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DESCRIPTION:

McDonald, Joseph

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of minutes to
Monday, for the
May 17th / 81

Counsel,
Filed 16 day of May 1881
Pleads

INDICTMENT Larceny from
the Person.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph M. Donald

DANIEL G. COLLINS,
BENJ. KEPPERS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Mr. Palmer
Foreman.
May 17. 1881

I am guilty.
E. A. M. M. S. P.
May 17 1881

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

House of Detention

August Lammie
of No. *Pateron (Puffing) Street*, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *10th* day of *May* 18*81*

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

the following property, viz: *One double case silver*
Watch

of the value of *Three* Dollars,
the property of *deponent*

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

Joseph McDonald.
(now here) for the reasons following to wit:
That deponent was standing on West
Street near Laight Street at about the
hour of 11 o'Clock A.M. of said day
when he was accosted by the accused
who asked deponent what time it was;
That deponent took his watch out of his
pocket for the purpose of giving said
McDonald the time when he, said
McDonald snatched said watch out of
deponent's hand and ran away.
That deponent was afterwards informed

Sworn to before me this
18
day of
Police Justice

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by officer O'Brien that he had arrested said M. Donald a few minutes thereafter in Washington Street near Laight Street and that at the time of said arrest said M. Donald was running and held in his hand placed in his coat pocket a silver watch, now here shown, and which deponent fully identifies as his personal property taken, stolen and carried away from his person as hereinbefore described. Sworn to before me this August 11th day of May 1881 } Lemmonier
John W. Wallace Police Justice.

City and County }
of New York } ss: &

Edward O'Brien an officer of the 5th Police Precinct being duly sworn deposes and says that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of August Lemmonier and so much thereof as relates to deponent is true of his own knowledge. Deponent further says that he saw Joseph M. Donald, the prisoner herein named, take, steal and carry away from the possession of said Lemmonier the watch herein described.

Sworn to before me this Edward O'Brien
11th day of May 1881 }
John W. Wallace Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Joseph McDonald being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer.

*I don't know anything
about it. I was intoxicated
last night. Joseph McDonald*

Taken before me this

John M. [Signature]

Police Justice.

day of

1881

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,
Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,
Address,

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

August Zimmerman
House of 20 Station, in
County of 100 Bail
vs.
Joseph W. Arnold

BAILED

No. 1, by
Residence,

No. 2, by
Residence,

No. 3, by
Residence,

No. 4, by
Residence,

No. 5, by
Residence,

No. 6, by
Residence,

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Dated *July 11* 1881

C. A. Plumb Magistrate.
C. Brown 5th Clerk.

Witnesses *Edward A. Brown*
Police Precinct

Received at Dist. Atty's office
ALBANY, N.Y. Sessions 1881
W. S. ...

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That *Joseph McDonald*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *twelfth* day of *May* 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 watch of the value of five
dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *August Lemornier*
on the person of said *August Lemornier* then and there being found,
from the person of said *August Lemornier* 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

THAT the said

Joseph Mc Donald

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 watch of the value of five
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

Joseph Mc Donald
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.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~; District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

McKenna, Thomas

DATE:

05/12/81



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Filed 12 day of May 1881

Pleas *John G. ...*

THE PEOPLE

vs. P

Thomas M. ...

Assault and Battery - Felonious.

David S. ...
BENJ. K. PHELPS

District Attorney.

Part in May 26, 1881
Pleas A.S.B.

A True Bill.

Pen one year

M. J. ...
Foreman.

May 16 -
Complimented by
that officer.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas McKeenna being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Thomas McKeenna*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *332 E 36 street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Driver*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what, relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Thomas McKeenna

Taken before me this

day of

1881

Police Justice

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Police Court—Fourth District.

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

Catherine Brown

of No. 331 East 32

Street,

on the 9 day of May 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Thomas McVenna
now present who discharged a pistol loaded
with powder and Ball at and towards
deponent saying "that he would shoot
deponent" deponent believes that he discharged
said pistol

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, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 10 day of May 1887

[Signature]

[Signature]
Police Justice.

Catherine ^{her} Brown
mark

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Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

ANDREW A. & H. FLENOYNS.

Catharine Brown
331 E 32nd St.

Thomas McConna

Dated May 10 1887

Murray Magistrate.

Lowell Officer.

Witness,

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MAY 10 1887
CLERK'S OFFICE
FOURTH DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon

their Oath, present:
That *Thomas M. Kennard*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *ninth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Catharine Brown*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *her* the said *Catharine Brown*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *Thomas M. Kennard*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, *did* then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *her* the said *Catharine Brown*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said *Thomas M. Kennard*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Catharine Brown*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *her* the said *Catharine Brown*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *Thomas M. Kennard*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, *did* then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *her* the said *Catharine Brown*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *Thomas M. Kenna*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Catharine Brown* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *her* the said *Catharine Brown* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said *Thomas M. Kenna* in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable ~~an~~ excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *her* the said *Catharine Brown*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *Thomas M. Kenna*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Catharine Brown* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an assault and to, at and against *her* the said *Catharine Brown* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said *Thomas M. Kenna* in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable ~~an~~ excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *her* the said *Catharine Brown*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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 G. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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McLoughlin, John

DATE:

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Remitted to me
and for Sept 8th 1881
John W. Laughlin
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J.W.

Day of Trial
Counsel,
Filed 12th day of May 1881
Pleads

John W. Laughlin
THE PEOPLE
vs
John W. Laughlin
BURGLARY—Third Degree, and
[Receiving Stolen Goods.]

John W. Laughlin

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
BY
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John W. Laughlin
Foreman
John W. Laughlin
James O. ...
John W. Laughlin
May 6/81

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County of New York, } ss.

Roger Potter

of No. 450 West 19th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that the premises No. 606 West 55th Street, 22 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being an office and which was occupied by deponent as an Office

entered by means of forcing of the screen from the window of said office and raising the sash

on the day of the 17 day of February 1871 and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

One Overcoat of the value of Fifteen 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 John McLaughlin, now present.

for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent detected defendant leaving the yard in which the office is located, with the coat in his possession. That deponent caught said defendant and recovered his coat. That defendant at that time escaped from deponent's custody. Roger Potter

sworn before me this 17th day of February 1871
 J. W. [Signature]
 Justice

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK

John McLaughlin being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John McLaughlin.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Eighteen years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *In New York City.*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *562 W 45th St.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *I work in a glass factory.*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what, relative to the
charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

John McLaughlin
mark

Robert L. ...
Taken before me this

day of

1887

Police Justice

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James H. Campbell

*562 West 49th St.
10 a.m.*

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Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE vs
THE COMPLAINT OF
Joseph S. Allen
450 W 49th St.
John McLaughlin

Officer Sargent

Says Sect. under

Sent to Pen. & Mort

Admitted =

Alco. & Beer 1.

*Mr. for. denying
on Recd. of Flat*

Real name

Marbley -

John M. Campbell

572 W. 49th

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Dated

7 Mar 1881

Magistrate.

M. J. Maguire

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

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MAY 1 1881
Clerk
John M. Campbell
Received in District

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PART I.

THE COURT-ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.

Bring this Subpoena 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.]

See Recorder Smyth

SUBPENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *John McLaughlin*
of No. *562 N 49th* 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 *16th* day of *May* instant, at the hour of ~~eleven~~ *10* in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

John McLaughlin
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 *May*, in the year of our Lord 1887

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, *District Attorney.*

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

John M. Loughlin

late of the *twenty second* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the *seventeenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty *one*. with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the *office* of

Roger Potter 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

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

*one overcoat of the value of fifteen
dollars.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Roger Potter*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *office* 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
THAT the said

John M. Roughlin

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 overcoat of the value of fifteen dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Roger Potter*

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 Roger Potter

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

John M. Roughlin

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 pro-~~
taken and carried away,
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
BENJAMIN C. SWEETES, District Attorney.

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McLoughlin, Robert

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Wm. L. Loring
Attorney at Law

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Counsel,

Filed 12 day of May 1881

Pleas

THE PEOPLE

vs.

INDICTMENT - *John* ~~Verdict~~ *from*
the Person.

John
W. L. Loring
Attorney at Law
for the People
DANIEL C. ROLLINS
BENJ. K. PHELPS

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. L. Loring
Foreman.
May 13. 1881
John
W. L. Loring
Attorney at Law
W. L. Loring
Attorney at Law

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

Form 112.

Police Court—First District.

of No. David Marks
63 Bayard Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 6th day of May 1887

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

person
the following property, viz: a silver watch with

plated chain attached - all

of the value of fifteen 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 Robert A. McCoughlan

now here for the reason that deponent
was sitting in front of his residence
when a person whom deponent is
informed is the prisoner approached
from behind and suddenly snatching
the chain pulled the watch from a
pocket of deponent's coat and ran
away pursued by deponent who
could not overtake him

David Marks
Marks

Sworn to, before me, this 18th day

McKenzie DeBorja
Police Justice.

