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DESCRIPTION:

Shade, Herman

DATE:

06/19/83



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re-bailed July 18-1884

Lehman Daniels

338 E. 10th St.

The Complainant in this case cannot be procured and as the case has been several times upon the calendar I consent that deft. be discharged on his own recognizance especially as a conviction from the papers is very doubtful -

N.Y. July. 26. 1884

Investment
Asst. Asst. Atty

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Counsel,

Filed 19 day of June 1883

Pleas

Mr. July 26 1884

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Herman

Stade

Wagon

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

James Gleason
Foreman.

Pub. No. 12 Pub. No. 26 of 84
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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

Herman Shade

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

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

The said Herman Shade

late of the City and County of New York, on the thirteenth day of
June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three
with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Jennie Rosenthal, in the peace of the People of
the said State, then and there being, feloniously
did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault;
and the said Herman Shade, a certain wagon,
drawn by two horses, then and there being driven
by him the said Herman Shade, upon a public
highway there, with great speed, to, at, ~~and~~ against
and upon her the said Jennie Rosenthal, then
and there feloniously did wilfully and wrong-
fully drive; and the said Herman Shade, with
the horses aforesaid, and the wagon aforesaid,
her the said Jennie Rosenthal, then and there
feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike
knock down and run over; thereby then and
there, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully in-
licting upon the said Jennie Rosenthal grievous
bodily harm, to wit: thereby then and there
feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully breaking
the right leg of her the said Jennie Rosenthal

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

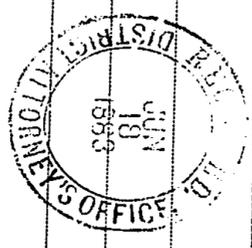
John McKeon

District Attorney.

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BAILED / *John W. Shuffler*
 No. 1, by *John W. Shuffler*
 Residence *338 E. 5th St*
 Street,
 No. 2, by
 Residence
 Street,
 No. 3, by
 Residence
 Street,
 No. 4, by
 Residence
 Street,
 Bond renewed
 July 18, 1883
 Abraham Sarnet
 338 East 5th St

Police Court District 5th
 THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Charles J. Shuffler
John W. Shuffler
 Return *Shane*
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 Dated *June 14* 1883
William Magistrate
Beard 13 Officer
 Clerk
 Witnesses,
 No. Street,
 No. Street,
 No. Street,
 § *Five* to answer *J.S.*
 Street,
Charles Sarnet
Abraham



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 *Norman Shade*

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 *June 14* 1883 *J. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated *June 14* 1883 *J. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1883 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3rd District Police Court.

Herman Shade 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 Shade

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 733 9th Avenue 6 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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

Answer. I am not guilty

H. Shade

Taken before me this

day of

June

1933

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Police Court 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles J. Stampen

vs.

William Shade

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated *June 14* 1883

Peterlau Magistrate.

Beck 13 Officer.

Witness, _____

Disposition, _____

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

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Charles J. Champagne

of No. 34 Attorney Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the 13 day of June 1883

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

(now here) did needlessly drive two horses attached to a Butcher Wagon at a rate of speed of about 10 mile an hour on Attorney Street, and did drive said horses and wagon over the body of Jennie Rosenthal a child aged 3 years, that the right leg of said child is broken and from the effect of the injury said child is now confined to the Bellevue Hospital, Deponent prays that said Herman may be dealt with as the law directs

Charles J. Champagne

Sworn to before me this 12 day of June 1883
M. J. Stevenson
Police Justice.

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DESCRIPTION:

Sherer, James

DATE:

06/22/83



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14 Representatives
Lancaster
Amherst
Rye
Orleans
Ed.

Counsel,
Filed 23 day of June 1883
Pleads Guilty (at)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James D.
Sherer
(Two cases)

(5222453)

Grand Larceny, Second degree, and
Receiving Stolen Goods.

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.

John J. Jones
Foreman.

Edward J. Jones
B. J. Jones

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James S. Sherer

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

James S. Sherer

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

The said James S. Sherer

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 26th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms fifty yards of silk of the value of one dollar each yard

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

John McKean
District Attorney

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph B. Whitely
St. Leonard
James L. Sherer

Offense *Grand Larceny*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated

June 19 1883
P. P. Duffy Magistrate.

Charles E. Salama Officer.

W. O. Precinct.

Witnesses

No. *Michael Brennan*

No. *Benjamin J. Steer*

No. *William J. Steer*

No. *Michael J. Steer*

No.

\$ *1000* to answer *P. J.*

Wm

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

James L. Sherer.

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

Dated *June 19 1883* *P. P. Duffy* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

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

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

Question What is your name?

Answer James L. Sherer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Thirty four Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Cincinnati Ohio

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

Answer 324 8th Avenue 2 Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Salesman.

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

Answer. I am guilty of the charge.

J. L. Sherer

Taken before me this

1908

day of

John J. [Signature]
1885

Police Justice.

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2nd District Police Court.

Affidavit - Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss

of No. 85 Leonard Street, City 33. Merchants.

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 26th day of May 1883

at the above premises. City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, with the design and intent to deprive the true owner of the use and benefit thereof

the following property, viz: One Piece of Blue silk about 7 1/2 yards. of the Value of \$75 dollars

Sworn before me this

19

day of

June 1883

the property of deponent James N. Whitney, John Matthews and Charles B. Vaughan, Co. partners and doing business under the firm name of Whitney and Matthews

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by James L. Sherer (signature)

from the fact that the said Sherer admitted and confessed in deponent's presence that he had taken stolen and carried away said property and informed deponent where he had stowed the same. And deponent

in company with Officer Gowley went to the pawn office of J. Hanley, No. 67 Division Street and found said property

which deponent identifies as the property which had been taken stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, Joseph B. Whitney.

Police Justice [Signature]

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WHITNEY & MATHEWS,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
SILKS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS AND HOSIERY.
P. O. Box 855.

85 LEONARD STREET.

NEW YORK June 26th 1883

Ans. Mr. Sherer;

I will do what I can toward having the Judge make any sentence he may give you, a commitment to an asylum. The district attorney has nothing to do with that part of it, and I cannot talk to the Judge until after the case is tried, but after the case has been tried I will see the Judge, & this being your first offense I think the sentence will be a light one, and possibly if you promise him to try and live a better life when all is over, he may think it wise to make to make it commitment to the reform school or an asylum. I will do all I can in that direction for you, & I trust in either ^{any} case, you may come out a soberer & a wiser man; but the firm will not allow me to withdraw the charge. I do not see what you will gain by pleading not guilty on the trial, & possibly the Judge will allow you to make any explanation

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you may see fit, as to how you come to make this fearful error.

But whatever occurs, I trust and hope that if you are sentenced, the seclusion & chance for sober & ^{subtle} thought will so change your life, that when you again come out into the world, instead of being an injury and a drawback to every one connected with you, you will be from that time forward a help and a comfort. If you try it, I feel sure that you will realize that the comforts & pleasures of such a life are a hundred fold greater than that of the life you have been leading.

I shall have to be at the trial, but I will assure you I will do nothing toward making the case worse than the facts show it, & will do what I can toward lightening the offense, with the promise which you made me of leading a better life when all is over, & you are released.

Yours,

Geo. B. Wherry.

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No. 209

Counsel,
Filed 22 day of June 1883
Pleads Not guilty (not)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
~~John S. Shaver~~
Shaver
(2 cases)

Grand Larceny, Robbery, degree, and
Receiving-Stolen-Goods.
(528 cases)

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.
John J. Glavin
Foreman.

0026

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 L. Seever

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

James L. Seever

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

The said James L. Seever

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~seventh~~ ~~on the~~ day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~eight~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms sixty four yards of silk of the value of seventy five cents each yard

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

John Mc Kean
District Attorney

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Police Court District.

2nd 579

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph B. Whitney
55 Leonard St.
James L. Sherer

Offence *Grand Larceny*

2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____

Defendant *James L. Sherer* 188

W. Duffly Magistrate.

George S. Adams Officer.

J. C. Precinct.

Witnesses *Michael Sweeney*

Michael Sweeney

William Adams

Michael Sweeney

No. _____ Street _____

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

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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 *ten* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *June 19th* 188

W. Duffly Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

J. M. District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James L. Sherer.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty four Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Cincinnati Ohio*

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

Answer. *384 8th Avenue. 3 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Salesman*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of the charge.*
J. L. Sherer

Taken before me this

1908

Day of *August*

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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J. M. D.

