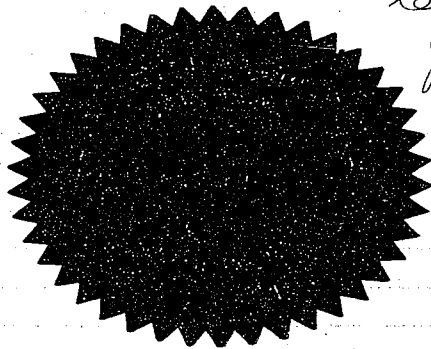
DISTRICT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

PROVIDENCE, SC.

Providence, November 4<sup>th</sup> 1893

I hereby certify that I am the clerk of the District Court of the Sixth Judicial District, that said court has the original jurisdiction in all criminal complaints for offenses committed in the city of Providence in said state; that I am by law the custodian of the records of said court, that I have carefully examined the index of respondents in criminal complaints by said court and that I do not find the name of "James F. Sullivan" upon said index of criminal respondents

William H. Sweetland  
Clerk of the District Court  
of the Sixth Judicial District





TORN PAGE

0234

OFFICE OF  
— CHARLES E. RUFF. —  
UPHOLSTERER,  
355 BROAD STREET, PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Providence, R. I., Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> 1893

Mr. James F. Sullivan has  
been in my employ for the  
past 13 or 14 Months and left  
of his own accord the 26<sup>th</sup> of  
Aug. I have found him  
upright & honest I have left  
him in charge of my business  
while out of town and always  
found everything satisfactory  
on my return I will promise  
him work at any time he  
may return

Yours Respect

Charles E. Ruff



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0235

Rhode Island  
Bleach and Dye Works.  
Providence, R.I.

Nov 3 1893

For whom it may concern,

This is to certify  
that I have known James F. Sullivan  
for the last ten years, and that I  
know him to be a steady well meaning  
young man

James Whitt

0236

Police Court 3 District.

1891

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

of No. 77 Pike Street, aged 27 years,  
 occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn,  
 deposes and says, that on the 20 day of October 1893 at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and ~~BEATEN~~ by

James Sullivan (now here)  
who struck at deponent with a large hand  
chopper which said Sullivan held in  
his hand saying at the same time "I will  
Kill you." "I will split your head open"  
and said assault was committed  
by defendant.

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 20 day }  
 of October 1893, }

John G. Sturhof  
John H. Morris Police Justice.

0237

Sec. 198-200.

1882  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*James Sullivan* 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*  
*J. Sullivan*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 1903

Police Justice.

0238

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 Defendant

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, Oct 21 1893

John R. Woodhull Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

0239

1126

Police Court--- 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John G. Stenhouse  
77 Pike  
James Sullivan

Offenses Assault  
Felony

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

Dated, Oct 21 1893  
Voorhis Magistrate.  
Hogan Officer.  
Precinct.

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

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

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

\$ 300 to answer

Com

G. S.

Assault  
att. to crime



**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 Sullivan*

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

*James Sullivan*

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

The said

*James Sullivan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *John B. Stuerhof* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and *him* the said *John B. Stuerhof* with a certain *chopper*

which the said

*James Sullivan*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and wound,

with intent

*him*

the said

*John B. Stuerhof*

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

*James Sullivan*

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

The said

*James Sullivan*

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 *John B. Stuerhof* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said

with a certain

*chopper*

*John B. Stuerhof*

which the said

*James Sullivan*

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



## THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said

*James Sullivan*  
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 said *John B. Stuerhof* in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said with a certain *chopper* *John B. Stuerhof*—

which *he* the said *James Sullivan*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held in and upon the *body* of *him* the said *John B. Stuerhof*  
then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, ~~bruise~~ and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said

*John B. Stuerhof*—  
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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, John

**DATE:**

11/06/93



4925

Witnesses:  
Max Freund

Attorneys #3,  
J. W. Langley  
Counsel,  
Filed day of Nov 3 1893  
Pleads, Guilty P

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Sullivan

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 838, 839, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

Part I, 9, Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan

A TRUE BILL.

same day Part one Dec 20

W. W. Ward Foreman.

Discharged and  
in my presence

The Justice in  
this case does  
not justify me  
in putting the  
defendant to trial.  
The Indictment  
is too incomplete.  
I must recommend his  
discharge upon his  
own recognizance.  
Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 93 Robt. J. Brown  
District Attorney