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City and County
of New York ss

Jacob Burman of No 108
Bayard Street being sworn
says that he saw the prisoner
running through Mott Street
pursued by the Complainant
that defendant joined in the
chase and now identifies the
prisoner as the person whom
he saw pursued by the Complainant
after he discovered the loss of his
watch & chain

Jacob ^{sw} Burman
mark

Sworn to before me this
8th day of May 1881

William W. Hayward
Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Robert A. McCoughlan

being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Robert A. McCoughlan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

1107 Lewis Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Printer

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the
charge*

his
Robert A. McCoughlan
mat

Taken before me, this

24

day of *May* 18*87*

McCrean
Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Marks
63 Bayard St.
vs.
Robert A. McClellan

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

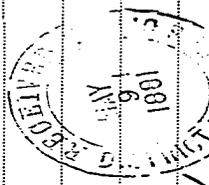
Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,



Dated *May 9* 18*91*

Anthony Magistrate.

Maher Officer.

14 Clerk.

Witnesses:

Jacob L. Burman
112 Bayard St.

\$ *2000* to answer
at *Search Sessions*

Received at Dist. Atty's office

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } RR.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present :

That *Robert A. McLaughlin*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *sixth* day of *May* 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 watch of the value of ten dollars
One chain of the value of five dollars

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

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
PHILIP C. PHILLIPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

McMahon, John

DATE:

05/24/81



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Nov 27 24
Counsel,
24-190

Filed 24 day May 1881
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Mahan

Indictment vs. Larceny.

David S. Atkins
~~Esq.~~
BENT. K. PHILIPS

District Attorney.

Part No. May 29, 1881.

Heads guilty.
A True Bill.

S. P. one year

W. P. Perkins

Foreman.

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FORM 89b.

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

Police Court--Second District.

Mary Gibbons

of No 244 W 30

Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the 11th day of May 1887

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

the following property, to wit: one horse harness and wagon
all

of the value of two hundred and fifty Dollars,
the property of deponent and Thomas Gibbons her husband

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 John McCallahan (now here)

for the reason that the accused was in the employ of deponent as driver then at or about noon of the 11th inst the accused took the above property for the alleged purpose of transporting furniture. Since which time the accused has not returned nor has not returned the property. That on the 13th inst deponent found the wagon abandoned in 74th Street near the East River. Deponent has not been able to procure any information as to the disposition made of the horse and harness. Deponent charges that the accused took, stole and carried away the aforesaid property.

Mary Gibbons

Sworn to before me, this 20th day

of May 1887
John Morgan Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

John McElahan being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*John McElahan*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Forty nine*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*about York*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*Mulberry st*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Driver*

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I am not guilty*

John McElahan

Taken before me, this

John J. [Signature]
day of *May* 1887
Police Justice.

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Form 891.

Police Court-Second District.

Affidavit Larceny.
THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Mary Gibson
vs. *244 or 305 &*
John Medson

DATED *May 10* 188*1*

Alroya MAGISTRATE.

W. C. Conroy OFFICER.

WITNESS: *209*



1500 TO ANS. *Gen. Sec.*

BAILED BY
No. STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK }^{ss}

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present :

That

John McMahon

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

*One horse of the value of one hundred
dollars*

*One wagon of the value of one hundred
and twenty five dollars*

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Thomas Gibbons

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 G. Kellum

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

McNought, James

DATE:

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Filed 6 day of May 1881

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THE PEOPLE
vs.
James M. C. Knight,
alias
George Mead.
Burg. Rob. & Harney
and Rob. & Harney

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

District Attorney,
Carl Bro. May 9, 1881.
Attest, Mary J.
A True Bill.

W. H. Talan
Foreman.

Pen: Two years

W. H. Talan

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Police Office, Third District.

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

No. of 246 Broome Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 246 Broome Street, 10 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling House the first floor and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling House for himself & family were **BURGLARIOUSLY**

entered by means of forcible opening the lock with false keys on the rear door leading to said premises

on the afternoon of the 20th day of May 1880, and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..

one half of a Doquet Silver Spoon, three Napkin Rings, one revolving pistol and three bars and gold and lawful money consisting of Silver coin of the value of three dollars said property being in all of the value of twenty six 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

James E. Knight (now here) alias George Mead.

for the reasons following, to-wit: Deponent is informed by Thomas Bell of the 10th Precinct Police that he caught said James Knight jumping from the window of the above described premises with the above described property in his possession

C. Schwartzbaum

Examined to before me this 3rd day of May 1881
John H. Smith
Justice of the Peace

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City & County }
of New York } 353

Thomas Bell of the 10th Precinct
Police being duly sworn deposes and
says that on the 2nd day of May
1881 he arrested James ^{George} ~~George~~ ^{George} ~~George~~
^{George} ~~George~~ (now here) jumping from a window
on premises N^o 246 Broome Street
and found the property described
in the within affidavit of Charles
Schmartzbaum in his possession
Deponent further says that at the
time of said arrest deponent
found a number of Burglar tools
(as shown) concealed upon his James ^{George} person

Sworn to before me this } Thomas Bell
3rd day of May 1881 }
Solon B. Smith
Police Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

George Mead being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—George Mead

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—15 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—New York

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—in Broome St

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—Shoemaker

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—I am not guilty

Geo Mead
Mead

Taken before me, this
Sam'l B. Smith
Judge of Peace
1891

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Form 115. 74

POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c. v.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Clara Schwartzbaum
248 Brown St.
1. *Samuel M. Haugh*
alias
2. *George Mead*

Offence, BURGLARY, *Open Store*

Dated *May 3* 188*1*
Sam T. Bell 10
Magistrate. Officer.

Witness, *Samuel Haugh*
Clerk.

No. Street
No. Street

No. Street
No. Street
Received in District Court
Samuel Haugh

BAILED,
No. 1, by
Residence Street

No. 2, by
Residence Street

No. 3, by
Residence Street

No. 4, by
Residence Street

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

James M^c. Nought otherwise called
George Mead

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

Charles Schwarzbaum
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of~~ *forcibly*

he the said *James M^c. Nought*

otherwise called *George Mead*

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

Charles Schwarzbaum
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 jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, the said

James M^c. Nought otherwise called
George Mead

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

Six spoons of the value of two dollars each.
Three rings of the value of two dollars each
One pistol of the value of five dollars
One belt of the value of two dollars
Divers coins of a number, kind and denomination
to the jurors aforesaid unknown and a more
accurate description of which cannot now be given
of the value of three dollars
of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

Charles Schwarzbaum
in the said dwelling house 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

THAT the said

James M^c Nought otherwise called
George Mead

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,

Six spoons of the value of two dollars each.
Three rings of the value of two dollars each.
One pistol of the value of five dollars
One belt of the value of two dollars
Divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given of the value of three dollars

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

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

James M^c Nought otherwise called George Mead then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have been feloniously ~~taken~~ 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.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

~~DANIEL C ROLLINS~~, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Merritt, Herbert C.

DATE:

05/17/81



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July 17 1881

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of May 1881

Pleas Not guilty (1st)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Arrest C. Merritt

M. G. M.

INDICTMENT
Larceny from
the Person.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS
BENJAMIN WHEELERS

District Attorney.

Put this case on the trial
May 18. 1881
A TRUE BILL.

M. Palmer
Foreman.

Sept 9 1881.

James J. Condit
Sentences 200.
Give off bank 1881

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Court of General Sessions!

People
vs
Herbert C. Merritt

City & County of New York S.S.

Harry Trask
being duly sworn says. I am a Steam
fitter and Machinist, and am employed
as foreman for Mr. C. W. Woodward and
have so been, off and on for the past Twenty
years. I know the defendant above named
for the past six years, he was employed
in our firm for the past eighteen months
In all the time that I have known him
I never heard a single word said against
his character, and I have always found
him to be an Honest, Industrious and
hard working young man

Sworn to before me this } Harry Trask
15th day of September 1881 }

Maurice Meyer
(Notary Public (13)
N.Y. Co

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General Sessions Court.

People
vs
Herbert C. Merritt

City & County of New York S.S.

Daniel Walsh
of No. 1293 - 3rd Avenue being duly
sworn says! that he has known the
defendant above named for the past
three years and a half. I am a
Cooper by trade; during all the time
I have known the defendant I never
heard a word against his character
and further, I know him to be an
honest, industrious and hard working
boy.

Sworn to before me this
15th day of September 1881
Maurice Dreyfus
Notary Public (123)
N.Y.C.

