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DESCRIPTION:

Forgotston, Joseph

DATE:

01/26/82



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Remanded to
County Jail
for business.
Jury sworn
at 10:30 AM
Robt. Smith
Jury sworn
at 10:30 AM

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Monday
Day of Trial,
Counsel,
Filed 26 day of May 1882
Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Joseph A. Fitzgerald
LARCENY AND RECEIVING
STOLEN GOODS.

John McKeon,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Gustav
Foreman.
D. Meade, Deputy
Feb 1/82

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Rudolph Brach

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss

of No. *199 Church*

Street.

34 years old Clerk

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *7* day of *January* 188*2*

at the *City of New York,*

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

of deponent, *from said premises in the day time*

the following property, viz:

*three table covers
of the value six dollars
& ninety cents*

the property of

*August Levy & his Copartner
Levy & in deponents charge
as Clerk*

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 A. Ferguson* now

*present, because the property which
deponent identifies was found in
his possession by Officer McGuire*

Rudolph Brach

*City and County of New York ss
James McGuire of the City and County of New York
sworn says that he found the property in
the defendants possession in a pawn office
in the Bowery where he was endeavoring to
get a loan on it*

James McGuire

Sworn before me this 7th day of January 1882
John J. Smith
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

First DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Joseph A. Longoton

Taken before me, this

day of

188

Salon B. Smith
Police Justice.

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BAILED,

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

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edith A. Welch
199 Church St.
Joseph A. Forzotton
Offence, *Larceny*

Dated *Jan 22* 188

James McEwen Magistrate.
Clerk.

Witnesses *Call the Officer*
No. _____
Street, _____

No. _____
Street, _____
No. _____
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

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

Dated *Jan 22* 188 *John B. Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 203, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Rudolph Brach
199 Church St.

Joseph H. Ferguson

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses.

No.

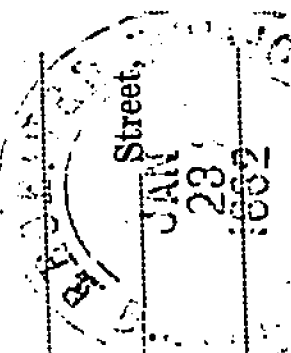
Street,

No.

Street,

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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 H. Ferguson* guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Five* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *January 23* 188

I have admitted the above named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 188

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph A. Forgetston

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

of the CRIME OF LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

Joseph A. Forgetston

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

*Three table-covers of the value of two
dollars and thirty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

August Leog

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

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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
Joseph A. Forgetston
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Joseph A. Forgetston*
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the
year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*Three table-covers of the value of two
dollars and thirty cents each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *August Levy*
by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

August Levy
unlawfully, unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Francis, George

DATE:

01/05/82



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Sept 22

Counsel, *Levy*
ed day of Jan 1882
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

vs.

George Francis

George Francis
DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.

Wm. H. H. H.
Dist. Atty.
Pro May 12, 1882
Ind. & Convicted G.C.
A True Bill.

5 P. 3 year.

Wm. H. H. H.
Foreman.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 53 Chambers -

Street,

New Dealers

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 19th day of December 1881

at the Corner of Nassau & Spruce Streets City of New York,

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

of deponent, in the night time

the following property, viz:

One Horse Wagon and Harness.
 Together of the value of Three Hundred dollars.
 A Quantity of Newspapers of the value of Three
 dollars and Sixty Eight Cents in all of the
 value of Three hundred and Three & 1/100 dollars

the property of

The United States News Company
 and deponent

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

from the fact that deponent left the said
 property standing in the corner of Nassau
 and Spruce Streets while deponent went
 into the Tribune Newspaper Office. Deponent
 was absent about three minutes and on returning
 discovered that the said property had been taken
 stolen and carried away. Deponent is informed
 by William Castle that he found the said
 Francis selling a quantity of Times Newspapers.

Signed before me on this

day of

1881

By me Justice

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in front of the premises No. 1269 Broadway
Branch Office of the New York Times Newspaper.
at less than the cash price of the papers. and
on being asked where he got them the said
Francis replied to the said William Kastell
I got them inside meaning the branch
office. Deponent is further informed by the
said William Kastell that he is the only person
in said branch office who delivers the papers
and that the said Francis did not receive
any papers from the said Kastell.