0244

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }of No. 160 East 110th Street, aged 17 years,occupation lithographer being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 21st day of October 1893 at the City of New

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

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

Good and lawful money of the  
United States consisting of  
Five notes and bills of the  
value ofThree Dollars  
(3.00)

the property of

Deponentand that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen  
and carried away by John Sullivan (now here)

for the reasons following to wit:  
About the hour of 4 o'clock pm on  
the afternoon of said day deponent  
had said property in the lower left  
hand chest pocket of his vest and  
was standing in 10th Row in front  
of the Photo Engraving building when  
defendant jumped at deponent  
and plugged his hands in said pocket  
took said property therefrom, and when  
deponent asked him for the same, defen-  
dant refused to give it to him and ran  
away and deponent caused him to be  
arrested and fully identifies him and charges  
him with the larceny aforesaid

Max FreundSubscribed before me, this  
day of October 1893  
at New York  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Sullivan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *191 14th Street Jersey City 18 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Free papers*

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 Scan*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*22*

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.....

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, Dec 22 1893 James M. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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Police Court---

1145  
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. *Max Stearns*  
160 E. 115th St.

2. *John Sullivan*

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

Offense *Dr. Stearns*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Street.

Dated, *Oct 22*

189 *3*

*John* Magistrate.

*Hayes* Officer.

*H* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

Street.

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

Street.

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

Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *Oct 27*



*Commenced*

**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 Sullivan*

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

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

The said

*John Sullivan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty first* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, in the day-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*the sum of three dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of three dollars*

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

*De Lancey McCall,*  
District Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Sweeney, Delia

**DATE:**

11/20/93



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4925

**DESCRIPTION:**

Thompson, Mary

**DATE:**

11/20/93



4925

Witnesses:

Off. Donohue  
Delia Elmore

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

*167*  
*20th day of Nov 1893*  
*to read*  
*guilty as*

THE PEOPLE

Delia Sweeney

and

Mary Thompson

Part III 27 Nov

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

*Reballed Nov 23 93*  
*Nov 23 93*

A TRUE BILL.

Part 3. November 27 93  
ver. tried and acquitted  
No 1. Indictments dismissed

Howard Foreman

Grand Larceny, second Degree  
[Sections 528, 531, 532 - Penal Code.]

I am satisfied  
from an examination  
made in this case that  
no conviction can be  
had of the defendant  
Delia Sweeney. The  
prosecution was compelled  
to abandon the case  
against Mary Thompson  
for want of sufficient  
evidence. No stronger  
evidence can be obtained  
against the defendant  
Delia Sweeney as concerning  
no conviction could be  
in my judgment, should  
be had. I hereby therefore  
recommend the dismissal  
of the indictment  
Nov. 27 93 W. H. Howard  
District Attorney

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Off. Donohue  
Delia Elmore

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

*167*  
*20th day of Nov 1893*  
*guilty vs*

THE PEOPLE

*Delia Sweeney*  
and  
*Mary Thompson*

*Part III 27th Nov*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

*Reballed Nov 23/93*

A TRUE BILL.  
Part 3. November 27/93  
returned and acquitted  
No 1. Indictments dismissed

*Howard* Foreman.

Grand Larceny, second Degree  
[Sections 528, 529, 530 Penal Code.]

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from an examination  
made in this case that  
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had of the defendant  
Delia Sweeney. The  
prosecution was compelled  
to abandon the case  
against Mary Thompson  
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evidence. No stronger  
evidence can be obtained  
against the defendant  
Delia Sweeney and consequently  
no conviction comes of  
my judgment, should  
it had. I would therefore  
recommend the dismissal  
of the indictments  
Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> 93 / W. H. Thompson  
D. Atty. Gen.*



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1912

Police Court—H. District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.of No. 507 West 44<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 24 years.occupation Pantry Girl being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1893 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 day time, the following property, viz:

A gold watch of the value of thirty five dollars a piece of jet of the value of seven dollars, and two muslin aprons of the value of ninety cents in all amounting to forty two \$100 Dollars

\$112.90

the property of deponent and deponent's sister Julia Hogan and in the care and custody 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 Helia Sweeney and Mary Thompson acting in concert, for the following reasons, to wit:— That said property was in a trunk in the bed-room of deponent's apartments at No 507 West 44<sup>th</sup> Street on the morning of said 27<sup>th</sup> day of September to deponent's knowledge; that at half past seven o'clock on said morning deponent left said apartments and went to her work, leaving said apartments in charge of said Helia Sweeney to whom deponent had previously given in—