District Police Courts

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss

of No. *St. Leonard* Street *April 33* Merchants.

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *11th* day of *June* 1883

at the *above premises* City of New York,

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

of deponent *in the daytime with intent to deprive the true owner thereof of the use and benefit*
the following property, *viz:*

*One Piece of Blue Silk about
Six Four Yards of the Value of Eight
dollars.*

Sworn before me this

19th June 1883
[Signature]
Police Justice

the property of *deponent James H. Whitney John Mathews
and Charles B. Vaughan* copartners and doing
business under the firm name of *Whitney Mathews*

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,
stolen, and carried away by *James L. Sherer (nowhere)*

*from the fact that the said Sherer admitted
and confessed in deponent's presence that
he had taken stolen and carried away
said property and pawned the same in
the pawn office of N. Oyer, No 85 Robinson
Street, deponent in company with Officer
Michael Crowley went to the said pawn office
and found said property there and identified
the said property as the property which had been
taken stolen and carried away from deponent's
possession*

*Whitney & Mathews
per J. H. Whitney.*

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Shields, John

DATE:

06/19/83



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Atty

D. O. Huntington

Filed 19 day of June 188 3

Pleas *John D. ...*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

John Shields

ROBBERY—First Degree. [§ 224 and 225]

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John Stevens

Foreman.

Sent 2 June 22/83

Tried & acquitted

0032

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

against

John Shields

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

John Shields

of the crime of Robbery in the first degree,

committed as follows:

The said John Shields

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~twenty~~ day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Thomas F. Powers in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, ~~and~~ being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and, three promissory notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the kind commonly called United States Treasury notes, of the denomination and of the value of one dollar each, and two silver coins of the United States, of the kind commonly called dimes, of the value of ten cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Thomas F. Powers

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 108-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Shields 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. John Shields

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 25 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. No 537 West 22^d; 1 year.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Taxicab driver

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

Answer. I am not guilty. I was tight last night and laid down in an ice cart in 22^d street and when I woke up went over to 10th Avenue near 26th street where I was arrested. I know nothing about the alleged robbery.

John Shields

Taken before me this

12th

day of

June

1883

Henry G. ...

Police Justice.

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Form 96.
Police Court, Sixth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas F. Powers, 24 years old, machinist

of No. 519 West 26th Street, New York City

being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the 12th day of June 1883, at the 20th Ward of the City of New York, in the

County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of the deponent, by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following

property, viz.: Three bills or notes, good and lawful money of the United States, each of the denomination and value of One Dollar and two silver coins each of the denomination and value of ten cents, in all of the value of Three Dollars and Twenty cents.

of the value of _____ DOLLARS,
the property of Deponent

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

James Shields, ~~and John Thompson~~, both now here, from the following facts: At about two o'clock on said morning as deponent was entering his home, No 519 West 26th street, he was approached by three men. One of the men struck deponent on the face and knocked him down; another took said money from deponent's pocket and the third assisted in holding deponent. The three men then ran away. Deponent identifies said James Shields as one of the said three men; ~~but does not identify said John Thompson as one of the said three men; and does not identify said James Shields as one of the said three men.~~

Thomas F. Powers

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____ 1883
Police Justice.

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DESCRIPTION:

Shortell, Patrick

DATE:

06/26/83



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Bail \$1000

Bailed by Henry
M. Walters, 407 N. 21st
St. and enters 4 300
8th Ave.

Ad-Hoc B. W. June 27/18

Day of Trial,
Counsel,
Filed 26 day of June 188 3

Reads *Walters* (vs)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Patrick B
Storvell

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Violation of Excise Law.
(Sunday)

JOHN McKEON,



A True Bill.

John Stevens
Storvell

Foreman.

Charles H. Stewart

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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

Patrick Shortell

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

OF THE CRIME OF Exposing for Sale and Selling Strong and Spirituous Liquors, Wines, Ale and Beer, on Sunday, committed as follows:

The said *Patrick Shortell*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Seventeenth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did expose for sale and sell as a beverage to *Thomas Daly*

and to certain other persons whose names are 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.

SECOND COUNT:

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

Patrick Shortell

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY AND DISPOSING OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *Patrick Shortell*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the said *Seventeenth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County

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aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away and dispose of as a beverage to Thomas

Daly

and to certain other persons whose names are 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.

THIRD COUNT :

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

Thomas Daly

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRIT-
UOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows :

The said Thomas Daly

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, after-
wards, to wit: on the said Seventeenth day of June in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty- three the same being
the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in
charge of and having the control of certain premises at number Eighty nine

West Houston Street

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Charles F. Rillings's Report.

Shortell's saloon, 89 E. Houston St. Went in on Saturday; had a drink of whiskey; got acquainted for Sunday. Went in on Sunday, the 17th June. Seven men at the bar drinking; three what appeared to be whiskey; others what appeared to be whiskey. One man who we both took for Shortell by his actions, as he walked behind the bar and seemed to have a good deal to say about the place; was dark complexion; had black moustache and goatee; about 45 years of age. I counted from fifteen or twenty minutes 13 whites and two blacks going in after we had come out. Two pitchers of beer and one tin pail came out entrance. There is a side door, which is on Houston, which looks like an office. Saw a young negro woman on Saturday night take a young man in this side office-like; he went in; saw other colored women coming out; this was Saturday night.

Thomas Daly's Report.

Shortell, 89 Houston St., Sunday, June 17th, open at 6-15 P. M.. Had a drink of whiskey there; there were seven men in the place; one drunk; one bartender

Andrew C. Mc'Kelvey's Report.

At 3-30 Sunday afternoon, June 17th), I crossed Bleecker St. and tried to gain access to No. 123 (Pat. Shortell's), corner of Wooster. This place has a lager beer saloon in basement; French restaurant upstairs. I notice the saloon in basement is very closely screened; the entrance is some distance up Wooster street. In trying to get in I met a man on stairs leading down to entrance. He refused to allow me to enter; he said the place was closed up. I knew different, for I saw several entering by this way. I did not persist; I left. This man had black whiskers.

At 8-30 P. M. I made another attempt to enter No. 123. This time I got as far as I could go; I got to a dirty, filthy place, with an old partition put up with holes to look out and a big hole through the door. I tried to get through door; the noise I made brought the same man who I had confronted in the afternoon. I asked him to let me use his water closet; he said no, that it was private. It was impossible to gain access here unless you were known. If I had any one with me I probably would have got in. He has got this place so closely screened that you can not see any light from the outside. Where I went down to enter I saw the light and heard men talking and saw several going in. It is impossible for a stranger to enter here. I watched his place for some time.

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(Form No. 11—Revised March 5, 1883.)

INSTRUCTIONS
TO
SPECIAL-TAX PAYERS.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE.

THE FOLLOWING ARE

THE SPECIAL TAXES

NOW IMPOSED BY LAW, TO WIT:

RETURN

FOR

SPECIAL TAX

for 12 months ending April 30, 1884

OF

Patrick Shortell

as A. L. H. + 10 mfg. Tob

at 89 N. Houston St

P. O. NEW YORK

RECEIVED BY

A. H. Thayer

District 2 Division 8

April 11th, 1883.

Q.L.D. Stamp No. 206742

S.M.T. Stamp No. 470493

Issued May 23rd, 1883.

I. The special-tax year commences on the first day of May and ends on the 30th day of April succeeding.

II. Applicants for a special tax for a fractional part of a year must calculate from the first day of the month in which they commence business, and must pay to the end of the special-tax year.

III. Retail dealers in malt liquors cannot retail spirituous liquors or wines without paying special tax as retail liquor dealers.

IV. Retail liquor dealers cannot, as such, sell five gallons to one person at any one time. Any person desiring to sell in quantities of five or more gallons must make this return and pay the special tax as a wholesale liquor dealer. The word "gallon" here used means "wine-gallon."

V. No dealer in wines, spirits, or malt liquors can lawfully sell manufactured or leaf tobacco, snuff, or cigars without previously paying the special tax as a dealer in manufactured or leaf tobacco, as the case may be.

VI. Rectifiers or brewers who have paid special tax as "rectifiers or brewers of less than 500 barrels," and who during the same special-tax year desire to increase their product, should make application hereon for a new stamp of the denomination of \$200 in the case of a rectifier, or \$100 in the case of a brewer. On obtaining this new stamp the rectifier or brewer may apply to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, under section 3123, Revised Statutes, for the repayment to him of the value of the stamp first issued, less five per cent. deduction therefrom.