Daniel Walsh

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Court of General Sessions!

People
vs
Herbert C. Merritt

City & County of New York S.S.

Charles Hughes
of No 353 West 25th Street being
duly sworn says: I have known
the defendant above named for the
past nine years. I have at different
times worked at my trade (Briellaying
at Middletown N. Y. the former home
of the defendant, I have never heard
anything said against his Character
and I do personally know him to be a
good, honest, and hard-working
boy.

Sworn to before me this
15th day of September 1881

Maurice Sneyer
Notary Public (113)
N.Y. Co

Charles Hughes

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Court of General Sessions!

People

vs

Herbert C. Merritt

City & County of New York ss. Thomas E. Savage
of No 129 1/2 Third Avenue being duly
sworn says. I know the defendant
above named, and have always known
him to be an honest, industrious &
hardworking boy. I have been person-
ally acquainted with his Family for
a long time and know them to be
honest and good people.

sworn to before me this 15th day of September 1881. T. E. Savage.

Maurice Meyer

(Notary Public (115)
N.Y. Co

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Court of General Sessions

People

vs

Herbert C. Merritt

Affidavit of Character

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CHAS. W. WOODWARD,

CONTRACTOR FOR

Warming and Ventilating Buildings by Steam or Hot Water, in
in the most approved method.

DEALER IN

WROUGHT IRON PIPE, FITTINGS AND ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

Steam Pumps, Steam Engines and Steam Boilers Furnished
and Repaired in the most prompt and thorough manner.

21, 23, & 25 CENTRE ST.

New York, Sept 15th 1881

To whom it may concern

This is to certify that I have had Herbert C. Merritt in my employ about 18th months during this time he has had in his charge articles to the value of several hundred dollars. I have never missed the value of 1⁰⁰ through him and can certify that he is an honest and industrious young man. He has been working for me ever since he has been released on bail and his place is still open for him and will be kept open until his case is settled.

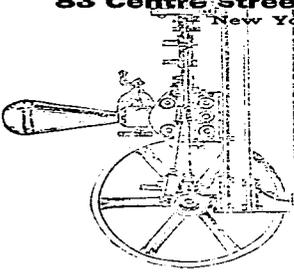
Very Respectfully Yours

Chas. W. Woodward

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C. W. WOODWARD,
Steam Engines & Steam Fittings,
83 Centre Street,
New York City.



Hon
Rufus B. Cowing,
Ct. Judge.

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The People
Hubert C. Merritt

Scout of General Sessions. Part First.
Before Judge Corwin Sept. 9. 1881.
Indictment for larceny from the person.
James Leste, sworn and examined, testified: I live
204 Wester St. I am an Italian; on the 13th of
May I lost a silver watch worth fifteen dollars; it
was taken out of the left side vest pocket; here is
the ring from the watch; the prisoner took it
from me at 8 o'clock in the evening; it was
in the Bowery between Grand and Wester St. I
went to buy a razor and I was standing in
front of a store where they sell razors looking
into the show case. As I was standing there
there was this man (the prisoner) and another
one, and all at once I felt my watch pulled
out and tore from the chain; at the same
time the man who took it gave it to another
man who was standing near him. I caught
hold of the man who took the watch and the
other man to whom he gave it ran away.
I caught hold of the prisoner and we went
for a little distance and found a policeman.
The prisoner hit and kicked me and the other
man hit me also. I fell to the ground; then
he ran away and he stood in the corner
and there he was arrested. Was you ever
this is the man? Yes sir. Was anybody with
you at the time? I and my wife. My wife
is in Court. Cross Examined. I never saw

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this man before that night. How long were you standing there before the watch was taken? About a minute. Did you follow this man up Grand St. after he ran away? Yes sir, I ran after him. This was eight o'clock at night. Were there many persons there? In Grand St. there were not a great many, but in the Bowery where I was robbed there were a great many. Were there many people around when he got hold of the man that robbed me? Yes sir, a crowd gathered about two hundred persons around. Was this man standing still when he was arrested? Yes sir, he was standing on the corner among five or six persons on the corner of Grand and Elizabeth Sts. And that is the only time you ever saw this man in your life? No sir, never saw him before.

Marie Lister sworn and examined, testified I am the wife of the last witness, I was with him when his watch was taken in the Bowery, the prisoner took it and gave it to another man. You are sure this is the one who took it? Yes sir, I know him. Cross Examined: I never saw this man before, I recognized him right away. Which side were you standing? My husband stood close to my right side. I was standing on the left side of my husband, he wore his watch on his left side.

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just as he wears it at present he wore it then.
I saw the prisoner; he hit me on my arm
when we held him; the prisoner put his hand
into the pocket and took it out, my hus-
band got hold of him, he stood sideways of
my husband.
Mary McLaughlin sworn and examined
for the defence testified I live St Elizabeth St.
I do not know the prisoner, I remember the
night he was arrested for stealing the watch.
I saw the Italian, the complainant, in the
Bowery. There was a whole crowd of people stand-
ing there. I asked a little boy what was the
matter. He said the Italian wore a watch
was stolen. There was a little fellow had a light
coat on, a black pair of pants, and he was
the fellow, so the little boy told me - who stole
the watch. Did you see the prisoner there
that time? No sir, he was not in that
crowd. Did you see the Italian have hold
of him? No, he did not have hold of him;
the fellow that should have stolen the watch
gave the Italian man a punch and
he fell over. Was the prisoner in the crowd
at the time that the other man struck the
Italian? No sir, he was not there at all.
Cross Examined. There was lots of girls
and children around. I happened to come
down through the Bowery. I could not see

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how many there were in the crowd. I should say there was about thirty. I knew the prisoner was not there. I was standing alongside the Italian woman. I seen the man that hit the Italian; the little boy told me that he stole the watch; the prisoner was not there. Did he look like the prisoner, the man the Italian had hold off? No. I could tell if I would see him. I would know him. I could tell the man if I saw him out of a hundred. I went to speak to the Italian woman; she went crazy; she could not talk to me. I am a chambermaid in 82 Elizabeth St. Mr. Newman keeps the house. I do not know the prisoner; he is a stranger to me; because I saw he was innocent. I interfered I ran across the street; I says to the officer, "that is not the man." How was this man dressed that took the watch? He had a black vest, a black pair of pants, a light coat and a black Derby hat. How was the prisoner dressed? He had a light suit; he was not dressed at all like the other man. The fellow that the little boy said stole the watch ran down the Bowery towards Elizabeth St.; the Italian man stood in the corner; he first commenced to run down Grand St. I ran after him. At the corner of

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Grand and Elizabeth St. That man got taken
I seen him run the other side of the Bowery
Magge Murphy sworn Where do you live?
I live so Elizabeth St. Do you remember the
night this boy was arrested? Yes sir, I do. Was
he in your company? Yes sir, about five
minutes before that, we were both speaking;
he gave me five cents, we were carrying on
and had some fun; we went down to get
a glass of beer. Did you see him arrested?
Yes sir, I did, the man was standing with
his back turned to the officer when he came
down; he was arrested for the watch and
chain. Cross Examined. He was arrested in
Elizabeth between Grand and Nester St.; it
was not a great way from Grand St.; the
prisoner was arrested talking to three or
four fellows. Had he been there all along?
Yes sir. You had not seen him go across
the street? No sir. You swear positively
that he stood there? Yes sir. I am telling the
truth and nothing but the truth. Did you
see who it was stole the watch? No, I cannot
say that. I know that man (the prisoner) did
not do it. I know the last witness, she does
not live in the same house that I board
in; she works next door to me. I do not know
the person who stole the watch. I did not go
to see the officer about this case; it was

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the other lady, she went to see him. I spoke to
him about the case. I said to him that I could
swear that the man he arrested was not the
man who took the watch. Did not you tell
this officer if he would let the prisoner go, that
you would show him the man who did
take it or anything like that? No sir.
Herbert C. Merritt, sworn and examined
and testified. I live at 1294 Third Avenue at the
present time, I did live in Allen St. I have
lived in New York four months. I had lived in
New York nine days before I was arrested on
this charge. I came from Middletown, Orange
Co., I lived there with my family. I was board-
ing with my sister in New York in Allen St.
I was working in the country before I came
here. I worked for Mr. Woodworth in Forty sixth St. at
steam fitting. The night I was arrested I
had Mr. Woodworth's keys. How did you get
acquainted with Maggie Murphy and the
other girl? They spoke to me, I could not
name the day. I was standing at the corner
of Grand and Elizabeth Sts. and they spoke
to me. One of them asked me for five cents
and I gave it to her. I saw them about two
nights before that, walking up and down
Elizabeth St., we merely talked together. I
was working the day I was arrested in 14th