Deponent found the Horse Wagon and
Harness on the corner of 33rd Street and
Sixth Avenue tied to a Lamp post which
is only one block from where the said Francis
was selling the said papers.

Born to be free me
this 20th day of December 1881 } John Marshman
Solomon Smith
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

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Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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FORM 10.

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

William Castell aged 30.
of No. 169 Concord Street Brooklyn, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the _____ day of _____ 188 _____ at the City of
New York, in the County of New York,

He has heard read the
 foregoing affidavits and that the
 facts stated therein in information
 by deponents are true of deponents own
 knowledge.

H. Castell

Sworn before me, this

12th

day

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Police Justice.

Solomon Smith

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Sec. 198-200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. George Francis

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 254 Grand Street 4 Years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. News Dealer.

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

Answer. I am not guilty -

Taken before me, this 20

day of December 1888

George Francis

Seoul B. Smith
Police Justice.

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BAILLED,

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

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

OF THE COMPLAINT OF

John M. Williams
355 Chambers St
George Francisco

Offence

Grand Larceny

Dated *December 20th*, 188*1*

Smith

Magistrate.

Goethals

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No. *243* *Minnic Ct*

Street,

William Coats

No. *169* *Monmouth St*

Street,

Robertlynn

No. _____

Street.

DEC
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1881

If 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 ^{held to answer the case} be admitted to bail in the sum of _____ Hundred Dollars _____ and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *Dec 20th*, 188*1*

Robert B. Smith
Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____, 188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____, 188

Police Justice.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Marshburn
55 Chambers St
George Francisco

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street,

No. 2, by

Residence Street,

No. 3, by

Residence Street,

No. 4, by

Residence Street,

Dated December 20th 1881

Smith Magistrate.

Posthoff Officer.

29th Clerk.

Witnesses
James Stifford

No. *243* Street,

William Castle

No. *169* Street,

Concord St

No. *DEC 23 1881* Street.

Callahan

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 admitted to bail in the sum of _____ Hundred Dollars and be com-

mitted to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

George Francisco
Dec 20th 1881

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

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

George Francis
of the crime of
Ransomy
committed as follows:
The said

George Francis

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

One horse of the value of two hundred dollars.
One wagon of the value of seventy-five dollars.
One set of harness of the value of twenty-five dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

John Mersheimer

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

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

George Francis
of the CRIME OF *Receiving Stolen Goods*
committed as follows:
The said

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

*One horse of the value of two hundred
dollars*

*One wagon of the value of seventy-five
dollars*

*One set of harness of the value of twenty-
five dollars.*

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

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

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

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

~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS~~

~~DEPT. OF JUSTICE~~

John McKee
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Frande, Conrad

DATE:

01/17/82



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Day of Trial
Counsel, *M. H. L.*
Filed *17* day of *Aug* 1882
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
BURGLARY—Third Degree, and
Receiving Stolen Goods.

Edward Frank.

John M. Stern.
District Attorney.
Frank K. Phillips,
Aug 20/82

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A True Bill.

G. J. Lamm Foreman
James K. Lamm
James K. Lamm
James K. Lamm
James K. Lamm

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Received twenty ^{6.00} ^{Cur} Dollars (\$20) for four
Steel Formtrunks from
le. le. Aronde New York
James Smith

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**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL
DOCUMENT(S)**

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Look for Miss. N^o 8 Ave 1st

by order of Judge's order

Jan 9/82

Board from Hebo-Kear
John Martens - 134 Missions
in camp of mission, 4 for turn
of N^o 307 Grant of \$150
Morris, Ciccanan
N^o 47 Hebo & 76 Esch
H/2 H/2. Jan 9, 82

Exposed March. From
N^o 76 Indlow or - took
from H. or to B & M. from there
to Indlow, then ask him to
keep ~~mountain~~ because but
ask for the same
Pup was left in 76 Indlow
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Samuel F. F. F.