VII. Special-tax stamps will be transmitted by mail only on receipt, from the person or firm ordering the same, of specific directions so to do. If it is desired that they be transmitted by registered mail, ten cents additional should accompany the application.

VIII. Dealers in leaf tobacco received from producers, &c., in the hand, as provided in act of June 16, 1881, the amount of whose sales, consignments, or offers for sale exceed 5,000 lbs. in the aggregate in any special-tax year, must pay \$12 tax as "Dealer in leaf tobacco." (See Circular No. 28.)

NOTE.

Such manufacturers of and dealers in tobacco, snuff, or cigars, as propose to present claims for REBATE, under the act of March 3, 1881, should procure their special-tax stamps for the year beginning May 1, 1881, PRIOR to that date.

Rectifiers of less than 500 barrels	\$100 00
Rectifiers of 500 barrels or more	200 00
Dealers, retail liquor	25 00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100 00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50 00
Dealers in malt liquors, retail	20 00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	12 00
Dealers in leaf tobacco received from producers in "the hand," less than 25,000 lbs. per annum	5 00
Retail dealers in leaf tobacco and on monthly sales over rate of \$500 per annum, thirty cents for every dollar in excess of such rate.	250 00
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	2 40
Manufacturers of stills	50 00
and for each still manufactured	20 00
and for each worm manufactured	20 00
Manufacturers of tobacco	6 00
Manufacturers of cigars	6 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class, (more than two horses or other animals)	30 00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class, (two horses or other animals)	15 00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class, (one horse or other animal)	7 20
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class, (on foot or public conveyance)	3 60
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100 00

0042

(FORM NO. 11—REVISED.)

R. L. D. \$25.00
D. M. T. 2.40
\$27.40

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE.

RETURN FOR SPECIAL TAX.

Every person or firm liable to Special Tax must, before commencing business, file, and thereafter while thus liable, not later than the 30th day of April of each year, again file with the Collector or Deputy Collector a sworn return on this Form, and pay to such officer the amount of the tax, when he will be furnished with a Special-Tax Stamp, which must be at all times conspicuously displayed in his or their place of business. For failure to make the return as above stated the Commissioner of Internal Revenue is required by law (Section 3173, Revised Statutes) to assess a PENALTY OF FIFTY PER CENTUM of the amount of the special tax.

Copy

NEW YORK

STATE OF

COUNTY OF

The undersigned,

Patrick Shortell

being duly sworn according to law, declare that on the 1st day of May, 1883, he do intend to engage in the business or occupation of

(Note a.)

R. L. D. + D. M. T. of

said firm consisting of the following-named persons:

subject to special tax under the Internal Revenue Laws of the United States; said business or occupation

to be carried on at No. 89 West Houston street, in the City

of _____, County of _____, State of NEW YORK

that he has done no business, since the first day of May last, for which he would be

liable to pay a special tax without having paid the same except as above.

Sworn to before me this

day of April, A. D. 1883,

Signed P. Shortell
(Signature)

(Note b.)

P. O. address:

The tax-payer should sign, date, and swear to this return, and forward it at once by mail

to M. B. BLAKE, Collector 2nd District of NEW YORK

at 7 Beekman St. Room 5

NOTE a.—The following abbreviations may be used, viz: "D" for dealer, "R." for retail, "L." for liquor, "W." for wholesale, "Tob." for tobacco, "Manuf" for manufacturer, "Mfd" for manufactured, "Brewer less 500 bbls." for brewer manufacturing less than 500 barrels per year, "Brewer 500 bbls. or more" for brewer manufacturing 500 barrels or more per year, "Rectifier less 500 bbls." for one who rectifies less than 500 barrels per year, "Rectifier 500 bbls. or more" for one who rectifies 500 barrels or more per year, and "Hand" in case of dealers in leaf tobacco for "In the hand," &c.

NOTE b.—When an individual signs for a firm, his name should be written on the first line, and the name of the firm on the second line, preceded by the words "of the firm of."

I certify that this paper is a true copy of a document placed on file in this office. M. B. Blake 17/1/83

0043

BOX:
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FOLDER:
1136

DESCRIPTION:
Skinner, Henry

DATE:
06/08/83



1136

0044

No 83

Counsel,
Filed *Chase* day of *June* 1883
Pleads

INDICTMENT
Grand Larceny in the
first degree.
(MONEY.)
[34-529-530]

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Benny C. Skinner
I

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
James J. Green

I Foreman
July 29 1883.

0045

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Derry C. Skinner

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

Derry C. Skinner
Attempting to commit
of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE first DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Derry C. Skinner

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

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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0046

Police Court District.

✓ 1 477

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Caroten Sherman

477 Second St. New York

Henry B. Skinner

1 Henry B. Skinner

Offence Larceny

Dated May 31 188

Magistrate

Officer

Preinct

Witnesses

No. Street

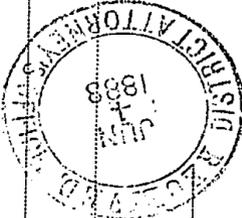
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Henry B. Skinner

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

Dated May 31 188 3 Andrew White Police Justice.

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

Dated May 31 188 3 Andrew White Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0047

Sec. 198-200
CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

705
District Police Court.

Henry C. Skinner 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.

Henry C. Skinner

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

45 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

232 2 Ave - One Week

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Machinist

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

Answer.

Nothing to say
Henry C. Skinner

Taken before me this
day of

1888

Police Justice.

0048

1st

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Carsten Offerman

of No. 1st Avenue Street, Brooklyn being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 30 day of May 1889

at the 1st Ward City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent and from his person, in the night time the following property, viz :

Good and lawful money of the United States, in Bank notes of various denominations of the value of Twenty Dollars

Sworn before me this

31st day of May 1889
Police Justice.

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Henry C. Skinner

(now here) from the fact that deponent felt the hand of the Defendant in the pantaloons pocket of Deponent said property above described being in said pocket after pantaloons worn by Deponent

Carsten Offerman

0049

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1136

DESCRIPTION:

Slattery, Maurice

DATE:

06/20/83



1136

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0050

10/27/74

Counsel,

Filed 20 day of June 188 13

Pleads

Not guilty (21)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F

Maurice Slattery

21. 176 Madison

*Prosecution in the
Grand Jury
[211 1111]*

JOHN McKEON,

Dist. Attorney

110 1/2 Blue Hill St.

1/27

A True Bill.

James Stevens

Foreman.

W. 2 yrd.

0051

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

against

Maurice Slattery

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

Maurice Slattery

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

The said Maurice Slattery

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the ~~thirteenth~~ day of June in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eightythree, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, in and upon one David Barry
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, ~~and~~

*being then and there aided by an accomplice
actually present whose name is to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown and four silver
coins of the United States, of the kind
known as dollars, of the value of one
dollar each, and one other silver coin
of the United States of the kind known
as half dollars, of the value of fifty
cents*

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

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

~~JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.~~

0052

~~Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York,~~

~~Second Court:~~

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

Maurice Slattery

of the CRIME OF Robbery in the first degree

committed as follows:

The said Maurice Slattery

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~thirteenth~~ day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one David Barry in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ~~being~~ then and there aided by an accomplice actually present whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and, four silver coins of the United States of the kind known as dollars of the value of one dollar each, and one other silver coin of the United States of the kind known as half dollars, of the value of fifty cents of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said David Barry, from the person of the said David Barry, against his will, and by means of putting the said David Barry in fear of some immediate injury to his person

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

~~from the person of said~~

~~and against~~

~~the will and by violence to the person of the said~~

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0053

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court 3 District 306

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Barry
Marion Lattery

Offence, Robbery

Dated June 14 1883

Paterson Magistrate.

Perce Officer.

Simons Clerk.

Witnesses, _____
No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ 1000 to answer B.B. Street, _____
Conroy



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 Marion Lattery

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

Dated June 14 1883 H. P. Lawrence Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0054

Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Maurice Slattery 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. Maurice Slattery.

Question. How old are you?

Answer. twenty one years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Jersey city

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

Answer. 176 Madison Street, 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Selling 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
Maurice Slattery

Taken before me this

day of

May 1921
1921

W. J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

0055

Police Court

3

District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

of No 682 Water Street, Junonian

being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the 13 day of June
1883, at the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, in the County

of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent
by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ:

Four silver coin of the issue of the United States of the denomination of one dollar each and one silver coin of the issue of the United States of the denomination of fifty cents. of in all of the value of four dollars and fifty cents.

of the value of _____ DOLLARS,

the property of deponent

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

Maurice Slattery (now here) from the fact that while deponent was about leaving the above premises, he was violently seized hold of the hand, and held by a person named Thompson to deponent, and held tightly while the defendant placed his hand in the right hand side pocket of deponent's trousers then worn upon the person of deponent and took the aforesaid described property. deponent did not make any resistance to the within described act as deponent feared bodily harm and felt in danger of his life.

his
David Barry
mark.