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St. up to Six o'clock at night. I went home to
96 Allen St. I went out about a quarter past
seven. I went out and bought a paper of tobacco
acco in Grand St. I did not see the Italian
man and his wife. I did not take his watch
and chain. Did you have any part in
taking it or did you strike him? No sir.
Did any person with you strike him? No sir.
Were you in anybody's company that night?
No sir, not at the time. I went down on the
corner. I was buying a couple of apples. Then
girls came along and spoke to me. I
stood opposite the stand at the time when
the Italian came running round the
corner and officer Lynch behind him. I walked
across the street, the girls left me for a min-
ute, I walked across the street beside the
telegraph pole. I was arrested and searched
and nothing found on me. Cross Examined
I was not in the Bowery. I came across it.
Were you not in a crowd that was chasing
anybody? No sir. I did not see anybody
chased, only the Italian came round the
corner of Elizabeth St. I asked what is the
matter? He gave me no answer. I walked
across the street and I was arrested by
officer Lynch. Harry Trask sworn. I live
35 Duffield St. Brooklyn; my business is
steam fitting and steam heating for thirty

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years. I am Freeman Joseph Woodworth. I know
Merritt about six years, his character for
honesty has always been the best since I
have known him. I knew him in Middletown
Orange Co.; he was in the employ of the
Woodworths. Daniel Walsh, residing at 122
Third Avenue, a cooper, knows the prisoner
going on four years. He always understood
his character was first class; he married
the prisoner's sister. Charles Hughes sworn
I am a brick layer, live at 353 West 25th
St. I know the prisoner about eight or
nine years at Middletown; his character
for honesty was very good. I boarded with
his folks. James Lister recalled by District
Attorney. I ran after the prisoner and he
was about six paces ahead of me, when
he got to Elizabeth St. he went amongst
four or five persons and stood there. The
policeman saw me running and came
after me. James Lynch, an officer, was
on the corner of Grand and Elizabeth Sts.
when he saw a man run past him
and saw the Italian run; the prisoner
went into a company of strangers and
I arrested him before I knew what he had
done. The Italian identified him as the
man who stole his watch. Nobody else
was running at the time.
The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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Testimony in the case
of Robert C. Merritt
filed May 1882.

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Form 112.

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

Police Court First District.

James Lister
of No. *20 1/2 Hester* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *13th* day of *May* 18*87*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, *and from deponent's*
person
the following property, viz: *One Silver Hunting*
Case Watch

of the value of *fifteen* 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 *Herbert O Merritt*

now present. That about the hour
of eight o'clock P.M. on said day
deponent was standing in front
of a show window in the Bowery
when the prisoner who was standing
close to deponent suddenly snatched
the chain attached to said watch and
pulled it from a pocket of deponent's
coat. That deponent took hold of
the prisoner and during the scuffle
that ensued the prisoner detached the
watch from the chain and then struck dep-
onent upon the forehead and ran away
James Lister

Sworn to, before me, this *14* day

of *May* 18*87*

Wm. W. ...
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Herbert Merritt being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Herbert Merritt*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Orange Co New York State*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *96 Allen Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Steam fitter*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty of the
charge*

Herbert C. Merritt

Taken before me, this

17 day of *May* 18*97*
Wm. W. ...
Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT:

Name, Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT:

Name, Address,

Police Court - First District

THE PEOPLE, & C,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amelia D. ...
207 ...
Robert ...

BAILED:

No. 1, by *Francis ...*
Residence, *198 ...*
No. 2, by *Ford*
Residence, *Real*
No. 3, by *May 187*

Dated *May 14* 18*87*

James ... Magistrate.
Lynch 14 Clerk.

Witnesses:
Maria ...
...

at *...* Sessions
...

Received at Dist. Atty's office

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That *Herbert C. Merritt*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *thirteenth* day of *May* 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 watch of the value of fifteen
dollars

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

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
~~DENISE A. PHILLIPS~~, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Miller, Frank

DATE:

05/11/81



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Day of Trial
Counsel,
Filed *11* day of *May* 188*7*
Pleads

Violation of Excise Law.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
46, 118 Hudson
Frank Miller

Daniel G. Collins
BENJ. K. PHILLIPS
District Attorney.

Part from May 11, 1887

Pleads guilty

A True Bill.

Mr. Palm
Foreman.

{ Discharged - }
{ Verdict. }

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First District Police Court.

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

Thomas J. O'Brien

of No. *the 14th Precinct* Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *31*

day of *March* 18*87*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *9 City Hall Place* Street,

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, under his direction or authority, strong or spirituous liquors

or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to

and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14 of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An

Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *31*
day of *March* 18*87* }

William J. ...
POLICE JUSTICE.

Thomas J. O'Brien

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas J. O'Brien

vs.

Frank Miller

MISDEMEANOR
Selling Liquor, &c. without License.

Dated the 31 day of March 1881

Wendell Magistrate.

O'Brien Officers.

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Witness

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans.

By Charles Mearns

189 & 19, Chatham Street.



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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That *Frank Miller*

late of the *Sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *thirty first* day of *March* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one*, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, 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
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

Thomas J. O'Brien

; without having a
license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

~~Second Count.—And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present. THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, 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 jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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 G. Rollins

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Miller, Frederick

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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed *5* day of *May* 188*7*

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THE PEOPLE

B
Violation of Excise Law.

Frederick Miller

Samuel L. Patton
HAMILTON, N.Y.

District Attorney.

May 9, 1887

James D. Dudley

A TRUE BILL.

W. P. Baber

Foreman.

*Do not forget to file
my bill on appeal
I have the original
in my office.*

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NEW YORK

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First District Police Court.

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

Schuyler West
of No. *the 14th Precinct* Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *April* day of *1877*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *1183 Elizabeth* Street,
Fredrick Muller *own here*

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, under his direction or authority, strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14 of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *3* day of *April* 18*77*

Schuyler West

[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Schuyler J. West
vs.
Frederick Miller

MISDEMEANOR
Selling Liquor &c. without License.

Dated the 3 day of April 1881

Wandell Magistrate

West
14 Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$ 100

By William Peters
154 Elizabeth Street.



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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That *Frederick Miller*

late of the *fourteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *second* day of *April* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one*, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, 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
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one *Schuyler A. West*

; without having a
license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

~~Second Count. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, 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 jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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 G. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Burglary 3rd Dg

& Rev.

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Counsel,

Filed 31 day of

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Pleadly, Not Guilty Found.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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George Miles
of the County
(2 cases)

BURGLARY—Third Degree,
and Larceny.

David S. Kellie
~~David S. Kellie~~

District Attorney.

Indorsed: June 7, 1881.
Seth Ward, P.S.
A True Bill.

Wm. D. Palmer
Foreman.

Geo. B. West & H. Co.
Sole - each PA

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First District Police Court

In the matter of
Louise O'Neill
vs.
George Miller
John Gordon } Burglary

Let an Examination be had before Justice
Marcellus Otterbary on the 19th day of May
1881. Louise O'Neill the complainant
in the above matter duly sworn
and examined in the presence of said
George Miller and John Gordon
says: The owner of said building No
125 Pearl Street is William O'Donoghue
I have been engaged there as Janitor
since 1872; there are about six offices
in the building. The usual time
for opening the door in the morning
is seven o'clock, on the said morning
I opened the door at seven o'clock
There are two doors forming the Street
Entrance, both these doors have
locks; there was not one person
in said building besides myself
at the time when I first opened
the Street door. The first person
I saw this morning was Edward
Edget, he came in about ten
minutes to eight o'clock, this
was after I had seen the prisoners
present

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Question by Counsel for defense.
When, where, and how did you
first discover the presence of
the prisoners in the building
you have already testified
to? Counsel reads against
instructions to the witness answers
the question, she having stated
it in full in her affidavit.

Exception by previous counsel
recessed. Louise O'Neill

Further examinations waived.
From to before us

This 19th day of May 1887

Wm. C. O'Connell
~~Wm. C. O'Connell~~

W. C. O'Connell

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

George Miller being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Miller*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *31 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Albany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *Greenpoint*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Printer*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty*
George Miller
mark

Maxwell O. Stevenson
Taken before me, this *19* day of *May* 188*7*
POLICE JUDGE.

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

John Gordon being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Gordon*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *39 Sixth Avenue*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Clerk*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty*

John Gordon

Marcus

Taken before me, this

19 day of *May*

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POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Office, First District.