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The People
 vs. Conrad Hauke
 Indictment for burglary in the Third degree and
 receiving stolen goods.

Court of General Sessions. Part I
 Before Recorder Smythe. Jan. 25. 1882

John C. Martens, sworn
 and examined testified. I live at 134 Division
 St.; my factory is 373 Grand St.; on the 8th of
 this month I occupied the basement for a
 soda water factory; it is in the 10th ward.
 I secured my place on the 7th, Saturday night;
 it was fastened with two keys which locked
 both doors, which are in Norfolk St. I locked
 up between six and seven o'clock. I was laid
 up with rheumatism and I did not go to
 the factory until Monday about 8 o'clock in
 the morning. I have got soda fountains in
 my factory. I missed four soda water
 fountains. I have got them now in my pos-
 session; they were found in 76 Ludlow St. in
 the yard between 9 and 10 o'clock on
 Monday morning. I met a man by the
 name of Leopold Friend accidentally and
 he told me there was some fountains for
 sale. I went to that place and found it was
 my own property. I know the prisoner since
 last summer; he came to my place
 three or four times last summer; he only
 came to look around. I make soda water
 there wholesale. The prisoner did not come

there to buy soda water. There were no marks
 on the door, I looked to see, I missed the
 fountains right away because they were
 kept near the door, the only way of getting
 those fountains out was through the doors.
 Cross Examined. The fountains weigh about
 forty pounds each, I could carry two of
 them. To the best of my belief I was the last
 person in the factory on Saturday night. I
 have not a large number of men working
 for me. I had nobody with me in that place
 on Saturday night. I did not leave any one
 there when I went out of it on that night.
 Morris Eismann, sworn and exam-
 ined testified. I live at 18 Essex St. but
 work at 26 Essex St. I am a bar keeper at
 26 Essex St.; it is a saloon there. I saw the
 prisoner the morning he came and left
 the fountains, I believe it was Monday morn-
 ing; he came in and told me to give
 him a drink; I gave him a drink and
 he asked me whether I would oblige him
 to leave the fountains in his place. I says,
 I will accommodate you, you shall leave
 them there a few minutes; he left four
 fountains there; that was about four or
 half past four in the morning; he did
 not come back; he said he was going

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to send an expressman for them somewhere around seven o'clock, and so he did; the expressman is here in Court. The fountains were painted blue, round fountains about two feet in diameter; they were empty. Mr. Horn came for them about seven o'clock and carried them off. Cross Examined. I don't know who the fountains belong to, I have seen lots of fountains like them. It was dark when the prisoner came for the fountains; we do not keep open all night. There was no one with the prisoner when he came; he was alone; I put the fountains in the corner. Michael Horn sworn and examined testified. I am in the express business, I know the prisoner; he sent me to a liquor saloon 26 Essex St. on Monday the 9th of the month between 7 and 8 o'clock; he came to my house and told me that I shall go immediately with my wagon there to Wolf's liquor store corner of Essex and Bester Sts; he only told me to take four soda water fountains to the corner of Bayard and Mott Sts. and there he will wait for me; the bar keeper in the place showed me four fountains standing there in the store. I took them and put them on my wagon and took them to the corner of Bayard

and Mott St., and there was a gentleman there, (the prisoner); he told me to take the fountains from my wagon and put them on the sidewalk. I did so; then a gentleman came and commenced to talk with him; then he (the prisoner) told me to take the fountains again on my wagon and take them home to my place where I live and he will come there with a gentleman soon and he will take them away from there; my home is 76 Ludlow St. When I brought these fountains to my home the prisoner was already there alone. I left the fountains on the wagon because I did not have my breakfast and I went up to get my breakfast. In the mean time I was looking through the window and I saw him standing with a gentleman near the wagon and talking. Then he came down and he asked me if I could not keep those fountains for a couple of hours, I said, "I have no place to put them. He said, "You might put them in the yard for a short time." He put the fountains himself in the yard of 76 Ludlow St.; he carried them into the yard. I don't know who the man was who was talking with the prisoner at the corner of Mott and Bayard sts.