Sworn to before me, this  
of \_\_\_\_\_ day  
1893

Police Justice

instructions that said Mary Thompson should not be permitted to enter deponent's apartments in the absence of deponent. That on the return of deponent to her apartments at half past eight o'clock in the evening of said day deponent discovered that said property had been taken from said trunk and deponent questioned said Delia Sweeney concerning the same. That said Delia Sweeney informed deponent that there was no body in the room that day but Mary Thompson and that she, said Thompson, had taken the property and had also taken her, Sweeney's, ring, but said Delia Sweeney made no explanation to deponent as to why she permitted said Thompson to enter deponent's apartments contrary to deponent's instructions on said morning. That said Delia Sweeney confessed that she and said Mary Thompson had left deponent's apartments together at about five o'clock in the afternoon of said day. That the property was placed by deponent in a trunk not locked but difficult to open and said Delia Sweeney in her explanation as to the taking of it by Mary Thompson made no claim that the property might have been taken without her knowledge but positively charged said Mary Thompson with the stealing of it.

That deponent is informed by

Michael C. Donohue a Police Officer  
 attached to the 21<sup>st</sup> Police Precinct  
 that a portion of such property  
 consisting of the piece of felt and  
 the two muller aprons ~~was~~ found  
 in the trunk of Mary Thompson  
 at the storage warehouse 218 West  
 37<sup>th</sup> Street and that defendant  
 has since seen the property so  
 found and identifies it positively  
 as a portion of the property  
 taken from her.

Sworn to before me, this 14<sup>th</sup> day  
 of November 1893 } Julia Elmer  
M. J. Brady Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation Police of No. \_\_\_\_\_

31 Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Elmore  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day

of Nov

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Michael C. Donohue

Wm. H. Brady Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*Delia Sweeney* being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is h right to make a statement in relation to the charge against h; that the statement is designed to enable h 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 waiver cannot be used against h on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Delia Sweeney*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 yrs*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*308 N. 27 - 1 WEEK*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Servant*

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*  
*Delia Sweeney*

Taken before me this

day of *Nov* 189*9*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 193—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Mary Thompson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*233 West 19th St. 3 days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Domestic*

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*  
*Mary Thompson*

Taken before me this  
day of *Nov* 11  
189*3*

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.....

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

Dated Nov. 11 1893 Wm. F. Brady Police Justice.

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

Dated November 14 1893 Wm. F. Brady 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..... 189..... Police Justice

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Police Court--- 11 District.THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OFDelia Fleming  
vs. 507 W. 44No. 1 by Rebecca Jacobs Delia Lanning  
504 W 44 Mary Thompson

BAILED,

No. 1, by

J. D. Buckle  
46 Beaver Street

No. 2, by

Michael B. Hearne  
1449 W. 44 Street.

No. 3, by

W. R. Hazard  
339 W. 23 Street.

No. 4, by

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

3.

4.

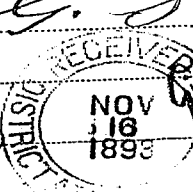
Dated

Nov. 11 1895Gradg Magistrate.Donohue Officer.21 Precinct.Witnesses Nora McGuireNo. 164 W. 20 Street.Ellen FitzgeraldNo. 222 E. 34th Street.Mrs. Gentry - 117 E 30th

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

500 to answer G. S.

Bailed

NOV  
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1895

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**  
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against  
*Delia Sweeney*  
and  
*Mary Thompson*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Delia Sweeney and Mary Thompson*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed  
as follows:

The said *Delia Sweeney and Mary Thompson*, both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty seventh*  
day of *September*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of  
thirty-five dollars, and one  
piece of jet of the value of  
seven dollars, and two aprons  
of the value of forty-five  
cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Delia Elmore*

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.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

*Delia Sweeney and Mary Thompson*  
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:  
The said *Delia Sweeney and Mary Thompson, both*

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,

*one watch of the value of thirty-five dollars, one piece of jet of the value of seven dollars, and two aprons of the value of forty-five cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Delia Elmore*

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

*Delia Elmore*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

*Delia Sweeney and Mary Thompson*  
then and there well known 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*