City and County
of New York,

ss.: *Louise O'Neil*

of No. *125 Pearl*

Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. *125 Pearl*

Street, *Third* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *stone building*
in charge of this deponent as *landlady*
~~and which was occupied by deponent as a land~~ *part of which was occupied*
~~by Robert and Company as an office~~
~~on the third floor~~ *were* **BURGLARIOUSLY**

entered by means of *forcibly bursting open a door leading*
into a room occupied by said Robert and Company
on the third floor of said building

on the *morning* of the *17th* day of *May* 18*77*

and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away *from deponent's charge*
viz.:

two cloth coats and more or less, all of the
value of twenty nine dollars

the property of *messrs George W. Peepson and John A. Barrett*
respectively, and at said time in their deponent's charge
and deponent further says, that *she* has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

George Miller and John Gordon (number)
and another man not arrested and whose name is not known

~~for the reasons following, to wit:~~ *To this deponent; for the reasons*
following to wit: that on said day a little
before seven o'clock, A. M. deponent entered
said office for the purpose of cleaning the room
and found everything in order, deponent then
went down to open the street door, and went out
of said building and locked the weather door
behind her and went to open the street door
of No 123 same street the adjoining house,
returned to No 125 Pearl Street, reopened the
door and went up stairs to the fifth or top floor

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passing again said office on the third floor where ~~she~~ after having opened the door and looked into said office found everything undisturbed, ^{then went to an} department remained for about fifteen or twenty minutes in her room on said fifth floor; ^{while the department heard noise like the breaking of some wood and} when she then came down again for the purpose of going to said office and found the entrance thereto and also a wardrobe standing in said office burst open, department thereupon went to the floor next below and looked out of the window, to see whether she could not detect any one around the building, department remained at said room for about ten minutes hearing some noise upstairs, department returned to the floor ^{next} above when department saw while walking upstairs ^{being} looking through the banisters, two men passing in the direction from the said ^{office} occupied by said Hobart and Company, department asked them "what they wanted" they replied that they wanted to see Mr. Evans; ^{department} told them that it was rather early for Mr. Evans who seldom comes down before half past nine or ten o'clock A.M. Department, intending to have said men arrested said nothing further to them and without paying any further attention to them, department walked downstairs and ~~looked~~ the doors of the building

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locked the door of the building, and called officer Wilbur of First Precinct Police, with whom deponent reentered the building locking the door behind her and said officer and found the prisoners together with the other man not arrested on the first landing. ^{deponent's} ~~They~~ questions put to said man not arrested as how he got there, he replied that he was looking for "Murray Libman" a man deponent knows that a man by that name had had an office in said building a year and a half ago. Deponent thereupon asked said officer to arrest said three men; deponent further says that at the time above mentioned, when she went to look open the house No 127 ^{and} ~~and~~ street, every room in the building No 125 was looked and that not one of the rooms had been opened by one of the occupants, before the time deponent reentered the building with said officer. That deponent was afterward informed by George W. Casper that

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said two coats and said vest were
missing from said wardrobe in
said room, wherein said articles had
been placed by their respective
owners, previous to their leaving
said office on the previous evening
to wit on the 16th day of May 1881.
That therefore deponent believes
and charges that said premises were
unlawfully entered by means of
said, and said wardrobe forcibly
burst open, and said property
illegally taken stolen and carried
away by said George Miller and
said John Gordon and said other
persons not arrested..

Sworn to before me this Louise Orrell
19th day of May 1881

Merrett O. Bourne
President

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Police Court—First District.

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

George W. Campen

of No. 125 Pearl Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the sixteenth
day of May 1881, at the City and County of
New York, at the hour of about

five o'clock P. M. he placed
in a cloth coat mentioned in fore-
going affidavit, his property
in a wardrobe standing in the room
mentioned in foregoing affidavit, about
about an hour previous to viz

4 o'clock P. M. John R. Barrett
who also occupies said room as an
office had placed one coat and one
vest also mentioned in foregoing affi-
davit in said wardrobe. That when
deponent returned to said room on
the morning of the seventeenth of May
1881, he found said two coats and
said vest missing. Deponent also
saw when he arrived at said room
on said day at about 8.45 A. M.

that the lock on the door to said
room had been forcibly burst open
and that said wardrobe had also
been opened and its contents
examined to before me & Geo. W. Campen.

This 17 day of May 1881
Witness my hand & seal
at New York

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Police Court—First District.

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

John R. Barrett
of No. 245 West 14th Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the sixteenth
day of May 1881, at the City and County of
New York, at about Five o' Clock P.M.
deponent left a room on the
third floor of house No 125 Pearl
Street occupied by deponent and
his partner as an office. That at
that time a coat and vest he
was carrying to this deponent was then
hanging in a wardrobe standing
in said room. That said articles are
of the value of fifteen dollars
and this deponent's property.
That deponent came again to said
office at about half past nine
10' Clock A.M. on the next day
to wit the 17th day of May 1881, and
found that the door leading to said
room had been violently forced
open and also the doors of said wardrobe
vest was missing from said wardrobe
robe and could not be found since
sworn to before me
This 19th day of May 1881
McCreary O'Leary, John R. Barrett
John Justice

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City & County
of New York

The complainant being
crossed further says
the premises of which I am
tenant is open to the
public until 4. O'clock
& up to that hour any
person has a right to
enter. My intention was
first called or advised
to the defendants by the
way they were trying
to disguise their efforts
to proceed by the Defendants.

It is unusual you to
anybody else. I saw you
begin at that hour of
the morning. I have
seen people as early
as that before, but then
I knew what they
were. It is my duty
to enquire what people
may want at that
time of the day. I saw
them ~~at~~ in the Evening

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2. (Amigoant)

living in that building
The two men was
present as prisoners and
The persons who were
arrested in the building

The weather soon
clear with a heavy
spring. If the door was
closed in entering it
would make a loud
noise "To the Court"

In what time arrived very
suspicious was from the fact
that I had found the
door of the office and
The wardrobe broken open
before and I went down
stairs & heard the noise
& then found the men
When I had the chance
that this was a public
building I did not
mean to say that any
body had a right to
enter in there. only
those who have
knowing them.

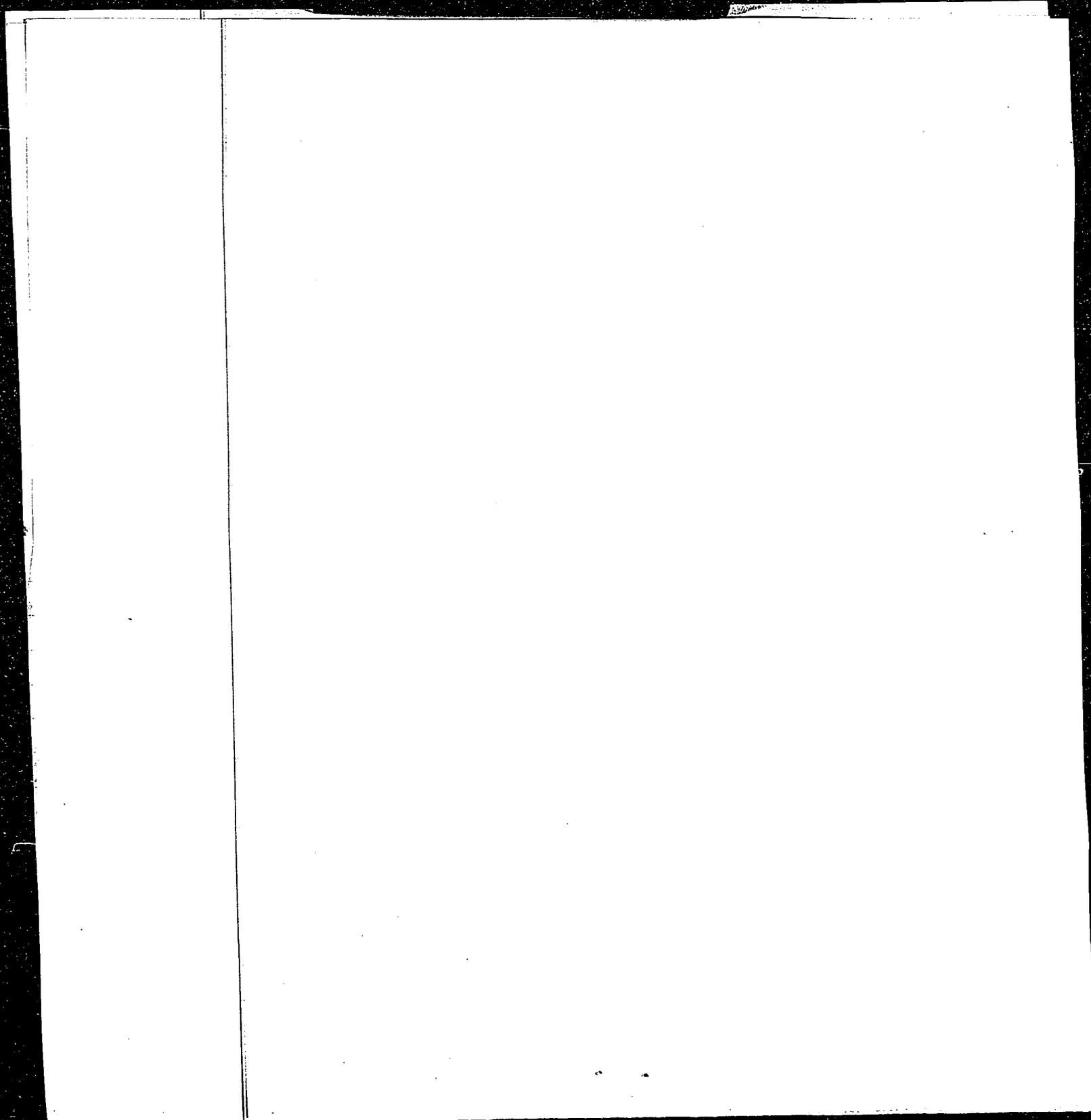
Louise O'Neill

Mrs. O'Neill

From to before in this case
any of them & H.P.