Then Mr. Martens came, I saw him, I talked
 with him and he took the fountains.
 Conrad Fraude, sworn and examined in
his own behalf testified. I am 42 years old,
 I live in Hudson ave. Hoboken. In the last
 year I am an agent in the soda water bus-
 iness, I sell and buy apparatus and I get
 commissions. I know the complainant; we
 were engaged together one time in selling
 an apparatus. I have been to his place and
 I have given him some receipts for soda
 water and root beer; he bought them from
 me. I did not break into his place on the
 8th of the month or at any other time. I did
 not enter his place by false keys. I am
 the person who left the four soda water fount-
 ains at the liquor store with the young
 man and I employed the expressman
 to take them away from there. I got the
 fountains from Charles Mahan; he lived
 at that time in Steuben st. Jersey city;
 it was in the summer time. I bought a
 lot of them apparatus, old soda water ap-
 paratus and sold them afterwards. I am
 well known around by soda water men.
 It was Saturday this Mahan met me in
 the Cosmopolitan and asked me if I
 would buy some fountains. At that time

I said, "perhaps I will buy them, and went
 around to Mr. Friend and asked him
 how much the soda fountains were worth,
 what they would pay for old fountains?
 He said, when they are in good order ten
 dollars a piece is as much as he would
 pay for them. I told him I will take them.
 I told him to come tomorrow about five o'clock
 and he could pay the milkman with the
 wagon; but he came already; he was waiting
 for me; the liquor saloon was closed at
 the time. When they opened I went in and
 asked the man to keep the fountains till
 I could get an expressman. Then I went
 to Friend's and told him I have got four
 soda water fountains and asked him what he would
 give for them? He came along and looked
 at the fountains. I did not know the foun-
 tains were stolen. Marten's place is corner
 of Grand and Norfolk sts.; the expressman
 I got lived three or four blocks from there
 I went to this expressman because I knew
 him. Cross Examined. I concluded the bar-
 gain with Mahan for the purchase of the
 fountains on Saturday at the Cosmopolitan
 Cafe at 1 1/2 Second Ave. He sent them
 with a milkman to this place corner of
 Essex and West St. this liquor saloon.

Mahan ^{me} told ~~you~~ it was most convenient to leave
 them at 26 Essex St. as the milkman pass-
 ed there and went in to get a drink. Mahan
 told me that the fountains came from Yonkers,
 that a place had sold out, he had old fount-
 ains and apparatus there, and he said
 he would get a milkman to take them
 from Yonkers to New York, I was to pay the
 milkman, I paid him twenty dollars; that
 is a pretty big price for old fountains;
 they were not worth more than ten dollars
 a piece. The milkman waited there for me,
 I came a little late, I got them from him
 about five o'clock at the corner of Essex and
 Hester Sts. I made Marten's acquaintance
 last February, I was introduced to him by Mr.
 Friend, who keeps a soda water manufactory.
 I tried to sell him a copper apparatus
 and afterwards I sold him a receipt to
 make root beer. What were you doing at
 4 1/2 o'clock in the morning when you
 went to the corner of Essex St. and took
 that drink there and left the fountains
 with the barkeeper? I came over from
 Hoboken for that purpose. It was about
 four o'clock when I came over the ferry,
 I live at 215 Hudson Ave. and have
 lived there since last October. I got up

at 3 o'clock and went from Hoboken to New York. I went and had a cup of coffee; the milk man is not in court. I was at Jacob's place a 1/4 to 7 and then I went to Horn's place, the expressman. I did not say to the officer who arrested me that I bought the fountains from James Smith. I showed him the receipt now shown to me: "Yonkers, Jan. 9. 1882. Received twenty dollars for four steal fountains from C. C. Hund. New York. James Smith." The officer asked me after that to write my name. Putting the writings together, didn't he then tell you that you yourself had written this receipt and didn't you admit that you had? Yes sir. I was told the fountains were from Yonkers. Charles Mahan asked me where the fountains came from. Mr. Hund told me I could not sell the fountains if I had not a receipt; therefore I thought it was no difference when I had bought the fountains I knew this man. I put it myself on the receipt. Frank J. Fuchs sworn. I am an officer, I arrested the ~~prisoner~~ ^{prisoner}; he produced the receipt of James Smith, I required him to write his name, I put them together and he admitted that he had written them himself. I asked him who Smith was and where he lived. He did not want

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to tell me. Once he said in Jersey City
and then in New York.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty
of receiving stolen goods.