Sworn before me, this 14 day of June 1883
James J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

0056

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1136

DESCRIPTION:

Sloman, Israel

DATE:

06/07/83



1136

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0057

No. 1
J. B. King
Filed 7 day of June 1883
Pleads Poor Quality A

RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS
THE PEOPLE
vs.
Broad St. Man

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.
In April 2, 1885
Bill forfeited returned.
A True Bill.
John Stevens
Foreman.

W. E. ...
M. ... To ...
Ed. ...
J. ...
1883
off ...

0058

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Israel Stoman

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

Israel Stoman

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

The said *Israel Stoman*
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on
the *25th* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty *three* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
eight barrels of tobacco of the value
of fifty dollars each barrel

of the goods, chattels and personal property of _____

Solomon Barnett
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Solomon*
Barnett

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have, he the said *Israel*
Stoman

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0059

I hereby certify that
Israel Sloman, of No 58 Summit St
Brooklyn has been confined to his
house by sickness for the the last
two days and is still too ill
to go out.

J. H. Chuelat M.D.
192 Union St
Brooklyn Feby 25th 1885

0060

Isaac Shuman R. D. S.

Solomon Parrett - An official
member of firm of Parrett &
Fanterman - 16 ~~divulge~~ -
warehouses at said place
burglarized May 14th 11th - and
187 lbs of leaf tobacco stolen -
identical tobacco found with dept
as portion of said job

Officer Adams found Parrett a
possessor of depth on a truck
in front of 229 Rowen -

Two Rowen truckman was
heard by dept to cut said
tobacco ~~from the~~ ~~in the~~
~~Rowen~~ from job of van
Parrett to Parrett's place
in the Rowen -

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0061

Court of General Sessions
The People vs

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Israel Souan

Defendant.

Defendants as to Character

KINTZING, SIMONSON & MEYER,

Attorneys for Defendant

Post-office and Office Address,

No. 15 CENTRE STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

Due service of a copy of the within is hereby
admitted.

Dated New York, 18

THE NATIONAL PRINTING CO., 16-22 Chambers St., N. Y.

0062

New York General Sessions

The People }
vs }
Israel Sloman }

City & County of New York S.S.

Israel Sloman
being duly sworn says, he is the
defendant above named, that he
is 54 years of age with a wife and
six little children depending upon his
daily labor for support, that this is the
first time in his life that he has ever
been arrested charged with any crime
and that he is wholly and entirely
innocent of the present charge laid
against him. Deponent further says
that he resides at No 93 Hamilton
Avenue in the City of Brooklyn.

Sworn to before me
this 13th day of July 1883
Maurice Meyer } Israel Sloman
Notary Public }
N.Y.C. (29)

0063

Court of General Sessions

The People }
vs }
Israel Sloman }

City & County of New York ss

Patrick Casey of 99
President Street Brooklyn being
duly sworn says that he is engaged
in the coal and wood business.

Deponent further says that he has
known the defendant for the last ten
years, during which time he has seen
him almost daily, and that his character
for honesty and integrity has been most
Excellent, never before having heard of
him being charged with the commission
of any offence.

Deponent further says that he has fre-
quently and repeatedly trusted defendant
with large sums of money, and deponent
has always found him to be strictly honest.
That defendant has wife and six
children dependent upon him for support.

Sworn to before me this }
13 day of July 1883 }
Maurice Meyer } P Casey
Notary Public }
N.Y.C. }

0064

Court of General Sessions

The People }
vs }
Israel Sloman }

City & County of New York

Baron Isaac of
164 Union Street Brooklyn being duly
sworn says he is engaged in the business
of a manufacturer of cigars.

Deponent further says that he has known
the defendant above named for the
last twenty years, during which time he
has seen him almost daily, and that
his character for honesty up to the present
offense has been most excellent, never
before having heard of him being charged
with the commission of any offense.

Deponent further says that the defendant
has a wife and six children dependent
upon him for support.

Sworn to before me this }
13 day of July 1883 } Baron Isaac
Morris Meyer
Notary Public
N.Y.C. (89)

0065

Court of General Sessions

The People }
vs }
Isaac Sloman }

City & County of New York

Patrick Mallin of 93
Carroll Street Brooklyn being duly
sworn says that he is engaged in
the sugar and molasses business.
Deponent further says that he has
known the defendant above named
for the last six years, during which
time he has seen him almost daily,
and that his character for honesty
has been most excellent, never before
having heard of him being arrested
charged with the commission of any
offense

Sworn to before me this }
13 day of July 1883 } Patrick Mallin
Maurice Meyer
Notary Public
N.Y. 6 (18)

0066

Court of General Sessions

The People
vs
Israel Sloman

City & County of New York ss.

David H. Julian

being duly sworn says, he resides
at No 89 Hamilton Avenue and
carries on the business of Furniture
dealer

That he has known
the defendant herein for the past
16 years and knows him to be
a man of good character that
up to the present time he has never
heard of anything against his
character.

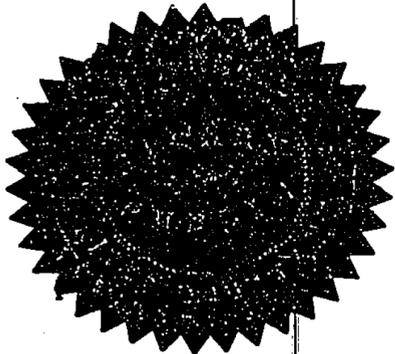
Sworn to before me
this 12th day of July 1883

David H. Julian

F. Havensager

Notary Public

King's County



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Court of General Sessions

The People
Against
Israel Sloman

City & County of New York S.S.
Jonas H. Jones
being duly sworn says he resides
at No. 92 Raper's Alley and
his business is that of Cigar Manuf.

That he has known the
defendant above named for the past
10 years! that he has repeatedly
seen him within that time, and knows
him to be an honest, hardworking and
trustworthy man, and that his oc-
cupation is that of a teacher of the
Hebrew language, that up to the present
charge against said defendant he has
never heard anything against him
sworn to before me

this 12th day of July 1883

William Dool

Notary Public

New York County

Jonas H. Jones

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Court of General Sessions.

The People }
vs }
Israel Sloman }

At County of New York S.S.
H. J. Meron

being duly sworn says he resides
at No 629 11thth Brooklyn and
carries on the business of
undertaker - That he has known
the dependant herein for the past
12 years, and knows his char-
acter to be good. That he has
never heard anything against
his character, and knows
him to be an honest and
industrious man, and his
occupation that of a teacher.

Sworn to before me this
12 day of July 1883. H. J. Meron
William Doll
Notary Public 1191
New York County

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Court of General Sessions

The People
Against
Israel Sloman

City & County of New York S.S.

J. Kaiser
being duly sworn says, he resides
at No. 59 Hamilton Avenue and
his business is that of clothing
merchants that he has known the
defendant above named for the past
12 years; that he has seen him
often within that time; and knows
him to be an honest, hardworking
and trustworthy man and that his
business is that of a teacher of the
Hebrew language, that he has never
heard aught against the good
character of the defendant up to this
present charge,

Sworn to before me } J. Kaiser
this 12th day of July 1883 }
Wilhelm Oel }
Notary Public (191
New York County

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Court of General Sessions

The People }
 agst }
Israel Sloman }

City & County of New York S.S.

Isaac Hart
being duly sworn says that he
resides at No. 3 Hamilton Ave. Brooklyn
and his occupation is that of
Tobacconist. That he has
known the defendant herein for
the past 15 years and during
all that time has never heard
or known of anything against
his character, but on the contrary
has always known him to be
a straightforward and honest
man.

Sworn to before me }
this 12th day of July 1883 } Isaac Hart
William Dool }
Notary Public (191 }
New York County }

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OFFICE OF
S. BARNETT,
LEAF TOBACCO,
162 Water Street.

New York January 7th 1884

Hon. Randolph B. Mattie,
my dear Sir.

Mr Israel Roman has
been indicted in your office in May 1883, for
receiving stolen goods, property of mine. I
have since then been unable to get him
to trial, although I have earnestly tried to
do so.