Can't find

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City & County
of New York

Freeman H. Wilbur
of the 120th Precinct being
duly sworn says that
he searched Gordon at
at the Station House
and found only a
few keys upon him
Deponer Examined
the premises and found
the windows and the
upper door had been
broken upon. There
was some cigars and
clothing remaining in
the wardrobe

William H. Wilbur

Given to before me
this 26th day of May 1887
Merrill C. C. Barry
Police Justice

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Chesapeake

- The possession of the property
the discharge of the property
1. That there is an evidence
tending to show that the
possession being voluntarily
and entered the possession
as charged in the complaint.
 2. No evidence as to the
alleged larceny as charged.
 3. That the unexplained
testimony of witnesses create
a presumption in favor
of the possession which
there is a matter of fact
are entitled to.

Noted, denied and
known in 2000 to own

[Signature]

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Police Court—First District.

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name
Address

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louise O'Neill
125 Pearl St.

Henry Miller
John Gordon

BAILLED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Offence

Burglary

Dated *March 19* 188*7*

Attorney Magistrate

Wilbur L. Officer

and James Bates, P.P.

Witnesses, said Officers

George W. Campin 125 Pearl St.
John R. Smith 245 W. 14th St.

Compl. held in \$200
paid to Testis

Defendants held
to answer

Sept to answer

General Sessions

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

Carr

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name
Address

to May 27th. 2.30 P.M.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

George Miller and John Gordon
each

late of the *first* Ward of the City of New York, in the County
of New York, aforesaid, on the *seventeenth* day of *May*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ *one* with force
and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *office* of
George W. Campen 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
George W. Campen then and there therein being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

One coat of the value of ten dollars
One hat of the value of four dollars

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

George W. Campen
so kept as aforesaid in the said *Office* 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.

Daniel G. Rollin
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Counsel, No. 176

Filed 31 day of May 1881

For Friends & Acquaintances

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and Larceny.

THE PEOPLE

vs. George Milley
John Gordon
(2 cases)

Daniel S. Rollins
HENRY K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. Palen
Foreman.

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CITY AND COUNTY,
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

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George Miller and John Gordon
each

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of New York, aforesaid, on the *seventeenth* day of *May*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ *one* with force
and arms at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *office* of
John R. Barrett 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 R. Barrett then and there therein being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

One chest of the value of ten dollars
One vest of the value of five dollars

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

John R. Barrett
so kept as aforesaid in the said *office* 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.

Daniel S. Rollins
~~BENJ. K. PHELPS~~, District Attorney.

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Monroe, James

DATE:

05/16/81



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Filed 16 day of May 1881

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Monroe

Daniel S. Rollin
BEN. K. PHIBBS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Appalam
Foreman.

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ROBBERY—First Degree.

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and said unknown person followed deponent into said hallway and while there said unknown person struck deponent several blows on the head and on the face with his fists, That said Momo then seized deponent around the body and held deponent while said unknown person again struck deponent several blows, That immediately after said Momo released deponent, he discovered that the aforesaid watch and chain had been stolen from the left pocket of the vest then and there worn by deponent as a part of deponent's wearing apparel Sworn to before me S. George Drescher, this 10th day of May 1887
Maurey Jones

Police Justice

Police Court—Third District.

THE PEOPLE, &C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—ROBBERY.

George Drescher

1000. Wm's.

James Momo

Dated May 10 1887

James Momo
Magistrate.

James Momo
Officer.
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WITNESSES:

James Momo, S. George Drescher,
Offici. George Drescher, Wm's.
Kertipin that James Momo
stated to him & George Christie
that he saw the Defend
& another signet the
Complainant in the
Hallway as Member M.P.P.

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

James Monroy being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*James Monroy*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*Twenty two years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*Cleveland Ohio*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*53 Forsyth Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Painter*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—*Not guilty*
James Monroy

Taken before me this

10

day of

May

18*88*

James Monroy
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

James Monroe

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *month* day of *May* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ *one* at the Ward, City, and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *George Drescher*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and

One watch of the value of ten dollars
One chain of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *George Drescher*
from the person of said *George Drescher* and against
the will and by violence to the person of the said *George Drescher*
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. *David B. Rollins*

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Moran, James

DATE:

05/18/81



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Counsel,
Filed *10* day of *May* 188*1*
Pleads

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Moran
P.

BENJ. K. PHELPS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Mr. Tolson Foreman,

May 19, 1881

John J. [unclear]

I was here

[Signature]

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

Godfrey Mackman
of No. *24 Coakain's* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *12th* day of *May* 188*7*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent,

the following property, viz: *One roll of carpets*

of the value of *thirty* Dollars,
the property of *Simon Epstein and Ephraim Konrowitz*
Co. partners and in deponent's care and charge

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 Moran*
(now here) from the fact that deponent
is informed by Officer Baennan that he
arrested said Moran with the said property
in his possession *Godfrey Mackman*

City and County of
of New York S. S. *John Baennan* of the
14th Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes
and says that he has heard read the
going affidavit and that the facts
stated therein on information of deponent are
true of deponent's own knowledge

John Baennan

Barnaby
Sworn to, before me, this

of *May* 1887

John Baennan
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Moran being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Moran*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty three years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Brooklyn*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *79 Bayard Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Shoe-laster*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer. *It was given to me I did not
steal it*

James Moran

Taken before me, this

12th day of May 1887

John W. Morris
Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

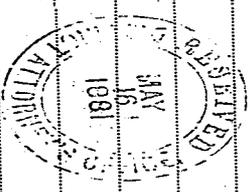
Address,

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Rodriguez Pachman
124 Catharine St

vs.
James Moran



Dated *May 13, 1881*

Chambers Magistrate.

Bannan Officer.

..... Clerk.

Witness: *Ambraman*
14 Saucier Place

~~.....~~

§ *578* to answer *learn*

at Sessions.

Received at Dist. Atty's office

BAILED

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

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Residence,

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Residence,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

James Moran —

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

*Thirty yards of carpet of the value of
one dollar each yard.
One piece of carpet of the value of
thirty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Simon Epstein

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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

James Moran

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,

*Thirty yards of carpet of the value of
one dollar each yard.
One piece of carpet of the value of
thirty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Simon Epstein*
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~at the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*
Simon Epstein
unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain,~~ did feloniously receive and have (the said
James Moran
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,~~ *taken and carried away,* and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Morgan, Edward J.

DATE:

05/16/81



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150- off bill for tax
D. H. C. p. 112

Filed 16 day of May 1887
Pleads Not guilty (M.)

1887
THE PEOPLE vs. P
Assault and Battery - Felonious.
Edward J. Morgan

Daniel S. Smith
BENJ. K. PHELPS

Dissect Attorney
Charles D. Green
A True Bill. 70

M. Palmer
Foreman.

Part Jrs. June 9-1887
Tried + convicted
J. C. Cook
with a recommendation to the
 mercy of the Court.

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132 Revue. St
May 7th 1881.

I certify that
Mr John Stephens is
in my opinion still not
free from danger from
pistol shot wounds, and
will not be able to leave
his room before Monday
May 4th.

A. S. Clark M.D.

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132 Avenue St.
Brooklyn L.I.
May 4/81.

I certify that in my
opinion Mr John Hoff-
kins is not free from
danger, from the effects
of pistol shot wounds

A. S. Clarke M.D.

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132 Remsen St.
Brooklyn L.I.
May 2/81.

I certify that
Mr. John Hopkins, who
is suffering from the
effects of fatal shot
wounds, as detailed in
my certificate of 1st inst.;
is in my opinion, not
free from danger from
said wounds -

J. S. Clarke. M.D.

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137 Remson St.
Brooklyn L.I.
May 1, 1880.