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Testimony in the case
of
Samuel Grande
filed Jan. 1892.

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Police Office. Third District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,Soda Water Manufacturing at 44 West of 4th
No. 373 Grand Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 373 Grand

Street, 10 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling House
The Basement thereof of Soda Water
and which was occupied by deponent as a factory of Soda Waterwere **BURGLARIOUSLY**entered by means forcibly opening the lock with false
Keys on the door leading to said Basementon the 15th of the 8th day of January 1888,
and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..Four Soda Water Fountains of the value
of one hundred and fifty dollars

the property of deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

Conrad Franke (now here)

for the reasons following, to-wit: Deponent is informed by
Morris Eisman of 26 Essex Street
that said Conrad brought the aforesaid
property to the Saloon 26 Essex Street
at the hour of about 4 1/2 o'clock
this a. m. and requested said Eisman
who is the Barkeeper of said Saloon
to keep said property for him until

he would send an Expressman for the same, and said Eisenman did keep said property for said Conrad as he was requested.

Deponent is further informed by Michael Horn of No 46 Ludlow Street that he is an Expressman, and that on the 9th day of January, 1882, at the hour of about 4 o'clock a.m., he was engaged by Conrad Fraude (nowhere) to take four Fountains from the Lyons Store No 26 Essex Street and bring the same to the corner of Bayard and Pratt Street, and from the further reason, Deponent is informed by Leopold Freund of No 93 Delancey Street, that said Conrad offered said Fountains for sale to said Freund, for the sum of seven ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ dollars ~~a piece~~ each.

Sworn to before me this
9th day of January 1882
Michael Eisenman
John B. Hartens
Notary Public

City & County of New York 353

Armen Eschman of No 26 Essex Street being duly sworn says that he is 17 years of age a barkeeper at No 26 Essex Street that he heard read the affidavit of John C Martin and knows the contents thereof that the portion therein stated and referring to deponent is true to deponents own knowledge

Sworn to before me this 9th day of January 1882
 Michael Eschman
 Police Justice

City & County of New York 353

Michael Horn 44 years of age an Expressman residing at No 76 Ludlow Street being duly sworn deposes and says that he heard read the affidavit of John C Martin and knows the contents thereof that the portion therein stated and referring to deponent is true to deponents own knowledge

Sworn to before me this 9th day of January 1882
 Michael Horn
 Police Justice

City & County of New York 353

Leopold Freund 42 years of age a Soda Water Manufacturer of No 249 Bomey being duly sworn deposes and says he heard read the affidavit of John C Martin and knows the contents thereof that the portion therein stated and referring to deponent is true to deponents own knowledge

Sworn to before me this 9th day of January 1882
 Leopold Freund
 Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Leonard Grande 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. Leonard Grande

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 42 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. Hudson Avenue Hoboken 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Druggist

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 bought the foundations for 20 dollars
and I want to see them

Taken before me, this 9

day of January 1888

Mervin Ottobury

Police Justice.

Leonard Grande

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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, _____

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court

3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John C. Stanton
373 & Broadway
Conrad Franck

Offence, Burglary &
Grand Larceny

Dated

January 9
1882
William C. Stanton
Magistrate.
Franklin
Officer.

Witnesses

No. _____
Street _____
No. _____
Street _____
No. _____
Street _____

Committed to care of

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 *Conrad Franck*

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~one hundred Dollars~~ and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *January 9* 1882 *William C. Stanton* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John C. Martin

373 Grand
Commod Maude

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 9. by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Date:

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witnesses

No.

Street,

No.

treet,

No

street.

Committed to care *GS*

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 Domènec Ferrer

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of \$10,000, to be paid by the defendant, and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until such further order as the Court may make.

Police Justice.

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

Police Justice.

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

Police Justice.