Will you please do me the favor and
give it your early attention

And thank you, oblige Very Respectfully Yours

S. Barnett

Indicted
June 7-83
cannot find

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Israel Sloman

P.S.G. - Bail
in Sloman

Have it put
on for trial ~~as~~
~~early as possible~~
next week. If
prison cases permit
case will take a
day to try. B.M.

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Sloan

Acc. Hoops

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OFFICE OF
S. BARNETT,
LEAF TOBACCO,
162 Water Street.

New York, December 10th 1884

Mr Adams

My dear Sir:

When the case of Jemel Blouau
Indicted for receiving stolen goods, was on your
Calendar last month, you stated to me that
you would put it down for the 3rd Monday of December
I would notify the Defendants Counsel that they must
be ready on that day.

Will you kindly inform me to above address
whether the above case will be tried next Monday
And thereby oblige Very Respectfully yours

William Turk.

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PART 2.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.
If this Subpcna is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpcna with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court-Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPCNA
FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE
Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

C.O

The People of the State of New York,

To *Off Wm Adams*

of No. _____ Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *13* day of *Feb* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and give evidence in our behalf, against

Israel Solomon

in a case of Felony whereof *he stands* indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Feb* in the year of our Lord 188 *4*

PETER B. CLINE, JOHN McKEON, *District Attorney.*

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Should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.

If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court.

If ill when served, please send timely word to the District Attorney's Office.

If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

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

.....
being duly sworn, deposes and says he
Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon
..... on the day of
..... 188 by

Officer Adams

Robert Adams

Sworn to before me, this day }
of 188 }

in April

Notary Public,
N. Y. Co.

J. W.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses for Deposition
Office of Richard &
Langman, Central
Office

BAILED,
No. 1, by Charles W. Stearns
Residence 49 James Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Esther Bennett
136 E. 60 St.
John Simmons



Office Receiving Stolen Goods

Dated May 31 1888

Wm Patterson Magistrate.

Wm Adams Street
Langdon C. O. Precinct.

Witnesses Wm Adams

No. Central Office Street.

No. Thomas Kennedy Street.

No. 72 Columbia Street.

Wm Adams

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1000 to answer. W. J.

Mailed Central

June 1/88

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 Israel Solomon

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 1000 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 May 31 1888 Wm Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated June 1st 1888 Wm Patterson 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 _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Israel Stornan 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. *Israel Stornan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *54 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *London, England*

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

Answer. *93 Hamilton Av. Brooklyn, 3 1/2 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Teacher and drummer for the clothing business*

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 innocent. That is all I have to say.*

Israel Stornan

Taken before me this

day of

May

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[Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Adams
aged 31 years, occupation Police officer of No.
300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 31st
day of May 1883 } William Adams

J. M. Pauson
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Downey
aged 31 years, occupation Truckman of No. 72 Columbia St. Brooklyn Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Solomon Barne
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 30th }
day of May 1883 } Thomas Downey

M. P. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

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

Solomon Barnett, aged 50 years,
of No. 136 East 60th Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that on the 28th day of May 1883
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Israel Solomon, now here, was found in possession of eight barrels of Leaf Tobacco of the value in all of four hundred dollars, property of deponent and Augustus Lauterbach, Co-partners, doing business at 162 Water Street under the firm name of Barnett & Lauterbach. That on the afternoon of May 19th 1883 the warehouse of deponent at 162 Water Street was unlawfully entered and eighteen cases of leaf tobacco feloniously stolen and carried away therefrom. That the tobacco so found in the possession of the defendant is identified by deponent as a portion of said stolen property; and deponent charges and alleges that said defendant did, at said City and County, at a time between said 19th and said 28th day of May instant, knowingly and feloniously receive said property, he, said defendant, well knowing that said property was stolen property. That deponent is now here informed

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by officer William Adams that he, said officer, found said property in the possession of said defendant on a truck standing in front of 229 Bowery and said defendant sitting on said truck.

That defendant is further informed by Thomas Downey, here present, that said defendant hired said Downey, to cart said tobacco from the foot of Van Brunt Street, Brooklyn, to a place in the Bowery where said property was found with said defendant all of which deponent believes to be true.

Sworn to before me this 30th day of May 1885
J. D. Patterson
Deputy Justice

POLICE COURT.—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Dated

Witnesses,

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Committed in default of \$ surety.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Bernard

DATE:

06/12/83



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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No 122

Counsel,
Filed *June* 1887
Pleads *Not guilty (13)*

vs. THE PEOPLE
vs. *F*
Bernard
Smith
INDICTMENT.
Grand Larceny in the Second Degree. (529 and 531)

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.
John P. L.

A TRUE BILL.

James L. ...

Foreman
James L. ...

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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

Bernard Smith

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

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

The said *Bernard Smith*

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

one promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called United States Treasury notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the denomination and of the value of five dollars, one other promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank notes, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied of the denomination and of the value of five dollars, and one written instrument and evidence of contract of the kind commonly called pawn tickets, of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Francis S. Murphy* on the person of the said *Francis S. Murphy* then and there being found, from the person of the said

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Police Court District

2^d 1889

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas M. Murphy
170 Beaker St.

Complaint
of
Larceny
from Person

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Complaint
of
Larceny
from Person

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Date June 10 1889

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses
Richard J. Schluenger

No. 1
Louis Hunt

No. 2
John W. Overstreet

No. 3
William H. Rice

No. 4
to answer

to answer

(Over)

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

Bernard Smith

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 June 10 1889 Hugh Garman Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 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 1889 Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Bernard 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.

Bernard Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

32 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

119 Clinton Place 2 Weeks.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Engineer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge.

Bernard Smith
mark.

Taken before me this

day of June 1885

Joseph A. ...
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 41 years, occupation James L. Donohue
Police Officer of No.

15th Avenue Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas S. Murphy.

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

Sworn to before me, this 10
day of June 1883 } James Donohue

Hugh Gardner
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss

of No. *170 Bluester* Street, *by Francis S. Murphy* age *34* years *single*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *10th* day of *June* 188*3*.

at the *stoop of the above premises* — City of New York,

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

of deponent *and from deponent's person in the*

the following property, viz: *due time and intent to deprive the true owner of the same*

they

Good and Lawful Money of the United States consisting of One Note or bill of the denomination and value of Five dollars. And One Railroad ticket representing property of the value of Five dollars, all being of the value of Ten dollars.

Sworn before me this 18th day of June 1883

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 *Bernard Smith (nowhere)*

from the fact that at or about the hour

of four o'clock A.M. on said date deponent

was sitting on the stoop of premises No.

170 Bluester street having said property

in the right hand of pocket of the

furtive person then on deponent's person.

and went to sleep and in about thirty

minutes afterwards deponent was awakened

by the said Smith attempting to

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take the shoes off deponents feet.
 The said Smith then ran away
 pursued by deponent & deponent
 caused the arrest of the said Smith
 by officer Donohue of the 15th Precinct
 Police. Deponent is informed by
 officer Donohue that on arresting
 the said Smith and searching
 him he found on the person of the
 said Smith one five dollar note
 and the Pawn ticket hereto attached.
 and deponent identifies the Pawn ticket
 as a portion of the property which had
 been taken stolen and carried away
 from deponents person.

Sworn to before me } Francis S. Murphy
 this 10th day of June 1883

Hugh Farmer
 Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

Dated

of 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Charles

DATE:

06/26/83



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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147 Bill ordered

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of June 1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Charles

Smith

[699-5594]
Forning a sum

John McKeon

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

James Stevens

Foreman.

July 24th 83.

James D. Gully

True \$10.

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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

Charles Smith

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

Charles Smith
of the CRIME OF Torturing an animal
committed as follows:

The said Charles Smith

late of the City and County of New York, on the _____ month _____ day of

June _____ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three
with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, having then and

charge and control of a certain sore, wounded and bleeding animal, to wit: a horse, did then and there unlawfully torture the said horse by then and there placing upon the back of said horse which was then and there sore, wounded and bleeding, a certain piece of harness commonly called a saddle, and by then and there driving and working said horse, by reason of which driving and working of said horse, while such saddle was so as aforesaid upon the sore, wounded and bleeding back of said horse, unjustifiable physical pain and suffering were then and there caused and permitted to said horse, to the great damage of the said horse, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McKeon, District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED

No. 1, by Charles B. Drake
Residence 231 Mercer Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 1449 - 9, 1891

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George B. Lambert
1000 St. East 22nd

Charles Smith

Offence Cruelty to Animals

Dated June 9 1888

George B. Lambert Magistrate

Lambert Officer

AS 06 C Precinct.