I certify that Mr
John Stopkins is
suffering from a pistol
shot wound of the left
arm, and two contused
wounds, one of the breast,
the other of the back,
also from bullets. And
I further believe that he
will not be able to
leave his room for at

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least one week from
this date,

A. S. Clarke M.D.

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Form 10

POLICE COURT-FIRST DISTRICT.

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

Michael Leakey
of No. *the 14 Precinct* Street,
that on the *30th* day of *April* 188*8*, at the City of New York,
in the County of New York.

Sworn to, this

before me

day of

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Mc...
Police Justice.

Edward J. Morgan now present
surrendered himself to James Fern
Ward of the *14th Precinct* saying
that he *Morgan* had shot and
wounded *John Hopkins* and desired
to be detained until the injury
sustained by said *Hopkins* could
be determined as department is informed
& believes that department in company
with the *prison* visited the premises
111-23-1 Clinton Street Brooklyn where the
injured man is staying and that said *Hopkins*
in department's presence identified the *prisoner*
as the person who did so shoot and wound him
the said *Hopkins* *Michael Leakey*

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Form 10.

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael J. Leahy
vs
Edward J. Morgan

Ed. Campbell
Baldwin
AFFIDAVIT

Dated *May 2* 188*1*

J. Leahy Justice

Leahy Officer

New affidavit
taken May 9th 1881

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remet

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Form

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

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

John Hopkins

of No. *23 Ferry* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *30th* day of *April* 1881

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, ~~he was violently and feloniously assaulted and~~
~~beaten by~~ *Edward J. Morgan* (now here) did
feloniously, wilfully and with intent to kill and
murder this Deponent shoot off and discharge ^{now present}
at Deponent a pistol loaded with gunpowder and bullets
That on said *30th* day of *April* 1881 said

Morgan came to the place of business of
Deponent No. *23 Ferry* Street aforesaid and without any
provocation or justifiable cause took deliberate aim
at Deponent with a loaded revolver pistol which he said
Morgan then and there had and held in
his right hand and then and there deliberately, wilfully
and feloniously and with intent to kill and murder this
Deponent fired at Deponent four successive shots
one of the bullets discharged from said pistol striking
Deponent on the breast just above the region of the heart—
another striking Deponent in the back
another in the hand

and the other striking Deponent in the left arm
in which it embedded itself and was only extracted
on the *3rd* day of *May* 1881

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

with the felonious intent to take the life of Deponent, ^{and} 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~~ dealt with accord-
ing to law.

John Hopkins

Sworn to before me, this

day of

June

9th

1881.

William M. Williams
Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

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

..... being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to h , states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer.

Taken before me, this

day of

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POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court - First District.

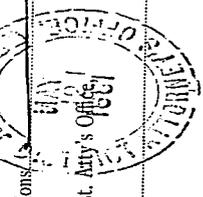
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
John Hopkins
23 Perry St.
 1. *Edward J. Mayhew*
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AFFIDAVIT - Felonious Assault & Battery

Dated *May 9th 1881*
C. A. Hammon Magistrate.

Leahy Officer,
Robert W. O. Clerk,
187 Seneca St.

Witnesses:
John Hopkins 23 Perry St.
~~*Edward J. Mayhew*~~
William Leahy 44 St.
Wm. Fin City Prose
off passing & passing
Committee without had
 TO answer



at General Sessions
 Received at Dist. Atty's Office

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, *William B. Moore*
 Address, *87 Centre Street*
N. Y. City.

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,
 Address,

BAILED:

No. 1, by
 Residence,
 No. 2, by
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 No. 3, by
 Residence,
 No. 4, by
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 No. 5, by
 Residence,
 No. 6, by
 Residence,

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137 Avenue St
Brooklyn L. I.

June 7, 1881.

I certify that I am a Physi-
cian & Surgeon, a graduate of the Col-
lege of Physicians & Surgeons of New York
City, duly authorized by law to practice
my profession. That I was called to see
Mr. John Hopkins about four o'clock
P.M. April 30, 1881; that I found him
suffering from the effects of pistol shot
wounds; that one ball had grazed
the skin at the anterior border of
the axilla, a second had grazed
the skin at the posterior border of
the axilla, a third had penetrated
the triceps muscle at a point a
little above the middle of the humerus
and had ranged upwards and back-
wards, passing under the humerus.

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and appearing under the skin, just below the axilla, between the coraco-brachialis muscle and the short head of the biceps muscle, from which point I extracted it four days later; this ball in its course narrowly escaped wounding the brachial artery, and plexus of nerves. He had also a contused wound of the same arm, (the left) just above the condyles of the humerus, and on its outer aspect.

I further certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, Mr. Hopkins has now recovered from said wounds, and that they are not likely to interfere with his health or usefulness in the future.

A. S. Clarke, M.D.

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C. J. Murphy

Dr. Clark's

Certificate

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That *Edward J. Morgan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *Hurtieth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* (with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *John Hopkins*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *John Hopkins*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leaden bullet, which the said *Edward J. Morgan*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *John Hopkins*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said *Edward J. Morgan*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John Hopkins*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John Hopkins*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leaden bullet, which the said *Edward J. Morgan*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *him* the said *John Hopkins*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *Edward J. Morgan*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John Hopkins*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John Hopkins*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said
Edward J. Morgan
in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable ~~and~~ excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said *John Hopkins*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *Edward J. Morgan*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John Hopkins*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John Hopkins*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said
Edward J. Morgan
in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable ~~and~~ excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and
discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said *John Hopkins*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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 G. Rollins
~~BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.~~

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DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, Bridget

DATE:

05/06/81



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed () day of

1881

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Violation of Excise Law.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Budget Murphy

Samuel G. Pollock
HENRY K. PHILLIPS

District Attorney.

8th Ave New York N. Y.

pleads guilty

A TRUE BILL

W. P. [Signature]

Foreman.

Annie [Signature]

0282

First District Police Court.

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

William Hogan
of *The 4th Precinct Police* Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *9th*

day of *April* 18*87*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *35 Oak* Street,

Bridget Murphy

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, under his direction or authority, strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14 of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *10th*
day of *April* 18*87*.

B. J. Morgan
POLICE JUSTICE.

William Hogan

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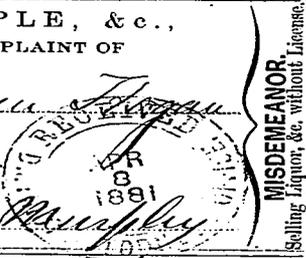
Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Hogan

vs.

Bridget Murphy



MISDEMEANOR,
Selling Liquor, &c. without License.

Dated the 10th day of April 1881

Hogan Magistrate.

Hogan Officers.
4th

Witness

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans. Geo. Best

By David Williams

110 St. James Street.

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That *Bridget Murphy*

late of the *fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *April* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one*, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, 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
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

William Hogan

; without having a
license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

~~Second Count. — And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present: THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, 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 jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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 G. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Murphy, Patrick

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McCort, John

DATE:

05/05/81



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Wade to B
John Kelly
2-27-81

John Kelly for Mr. Clark
in prison
May 681 J.R.

Filed
Plends
1881

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Patrick Murphy
John Mc Car

David L. Phillips
District Attorney

A True Bill.
J. J. Mc Galin
Foreman.
Ch. J. P. 24
J. J. Mc Galin
J. J. Mc Galin

Grand Larceny of Money, &c.
INDICTMENT.

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X-DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Sam Wah

vs.
Robert Murphy

John McEnt

DATED April 24 1891

Murray Magistrate.

Malanda Special
Melrose 21

WITNESSES:

Ed Young.
512 2 avenue

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick Murphy being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Patrick Murphy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *320 East 25 Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Drive a Coal Cart*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what,—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty
Patrick Murphy*

Taken before me this
day of April 1881
[Signature]
Police Justice.

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

Police Court—Fourth District.

of No. 514. 2nd Ave Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 26 day of April 1881

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he saw Patrick Murphy (now here) and another person enter the hallway of the premises of Sam Wash. no. 512. 2nd Ave - and in a few minutes thereafter saw the said Patrick Murphy and another run out of the said hallway and run down 29th street toward 1st Ave. pursued by the said Sam Wash

John O. Schupler

Sworn to before me, this 29 day
of April
George
1881
CLERK

0292

Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Samuel Cost being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Samuel Cost*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty two years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *307 East 29 Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Labourer*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what,—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *I am not guilty*

John A. Batz

Taken before me this

John A. Batz
Mag. of

Police Justice.