Dated-----188

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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,

Conrad Franke against

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

Conrad Franke

Of the crime of

Burglary

committed as follows:

The said

Conrad Franke

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the *eighth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~ *two* with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the *factory* of

John C. Martens

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

John C. Martens

then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*Four fountains (of the Kind Commonly
called Soda water fountains) of the value
of thirty-seven dollars and fifty Cents
each*

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

John C. Martens

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

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

Conrad Grande
of the CRIME OF *Receiving Stolen Goods.*
committed as follows:
The said *Conrad Grande*

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

Four foantains (of the kind commonly called soda water foantains) of the value of thirty-seven ^{dollars} and ~~xxx~~ fifty cents each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

John C. Martens
Grand Jury
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from*

the said John C. Martens

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

Conrad Grande

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

John McKeon
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Freeman, Alexander

DATE:

01/17/82



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0061

State of New York - 2nd
City & County of New York - 4th
Adolphus W. Freeman, the claimant being duly sworn and on further Examination says: The pocket book (here shown) is the one claimed by Curran as his own - having been given to him by Freeman - After it was stolen I then next saw it in the room occupied by Freeman and persons (not here present). It was then handed by Curran to Officer Tucker who said to Officer Tucker "Here take this book and examine that and when he then handed the book to the Officer I stepped up and asked him (Curran) where he got the book from - His reply was = "I got that as a present from Freeman."

Cross Examination

I have known Freeman
about two months back that was
while in the employ of Doctor
Samuel White who lived in
the same house with me. I do
not know whether he was ever in before.

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to swear that it was after 11 o'clock
at night of the 8th day of December
1881. ^{that they were not} ~~that they were not~~ ^{and}
the living and living and it
continues for the first time
Eight years. ^{that it is very great for} ~~that it is very great for~~
that was my book even if you
should show me one in like
respects similar. I saw for the first
time this book last evening - after
its theft.

Markewitz

Shown to before me
January 7th 1882.

B. L. Morgan
Ohio Ind.

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Adolphus Markewitz
of No. *607 Lexington Avenue* Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that the premises No. *607 Lexington Avenue*
~~Street~~, *19* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a private house
and which was occupied by deponent as a *dwelling*

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of *forcibly and feloniously forcing*
open the window leading from said
Avenue into the parlor of said premises
on the *night* of the *8th* day of *December* 18*98*
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

one silver tray, tea and coffee pots, one
cream pitcher, sugar bowl, spoon bowl,
one punch bowl and ladle, one dozen
tea spoons, seven napkin rings, one
marble clock, one ornament, three cloth
overcoats, one black frock coat, one pair
of gloves - one memorandum book, one
poCKET book, all of the value of
Two Hundred and fifty dollars

the property of *deponent*
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed, and the aforesaid property taken, stolen
and carried away by *Alexander H. Freeman and*
Aaron J. Harris (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: *that previous to said*
Burglary the said window was partially
fastened, and at the time of the arrest
of said Freeman and Harris, deponent
saw taken from the parlor of said

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freeman by Officer Tooker of the 19th Precinct
Police, the pair of gloves and memorandum
book, (herin mentioned) which were in
the pocket of one of deponents coats
at the time of said Burglary, and
the pocket book herin mentioned
was also found on the person of
Said Aaron at the time of his Arsons
Arrest and which was in the pocket
of deponents Coat at the time of said
Burglary

Sworn to before me this 2nd day of January 1882 *Stephen Mackin*

R. I. Morgan
Police Justice

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

Police Court—Fourth District.

Jacob Troker

of ~~No~~ *the 19th Precinct Police* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the *6* day of *January* 18*82*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *deponent Arrested*

Alexander H. Freeman. And Aaron J. Arons
(both rowers) and at the time of said arrest
deponent found on the person of said Freeman
one pair of gloves and one memorandum book
and also found on the person of said Arons
a pocket book. all of which were in the
the pockets of the coats at the time of the
Burglary committed on ~~the~~ ^{the} premises of
Adolphus Markewitz at No. 607 Lexington Avenue
and said property was identified by
said Markewitz as his property
Jacob Troker

Sworn to before me, this

day

19th January
Edw. Morgan Police Justice
18*82*

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Sec. 198-200.