Witnesses Wm. Johnson

Wm. Smart Street.

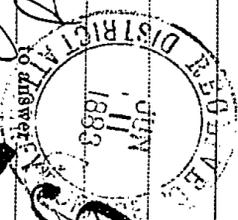
100 E 22 Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ _____ to district.

of called



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 Charles Smith

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 June 9 1888 } Hugh Gardner Police Justice.

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

Dated June 9 1888 } Hugh Gardner 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 _____ 1888 } _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Charles 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. Charles Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 84 Jane Street three months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Wick

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

Answer. I have nothing to say and I demand a trial by Jury
Charles Smith

Taken before me this

day of

July 9

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James J. [unclear]
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT 2nd DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.



DATED, June 9th 1883

Magistrate.

Laurent Clerk.

Witnesses: *A. S. P. C. A.*

*Benny Bergh, 100 E. 22d St.
C. H. Haykiser Supr
W. G. Smart 100 E. 22d St.*

BAILED \$ to ans. Sess.

By

..... Street.

John J. O'Brien, Printer, 397 Fourth Avenue, New York.

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STATE OF NEW YORK, }
City and County of New York. } ss.

Second District Police Court.

George H. Lambert of 100 East 22 Street
City of New York being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
9th day of June 1883, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

(one) Charles Smith (now here) did wilfully unlawfully
and wickedly torture a certain living creature to wit a
horse by then and there compelling said horse to pull
and drag a certain vehicle called a wagon to which it
was attached by harness, while a portion of the body
of said horse, underneath a portion of such harness, called
the saddle, and whereon said harness was thereby made
to, and did press and rub was wounded, sore and bleeding,
and did cause, thereby, to the said living creature to wit
the said horse, unjustifiable physical pain and
suffering in violation of the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said

Charles Smith

may be arrested, and dealt with according to law, and more especially according to the following laws made and
provided, to wit: Title XVI of the Penal Code.

~~"An Act to prevent prize fights and fights among game animals," passed April 4, 1856; and "An Act to amend chapter four
hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-two, entitled "An Act to prevent the traffic in impure and un-
wholesome milk," passed May 2, 1864; and "An Act for the preservation of the health of animals for human food," passed April 3,
1865; and "An Act better to prevent cruelty to animals," passed April 19, 1866; and "An Act for the more effectual prevention of cruelty
to animals," passed April 12, 1867; and "An Act relating to animals," passed February 11, 1874; and "An Act to amend chapter ninety
seven of the law of 1872," entitled "An Act providing for the forfeiture of property in certain cases," passed May 4, 1875; and "An Act
to prevent injury to animals in the City of New York," passed February 8, 1876; and "An Act relating to diseased animals," passed
February 23, 1878; and the ordinances and regulations of the Sanitary Code of the Board of Health Department of the City of New York.~~

Sworn to before me this 9th
day of June 1883

George H. Lambert

Hugh Farmer
Police Justice

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Frederick

DATE:

06/05/83



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W.D.

Counsel,
Filed 5 day of June 1883
Pleads Guilty (G)

Grand Larceny, Second degree, and
Receiving Stolen Goods.
[52-531-550]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Frederick Smith

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney
D. S. No. 8. 1883
and acquitted.

A True Bill.

John McKeon
Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frederick Smith

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

Frederick Smith

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

The said *Frederick Smith*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *29th* ~~the~~ day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

one watch of the value of two dollars,
nineteen razors of the value of one dollar each,
one coat of the value of one dollar,
two pairs of shears of the value
of one dollar each pair, four combs
of the value of twenty cents each, four
razor-strops of the value of fifty cents each,
one pair of shoes of the value of fifty cents,
and twelve collars of the value of twenty
five cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Edward Johns*

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.

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

Frederick Smith

_____ of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS,
committed as follows:

The said Frederick Smith

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the 29th day of May in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms one satchel of the value of
two dollars, nineteen razors of the value of
one dollar each, one coat of the value of
one dollar, two pairs of shears of the value of
one dollar each pair, four combs of the value of
twenty cents each, four razor strips of the value of
fifty cents each, one pair of shoes of the value of
fifty cents, two pairs of collars of the value of
twenty five cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of Edward Johns

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

Johns
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; he the said Frederick
Smith

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0102

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 5, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court 3 District 3

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward Debus
20 E. 11th Street
Brooklyn
Frederick Smith

Offence, *Grand Larceny*

Dated *June 1* 1883

W. H. Duffy Magistrate
Green 10 Officer
Clerk.

Witnesses,
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____

**RECEIVED
JUN 4 1883
ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

No. _____ Street _____
to answer *[Signature]*

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 *Frederick Smith*

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 *June 1* 1883 *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0103

Sec. 198-200.

3rd District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Francis 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. *Francis Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *Philadelphia 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Barber*

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*

Fred Smith

Taken before me this

day of

1888

[Signature]

Police Justice.

0104

The complainant will receive an 8th arrest
between 5th + 6th Street by next Monday in a Barber
shop

3rd District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

years, a Barber
of No. 20 McElaney

Edward Johns aged 32

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 29 day of May 1883

at the City of New York,

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

the following property, viz :

One satchel containing 19 Razors of the
Value of one dollar each
~~ONE~~ Coats of the Value of ~~three~~ ^{one} dollar
two pair of Shears of the Value of one
dollar each, four Combs of the value
of Eighty cents, four Razor straps of
the value of two dollars
one pair of Shoes of the value of Fifty cents,
one Dozen of Collars of the value of
three dollars said satchel being of
the value of two dollars
The above described property being in all

~~the property of~~ Thirty ³⁰ two Dollars
the property of deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,
stolen, and carried away by *Frederick Smith (nowhere)*

From the fact that deponent and said
defendant were engaged to be employed
as Barbers at Worcester Massachusetts, that
deponent gave said satchel to said Smith
to carry for him and deponent got on
one of the Grand Street Rail Road Cars on
the rear Platform, and at the same time
said defendant got on the front Platform
of the same car, that deponent had

Sworn before me this

day of

Police Justice,

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0105

a Friend and the Conductor of said Car informed deponent that deponent can not ride on said Car and deponent got off, and then discovered that said defendant had previously got off said Car and had taken ~~stolen~~ property carried away deponent ~~stated~~ said defendant did not come to the Steam boat where deponent and said Smith were to take passage that on the 31st day of May 1888 deponent caused the arrest of said Smith when he had a portion of said property (here shown) in his possession

Sworn to before me this 1st June 1888

Edward Johns

[Signature]
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFRIDA VIT - Larceny

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

0106

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1136

DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Isaac

DATE:

06/12/83



1136

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0107

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Abraham Stranberg

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain Lottery wherein divers monies were set up to be distributed by lot and chance, a more particular description of which said Lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say:

5-10-45-53
53

(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney

Nov 19
Day of Trial
Counsel *W. B. Smith*
Filed *1888*
Pleads *Indigently (13)*

[See 344] Selling Lottery Policies.

THE PEOPLE vs.

B
Isaac Smith

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
James Stevens

Foreman.

Witnesses:

0108

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against

Isaac Smith

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

Isaac Smith

of the CRIME OF "Vending and Selling to another what are commonly known as and called Lottery Policies," committed as follows:

The said *Isaac Smith*

late of the *First* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid,
on the ~~twenty second~~ day of *May* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ *three* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, ~~did unlawfully~~ *Recklessly* and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply, to one

Abraham Stroussberg

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Abraham Stroussberg

a certain paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said paper, instrument, and writing, called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

5-10-45-57
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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

0109

SECOND COUNT—

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

Isaac Smith

of the CRIME OF "Vending and Selling to another what is commonly known as and called Lottery Policies," committed as follows:

The said *Isaac Smith*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day, and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler; and ~~that~~ he the said

Isaac Smith

on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a building, known as number *one hundred*

and eighteen Ridge Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, ^{*feloniously*} did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to divers persons (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), and did procure, and caused to be procured, for the said divers persons (whose names are to the jurors aforesaid unknown), certain instruments and writings, commonly known as and called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace 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

Isaac Smith

of the CRIME OF "Vending and Selling to another, what are commonly known as and called Lottery Policies," committed as follows:

The said *Isaac Smith*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was and yet is a common gambler:

And ~~that~~ he the said

Isaac Smith

afterwards on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a certain building, known as number *one*

hundred and eighteen Ridge Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, ^{*feloniously*} did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to one