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Police Court, Fourth District.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

The People,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Sam. Wah

against

1 Patrick Murphy
2 John McCork
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OFFENSE Perjury

At a hearing held on Friday, the 29
day of April 1881, before Justice Henry Murray

of No. 4

Street, 2

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

Case coming on to be heard
examination adjourned by consent
of counsel until Saturday April
30 at 2 PM

Sam Wah being cross examined
says I have kept 512 20000
one year, I have after
seen Murphy and McCork before
(points out the two men who were
in the room) Defendant was robbed
on Sunday afternoon April 26
at 2 o'clock in PM

Sam to before me

this 30 day of April 1881 -

Henry Murray
Clerk

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State of New York
City and County of New York
John Mc Cork
residing No 307 East 29 street
being owner says I am
one of the persons arrested on
the charge of Sam Mah on Tuesday
26 day of April 1887. I was
in the house I went into the
house between 12 o'clock in the
day and did not leave the
house until half past Six o'clock
in the evening I was in bed
during this time I did
not go to the premises No
512 2 avenues in company
with Patrick Murphy I did
not in connection with Patrick
Murphy steal any money
the property of Sam Mah
or any other person

Crop Examination

I work at plumbing business
I worked last two weeks ago
I am positive I did not see
Patrick Murphy on that day
Sam Mah lives on the block corner
where a couple of doors from the
Corner of 29 street, I also work
at the corner Grocery store on
Tuesday afternoon I was not
standing on the corner with Murphy

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that day I was not either
with him or in company
with any one else, and
this is as true as anything
else I have stated, Green
Stone is on the South East
Cor 29 street and I am sure
I was not one of the parties
who run out of the store with
other parties

John McCork

Sworn to before me
this 30 day of April 1883

~~William H. H. H.~~
Notary Public

State of New York
City and County of New York

Ellen McCork

residing 307 East 29 street
being sworn says John McCork
was present in my room
he resides with me, I
recalled Tuesday 26 April
my son was home on that
day he came home the
night before, and had not
left the house all day, I
am sure he was in bed
from 12 to six o'clock in

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The afternoon he was sick
and, I attended him,

Cop Examination

I say that my son was sick
the night before, I could not
tell the exact time he came
in. It was one o'clock in
the morning of Tuesday that
he came in, and he never
left the house until the
evening of Tuesday. I
am positively sure that he
did not leave the house
Tuesday morning. He was
not able to hold up his
head because he was sick
during the night. I am
the mother of the prisoner

Ellen McCork

born to refer me
the 20 day of April 1873

John W. McCork

Police Justice

State of New York
City and County of New York

Ellen McCork

residing No 307 East 29 street

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being snow days I am
a ~~bad~~ sister of John
McCork, I reside at
home with my mother
and father. I recollect
Tuesday 26th day of April
1881. I was at home
that day, my mother
was laid sick in bed,
I first saw him when
I got up at nine o'clock
in the morning, - He was in
the house until dusk, It
was ~~not~~ ^{not} seven o'clock,
~~when he went out~~
He was during all this time
in the house he could not have
left the house without my seeing
him, He was in bed, and hardly
able to sit up

Crop Examination

I am quite positive it was
last Tuesday the 26th day of
April, I got up that morning
nine o'clock I was positive
it was as late as nine, I
knew it was nine because I
looked at the clock, It was

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in the month in the kitchen,
I am certain it was nine
o'clock it was not a
second over or a second less,
I remained in the kitchen
all that day, I ^{remained} ~~remained~~
home, I never went out of
the house that day, I am
positive it was on the
26th of April that he was
sore sick.

Surrey to represent the McGort

of the 30 day of April 1887
of the McGort
William McGort

State of New York
City and County of New York

Kate Williams
residing no. 320 East 29 street
being sworn says she resides one
half a block from Sam
Walt's place, I did not
see the fire men going
in or out of Sam Walt's
place, but saw two men
running, and at the time

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they were a half block from
Sam Wals place. I am
positive from the look of
the coat that it was but
one of the two that was
running away

City of Hamamatin

When two men running ^{Murphy}
(from present) was one of them
I did not see Sam Wals
running, It was in the
afternoon about four or five
o'clock,

State of New York

Henry William

City and County of New York

Patrick Murphy
residing no 320 East 25th Street
being sworn says. I John
know John Mc Cart prisoner
at the bar. I did not see
him on the 26 day of April
1881, I was not in his
company anywhere that day

City of Hamamatin

I was in a stable ~~between~~ on 29th

Sworn to before me
this 30 day of April 1881
Wm. W. Murphy
Notary Public

0300

about between 10 o'clock, I was there between 10 o'clock, I was in the my own house at about 3 o'clock. It was James McCurt's stable. I was in 29 street 10 o'clock, at 4 o'clock, I was running down the avenue about two hours after the robbery was done, I know it was his house because I was just there when the robbery was done. I know that officer Mulvaney arrested me and identify him (as being here present) I identify officer Gilmore, I made a statement to these officers about McCurt, I made this statement after I was arrested, I told the officers that I had heard that McCurt was in Sam Wals' place, I went in Sam Wals' place on Tuesday for my shirt it was just about two o'clock

0301

I went in alone, I did say to the officers that one of the McCerts was in Sam Wah's place, I knew John P Schussler who keeps a grocery store on the corner of 29th street and 2nd ave. It is not true that he saw me running out the hall-way of Sam Wah's place. One of the two men pursued by Sam Wah & not ~~not~~ myself, and of Mr. Schussler says so he is mistaken, and Sam Wah is mistaken; It is true that one of the two officers asked me if either of the McCerts ^{I who was} it was there I did not say it was the plumber.

Revised

I did not say so that any of the McCerts were a plumbers I did not know what they work at, I never knew what they worked at. I first suggested

0302

the name of McCort,
I am to be before me
this 30 day of April 1883 Patrick Murphy
of the County of Murray
Polytechnic John McCort
being further examined in his
own behalf and the testimony
having been read to him
as to where he states that
he was in the house between
12 and 1 o'clock in the day
of Sunday say, he was not
during the night.

Cross Examined.

I have conferred with Mr
Kestel since my mother
gave her testimony, I was
very sick that day, it
was very painful for my
toilet up my head, I
had cramps in the stomach
left the house half past
Six that evening, I returned
home half past seven
and was arrested that
night for discharging Andrew.

0303

I was arrested that night
half past 11 o'clock. I
had been drinking four
or five glasses of beer.
I drank no more than
six. I was arrested that
night. I went to the
Station House and when
I got there, I was locked
up.

By the court.

I was assisted home that night
by my mother. I was very
sick, and have been sick
before, four years ago. I
had a fever on me, I
met my mother in his
my mother's store unless he
brought me home. He took
me by the arm and helped
me home, I put a mustard
plaster on my mother
got it. It was Tuesday morning
that I put the plaster on
and it remained on two hours.
No one was in the store when my
mother took me home, I knew by

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sight many of the customers
who came in, I did not
tell anybody of my plan
I left my mother I took
some whiskey and gin
in my mother store. I was
sick all Tuesday, and I
was arrested ^{the} night

Re-Crop Examination

I was not drinking ~~the~~
with the money I had
taken from the chairman

John McClellan

sworn to before me

this 30 day of April 1883

Wm. H. Harrison
Notary Public

0305

3. Price

Other Witnesses
Off. Gilman
21 Peck

Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE vs.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Walsh
577 1/2 W. Ave
vs.
Patrick Murphy
John M. Cash

Offence, *knowing possession*

BAILED:

No. 1, by _____
Residence, _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence, _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence, _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence, _____

No. 5, by _____
Residence, _____

No. 6, by _____
Residence, _____

Dated April 25th 1881

MAJ
Bernard Malachuk
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Gilman }
Magistrate. }
Clerk.

Witnesses

Ad. Young
512 2 Avenue
Mary 1. S. S. S.
When the Evidence
discharged. John M. Cash
Patrick Murphy
in presence of 5 1/2 No. 16

Received in District City's Office

of District City's Office
also 10 1/2 No. 16

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present :*

That *Patrick Murphy and John McCort*
each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,
in the County of New York, aforesaid on the *twenty sixth* day of *April* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty one~~ at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force
and arms, three 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 thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each : three 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 hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each : twenty 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 hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each : thirty 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 fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each : fifty 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 twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each : sixty 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 : eighty 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 : ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each : one hundred 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 : one hundred and twenty 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 one hundred dollars : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty 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 twenty dollars each : three 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 : ten 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 : ten 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 three dollars each : fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each : thirty 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 one dollar each : bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each : three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each : six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each : fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each : ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each : thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each : gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each : sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each : one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each : three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each : six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each : one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each : silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each : five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each : two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each : five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

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of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Sam Wah

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 B. Hollies

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.