4 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Alexander H. Freeman 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 in the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Alexander H. Freeman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Newark New Jersey.

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

Answer.

160 East 49th St. and lived there the past 6 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

I am a Street Letter.

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 made against me. The two books (here shown) are found in my possession and the other in mine. I got in Chicago in the year 1888. These gloves (here shown) I bought in Baxter Street of this City. A. H. Freeman.

Taken before me, this

7th
day of January 1888

A. L. Morgan

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Arnon J. Arons 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. Arnon J. Arons

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Holland.

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

Answer.

160 East 49th Street. about six (6) weeks.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Upholsterer

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. The fact that has been testified to have given to him by his Co-defendants. Arnon J. Arons.

Taken before me, this

day of

January

1888

B. L. Morgan

Police Justice.

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

Sec. 205, 209, 210
Police Court, 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

19
Col. John T. Mearns
601 1st Avenue, New York

James J. Conner, P.
Magistrate

Offence, Burglary &
Grand Larceny

Dated January 7, 1882

W. J. Mearns, Magistrate.

Walter J. Mearns, Clerk.

Witnesses:
Jacob J. Mearns

No. 19, David Mearns

No. 19, John Mearns

No. 19, David Mearns

No. 19, David Mearns

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 Alexander H. Freeman and James J. Conner

guilty thereof, I order that the same be admitted to bail in the sum of One Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York to answer at the Court of General Sessions, or until he be legally discharged.

Dated January 7 1882

W. J. Mearns 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. 208, 209, 210

Police Court - District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Adolphus Mackay
1601 Lexington Ave

Alfred H. Mackay
Alfred H. Mackay

Street,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated January 19, 1882

R. L. Morgan Magistrate.

Walker & Co. Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses *Jacob Spitzer*

No. 19, *Barclay St.*

John W. Spitzer

No. 19, *Barclay St.*

No. *Commenced* Street.

Frank Johnson

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 *William J. Mackay*
William J. Mackay and *Adolphus Mackay* are guilty thereof, I order that they be committed to the City Prison to answer to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison within the time specified in the return to the Court.
Dated January 19, 1882

I have admitted the above named *William J. Mackay*
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

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

Dated *January 19, 1882*
Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Alexander H. Freeman

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

Alexander H. Freeman
of the CRIME OF *Burglary*

committed as follows:

The said

Alexander H. Freeman

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *eight* day of *December* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms,
about the hour of *eleven* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Adolphus Matkewitz

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of
forcibly *breaking open an outer window of said dwelling house*

he the said

Alexander H. Freeman

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

Adolphus Matkewitz

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and
there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of
the State of New York, and their dignity.

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

Alexander H. Freeman
of the CRIME OF *Larceny*

committed as follows:

The said

Alexander H. Freeman

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

One ~~silver~~ tray of the value of, twenty dollars
Two pots of the value of, ten dollars each
One pitcher of the value of, ten dollars
Three bowls of the value of, five dollars each
Twelve spoons of the value of, one dollar each
Seven napkin-rings of the value of, one dollar each
One clock of the value of, ten dollars
One ornament of the value of, six dollars
Three overcoats of the value of, forty dollars each
One coat of the value of, twenty dollars
Two gloves of the value of, four dollars each
One blank-book of the value of, one dollar
One pocketbook of the value of, one dollar

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Adolphus*

Markewitz in the said dwelling house of
the said *Adolphus Markewitz*

then and

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

~~DANIEL O'CONNOR~~

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

Alexander H. Freeman
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN Goods, committed as follows:

The said

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

One tray of the value of twenty dollars
Two pots of the value of ten dollars each
One pitcher of the value of ten dollars.
Three bowls of the value of five dollars each
Twelve spoons of the value of one dollar each
Seven napkin-rings of the value of one dollar each
One clock of the value of ten dollars
One ornament of the value of six dollars
Three overcoats of the value of forty dollars each
One coat of the value of twenty dollars.
Two gloves of the value of four dollars each.
One blank-book of the value of one dollar
One pocket-book of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

Adolph Markewitz
unlawfully, unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Alexander H. Freeman
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
~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS~~, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gould, John

DATE:

01/11/82



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Filed 11 day of Jan 1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Sued

WA

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS,~~

John McKee

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

G. S. Haver

Foreman.