Abraham Stranberg

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Abraham Stranberg

a certain instrument and writing, commonly known as and called a lottery policy, which said instrument and writing commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

0110

FOURTH COUNT—

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

Isaac Smith

of the CRIME of "Selling and Vending a paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a Lottery," committed as follows:

The said *Isaac Smith*

late of the *5th* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the ~~twentysecond~~ *third* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ *three* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, ~~did~~ *felonously* and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply, to one

Abraham Stranberg

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Abraham Stranberg

a certain paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain Lottery, wherein certain monies were set up for distribution by lot or chance, a more particular description of which said lottery is to Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, which said paper and writing, is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said paper and writing, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

FIFTH COUNT—

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

Isaac Smith

of the CRIME of "Vending and Selling a writing, paper and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a Lottery, committed as follows:

The said *Isaac Smith*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day, and the day of the taking of this inquisition, was and yet is a common gambler; and ~~that~~ he the said

Isaac Smith

on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, at and in a certain room in a building, known as number *one hundred*

and eighteen Ridge Street

in said Ward, City and County, with force and arms, ~~did~~ *felonously* and knowingly vend, sell, barter, furnish and supply to one *Abraham Stranberg*

0111

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Abraham Stranberg

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain Lottery wherein divers monies were set up to be distributed by lot and chance, a more particular description of which said Lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, which said paper, writing and document is as follows, that is to say :

5-10-45-53
53

(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney

Nov 19
Day of Trial
Counsel
Filed
Pleads
1887
Wm. C. Smith
Wm. C. Smith
Wm. C. Smith

Selling Lottery Policies. [See 344]

THE PEOPLE
vs.

B
Isaac Smith

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Samuel Stevens

Foreman.

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0112

BAILED,
 No. 1, by Mr. J. G. Gindles
 Residence 31 East 44th 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
Abraham Staroberg
208 St. J. P.
Stare & Muck,
Law
 Offence _____
 Dated May 22 1883
Stare Magistrate.
Joseph Weisberg Officer.
Central office Precinct.
 Witnesses Stare & Muck
 No. Stare & Muck's Street,
Smith & Shamp
 No. Stare & Muck's Street,
Stare
 No. _____ Street,
 \$ 500 to answer
Stare

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 _____ 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 May 22 1883 Andrew White Police Justice.

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

Dated May 22 1883 Andrew White Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188_____ Police Justice.

0113

Sec. 196-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1st District Police Court.

Isaac 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.

Isaac Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

This City

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

Answer.

118 Ridge St & about 3 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Procer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge

Isaac Smith

Taken before me this
day of *Nov* 188*4*

[Signature]
Police Justice.

0114

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Ridge/AT
7-10

0115

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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0116

City and County of New York, ss.

Police Court 1st District.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Isaac Smith

On Complaint of

Abraham Stambing

For

his lottery law

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby waive a trial by Jury, on this complaint, and demand a trial at the **COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE**, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated May 22 1883

Henry [Signature]

POLICE JUSTICE.

Isaac Smith

0117

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

Abraham Stranberg
of No. 208 East 7th Street,
22 years old. Street cutter
Being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 22 day of
May 1888 at No. 118 Ridge
Street, in the City and County of New York,

Isaac Smith now present
Register and
did unlawfully and feloniously sell and vend to

deponent for sixteen cents
Numbers
& certain ~~papers~~ and ~~documents~~ the same being what is commonly known as,
Numbers
and is called & Lottery Policy, and which said Lottery Policy, ~~is~~ ~~is~~ ~~is~~
is as follows, that is to say: 3 11 45 3 3
the same as are hereto annexed

That deponent saw said Isaac Smith
and register said Numbers in a book kept
for the purpose of registering Lottery Policies
in violation of the statute in such case made & provided

Wherefore deponent prays that the said Isaac Smith
may be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this
day of May 1888

Abraham Stranberg

[Signature]
Police Justice.

0118

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1136

DESCRIPTION:

Smith, James

DATE:

06/12/83



1136

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0119

No 721

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed, 12 day of June 1883

Pleas Not guilty (13)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Smith

Assault in the First Degree

(217 and 218)

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

In New York

and acquitted

A TRUE BILL.

James J. Glavin

Foreman.

Proff

Arce (111)

218 83rd St

213

0120

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 Smith

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

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

The said *James Smith*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fifth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Vincent Bruno* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *kill* the said *Vincent Bruno* with a certain *pair of scissors* which the said *James Smith*

being such in *his* right hand then and there had and held, ~~the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon~~ *and force as were used to produce the death of the said Vincent Bruno* willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with the same intent ~~the said Vincent Bruno~~ 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 Smith

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

The said *James Smith*, 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 *Vincent Bruno* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *kill* the said *Vincent Bruno* with a certain *pair of scissors* which the said *James Smith*

~~the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm~~ in *his* right hand then and there feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound ~~the said Vincent Bruno~~ *thereby the said Vincent Bruno* ~~the arm of the said Vincent Bruno~~ *against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.*

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0121

Police Court 5 District. 485

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Samuel Baum
1909 No. 3^d St.

James Smith

Offence Fel A and B

Dated June 5 1883

H. Murray Magistrate.
Edw. Robertson Officer.

23 Precinct.

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



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

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

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

Dated June 5 1883 Harry Murray Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0122

Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

James 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. *James Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *3rd ave 105th St 7 mo's*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shoemaker*

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

Answer. *I did not do it*

Refused to sign his name

Taken before me this

5

day of

June 1888

Wm W. ...
Police Justice.

0123

Police Court— 5th District.

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

Vincent Bruno

of No. 1909 Third Avenue Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Tuesday the 5th day of June
in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James Smith
(known here) who maliciously cut and
stabbed deponent on the arm
with a pair of scissors then and
there held in the hand of said
Smith cutting him severely
& deponent further says that previous
to him cutting him with the scissors
that he cut him on the pantaloons
and coat with a knife then and
there held in the hand of said
Smith. Deponent says that said
act was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 5th day
of June 1883 }

his
Vincent Bruno
marks

[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

0124

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1136

DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Joseph

DATE:

06/19/83



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1136

DESCRIPTION:

Sullivan, John

DATE:

06/19/83



1136

Ex-apprecian
+ mpt. m...
Agts joint app...
Ch. guard

June 26/83.
A. 2.
Pleas. G. 2nd
Mary Jones.

May 1

Counsel, E.C.P. for No. 1
Filed 19 day of June 1883
Pleas 2nd July 25.
C. J. Gully (Co)

THE PEOPLE
17
John Sullivan
Joseph Smith
Grand Larceny in the first degree.
INDICTMENT.
(528 and 530)

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney
A True Bill.
John McKee

June 26/83.

No. 1.
Foreman.
David J. Conwell, of
Grand Jury 2. degree
(over)

0126

0127

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Joseph Smith and
John Sullivan*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Joseph Smith and John Sullivan* of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *first* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Joseph Smith and John Sullivan* late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~twentieth~~ day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~two~~ *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *in the night time of said day, one watch of the value of eight dollars*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0128

Police Court 39498
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Buckholz
239 Broadway
Joseph Smith
John Patterson

Offence Larceny
from person

Dated June 13 1883

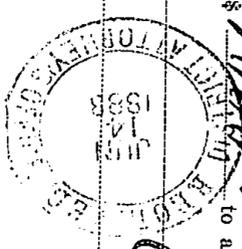
William Magistrate.
Hughes 10th Officer.

Wm H. Hughes Clerk.

Witnesses,
10 West 10th

No. _____ Street,

No. 100 Huber St Street,
to answer Ernst



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 Joseph Smith

and John Patterson guilty thereof, I order that each he be held to answer the same and they 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 June 13 1883 J. M. Dawson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0129

Sec. 198-200.

Third District Police Court.

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 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.

John Sullivan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

16 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

42 Roosevelt St. 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Errand Boy

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. That is all I have to say. I did not have the watch.

John Sullivan
ma

Taken before me this

day of

June

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John Sullivan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

Paul District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph 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.

Joseph Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

20 Madison St. about 2 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

I work on an Express Wagon

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. That is all I have to say. Joseph Smith

Taken before me this

Day of

June

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William P. ...

Police Justice.

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3 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. *239 Bowery* Street, *Bar Enders*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *12* day of *June* 188 *3*

at the *Night time in the* City of New York,

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

of deponent. *and from deponents person*

the following property, viz :

One Gold Watch of the value of light dollars

Sworn to before me this

day of

the property of *deponent*

and that this deponent

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

Joseph Smith and John Sullivan, both now here, from the fact that about the hour of 8 o'clock P. M. of said day deponent stood in the Bowery near Grand Street and said watch was there contained in the left pocket of the vest then worn upon deponents person, and was fastened to said vest by a chain. That said deponents stood together close to deponent, and deponent felt said chain drop down

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and looking discovered that the
 said watch had been taken out
 of said pocket. That deponent then
 saw the defendant Smith with
 said watch in his hand. That
 deponent followed said defendants
 who went up the B overy in
 Company together and went into
 Miners Theater. That deponent
 and officer Hughes followed said
 defendants into the gallery of
 said theater and found them
 sitting in company together
 and found said stolen watch
 in the possession of said Smith
 Sworn to before me this } John Buchholz
 13 day of June 1883 }
 J. B. Dawson }
 Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Testimony in the
case of
Joseph Smith

filed June
1883.

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The People
Joseph Smith
Jointly indicted with John Sullivan for grand larceny

Court of General Sessions. Part I
Before Recorder Smythe. June 26. 1883

John Buckholz, sworn and examined testified as follows. Q. Mr. Buckholz, where do you live? A. No 239 Bowery. What is your business? A. Bar tender. Did you lose any property upon the 12th of June 1883 this month? A. No. Did you lose a watch? A. Yes sir. Was it in the day or the night time? A. It was in the night. By the Court. You lost a watch did you? A. Yes sir. What kind of a watch? A. I do not know what kind of a watch. Was it brass, gold or silver? A. It was no silver, no gold. I paid eight dollars for it. What time did you lose it in the night time? A. Eight o'clock. By Mr. O'Byrne. Do you know Joseph Smith here, this young man? A. I do not know him before. You know him now don't you? A. Yes sir. Where were you and when was it taken, go on and tell us? A. I was standing on the Bowery looking in a store near Grand St. I was standing there about a couple of minutes and a man told me something; then I went to walk away, then the chain dropped on my hand, then I seen Joseph Smith having my watch in his hand. Did

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you follow him up? He ran across the street two blocks and got on the other side and he went into Miner's theatre, he walked up stairs. I go across the street, I saw a policeman and told him he told me he could not go; he told me to go over to the other side, I found another policeman on the corner and I told him; so he walked up stairs with me. Smith walked away as soon as I felt the chain drop on my hand; he was standing close by at the time; he ran across the Bowery on the other side. I did not run after him, I walked up on the other side and he walked up on the other side. Was it light over there, did you see him? Yes sir there did he go? Then he walked up about two blocks, came across over to me and walked in Miner's theatre. I went into the theatre with the policeman and pointed the prisoner out and he was arrested. Was your watch found? The policeman found the watch on that man; the prisoner chucked the watch away about twelve feet, and the policeman told me to pick the watch up and I picked it up while he was in the theatre. We were both taken to the station house.

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William H. Hughes, sworn and examined testified as follows: Byella O'Byrne. Officer Hughes, you belong to the South precinct? Yes sir. Do you know the defendant Smith here? I saw him the night of the 12th. Did you arrest him in Harry Miner's theatre? Yes sir. Did you find any property upon him? A watch. Where is it? In the property clerk's office ^{in the County}. Was that watch identified by the complainant as his watch? Yes sir. By Mr O'Byrne. Smith was the one pointed out to you as the person that stole the watch? Yes sir. By the Court. Did he throw it away in your presence? When we went up to the theatre I sent this man down to the front block up and see if he could identify him. He said he came up there looking at the watch. He sat on the end of the passage way, I looked over his shoulder, he had his coat off and thrown over his knee; he was showing the watch to Sullivan the time I reached my hand and he 'seen' the hand coming. As soon as he saw me he threw the watch about twelve feet along the seat. I held on to the prisoner and I sent Bucholtz to pick up the watch; he picked

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up the watch. I said, "Is that your watch?" He said, "yes". I asked the "peace keeper" in the theatre to take Sullivan down stairs. I took this Smith, I got another officer and I took both to the station house. This was about 8 o'clock at night, it was after sunset. Joseph Smith, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified as follows. How old are you? Seventeen years old. Where do you live? No 30 Madison St. With whom do you live? With my mother and father. What do you do for a living? I give out catalogues. For whom have you been working? George Morarty. Where is that? No 163 Chatham st. Did you take this man's watch? No sir, I did not take his watch. I had it in my hand. He and this fellow started to go to the theatre - this boy that is arrested, Sullivan, and as we were going up he told me to wait on the corner of the street. I waited for him, he told me he had a watch. I asked him to let me look at it. He would not do it; he said, "Wait until I get to the theatre." The officer came in and found me there. That is all I have got to say. I did not have the watch in my hand only in the theatre. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree.

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Day of Trial,
Counsel,

Filed, 19 day of June 1883
Pleads *Not Guilty*

Assault in the First Degree, etc. (217 217)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

J
Joseph Smith
(2 cases)

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

In June 26/83
Admitted to Bar, Utah.

A TRUE BILL,

John J. Green

Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Joseph Smith

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

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

The said *Joseph Smith*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~thirteenth~~ day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Charles S. Kerrel* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ~~kill~~ the said *Charles S. Kerrel* with a certain *knife* which the said *Joseph Smith*

in ~~his~~ right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent ~~to kill~~ the said *Charles S. Kerrel* 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

Joseph Smith

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

The said *Joseph Smith*

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 *Charles S. Kerrel* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault and ~~kill~~ the said *Charles S. Kerrel* with a certain ~~knife~~ which the said

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

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

~~JOHN McKEON, District Attorney~~

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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~~

Grand Jury:

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

Joseph Smith

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the Second Degree*

committed as follows:

The said *Joseph Smith*

late of the City and County of New York, on the *thirteenth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms feloniously made an assault in and upon one *Charles L. Dessel*

~~then and there being a~~ ~~of the Municipal Police of the City~~
~~New York, and as such~~ being then and there engaged in the lawful *apprehension* of the said *Joseph Smith* for a *burglary*

and the said *Charles L. Dessel* - him, the said *Joseph Smith*, with a certain *knife*, which he the said *Joseph Smith* in his right hand ~~then~~ ~~and there had and held~~, then and there feloniously did ^{stab, cut,} beat, strike, wound and otherwise ill-treat, with intent then and there to prevent and resist the lawful *apprehension* of ~~himself~~ as aforesaid, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

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*Edison road
June 15*

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

*Charles A. Reed
39 E. 110 St.*

Joseph Smith

Offence *Peunio
Assault & Battery*

Dated *June 13th* 188 *3*

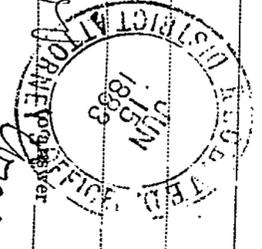
J. M. Vermon
Magistrate.

L. Park
Officer.

Witnesses *John Roberts*

No. *211 East 111th*
Street.

No. _____
Street _____
No. _____
Street _____
\$ *100*
Street _____



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

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

Dated *June 13* 188 *3* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

✓ District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph 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. *Joseph Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *342 East 49th Street. One year*

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 of stabbing the complainant -

Joseph. Smith

Taken before me this

13

day of

June

Police Justice

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Police Court— 1st District.

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

Charles L. Kessel aged 23 years

of No. 39 East 110th Street,

a Liquor dealer

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Wednesday the 13th day of June

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

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Joseph Smith (now present)
who did willfully and
feloniously cut and stab deponent
on the left side of deponents body
with a knife then and then held
in the hand of him said Smith.

That about the hour
of 12.15 ^{o'clock} P.M. deponent was informed
that there were robbers in the
premises 63 East 111th Street. deponent
went out of his premises and saw
the said Smith and another person
running away. deponent pursued
them and caught hold of said Smith
who then cut and stabbed
deponent as aforesaid. deponent
has reason to believe that said
Smith did so assault deponent

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 13th day
of June 1883
[Signature]
Police JUSTICE.

Charles L. Kessel

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Country of Good Hope
The People etc

April

Reviews &

Smith

Effects of character
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City & County of New York

Marcus Kramer being duly sworn says that he carries on business at the South East corner of 57th Street and 1st Avenue, that he has known John Jennings otherwise called Smith for four months last past that said John Jennings' partner in business has withdrawn about one month since and since that time he has been carrying on business as usual and has been carrying on business as usual for the past four months.

Given to before me
this 18th Dec. of June 1883

[Signature] Marcus Kramer
[Signature]