1882

Done by B. B. F. c. e.

0876

"OFFICER DRUNK."

The complaint which Patrick Gould, of the Liberty street station made against Patrick Curran, in the Tombs Police Court yesterday was that the prisoner fired a shot from a revolver at him on the previous night while he was quietly doing patrol duty in Washington street. The prisoner was a laboring man of 35 years of age. His face was swollen and his head swathed in bandages, the edges of which were tinged with blood. Curran said that on Tuesday night he met the policeman and asked him where to seek respectable lodgings. Gould, he says, took him to a house on Washington street. He treated the policeman to a glass of whiskey, but refused to take him to the place as he did not like the looks. The two went out into the street and Gould became incensed at the prisoner for not bringing a bed upon his back. He struck him with his club, he struck Curran several blows about the head. The latter said that he seized the weapon and wrested it from the policeman's hand in self-defense. He was taken to the station house. The prisoner further charged that the officer was intoxicated at the time, and while they were on their way to court yesterday morning the policeman used abusive language and struck him. After examining the case carefully Justice Smith dismissed the prisoner and wrote the following comment on the back of the papers:—"Officer drunk at the time of making the complaint."

RICHARD J. REYNOLDS

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DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of the large brown stone building in Chambers Street, near the New Court-house in the Park.

When you arrive at the witness-room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GRAND JURY OF THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Patricia Curran*

of No.

Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the Park, in the City of New York, on the *Jan* day of *6*, instant, at the hour of 10½ in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and to give evidence before the GRAND JURY, touching a certain complaint then and there pending against

And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *Jan* in the year of our Lord 188 *9*
John Morison
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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

Form

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

of No. the 27th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the Night of the 3rd day of January 1882

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and

beaten by

Patrick Curran now present.

That said Curran did wilfully and maliciously point and aim a pistol loaded with powder & lead at deponent and fired and discharged said pistol ^{twice} while the same was so pointed and aimed at deponent

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said

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

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

Sworn to before me, this
day of January 1882
John J. Mulvey
Police Justice.

John J. Mulvey

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

First DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Patrick Cuman 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.

Patrick Cuman

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

33 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

Live in Washington Street I don't know the number

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer

I am not guilty. I had no pistol. I was clubbed and beaten by the officer who was drunk. I took his club from him to protect myself from injury. He struck me without provocation & would have injured me further had I not called another officer.

Taken before me, this

day of

January 188*2*

Patrick Cuman
(initialed)

Soloud Smith
Police Justice.

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Patrick Curran

Cannot be found.
Capt. West of the 27th Regiment
says he is a tramp.

John S. Stark
Notary Public

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court - 1st District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Stark

Patrick Curran

Offence

1st Assault
Battery

Dated

January 14

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

Witnesses
John Stark
Patrick Curran
at the time of
arresting said Curran

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 Patrick Curran

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Jan 14 188 2 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 Patrick Curran
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated Jan 4 188 2 John S. Stark Police Justice.

1887

Patricke Curran
Cannot be found.
Capt. Webb of the 27th Regiment
says he is a tramp.
John D. Leach
Subpoena Clerk

BAILED,

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

Sec. 203, 209, 210 & 212.
Police Court-- 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
John Gould
vs.
Patrick Curran

Offence *for assault*

Dated January 14 1887
Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of _____ Hundred Dollars and be com-

mitted to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

I have admitted the above named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 1887
Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named *Patrick Curran*

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

Dated *March 2* 1887
Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,



against

John Gould

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

John Gould

Battery

of the crime of

Assault and

committed as follows:

The said

John Gould

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *third* day of *January* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Patrick Curran*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully
did make an assault and *him* the said *Patrick Curran*
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the
said *Patrick Curran* and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

~~DANIEL G. ROLLINS,~~

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS,~~

John McKee
District Attorney.