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DESCRIPTION:

Jacob, Marck

DATE:

04/26/81



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In calendar as
Apr 28/01

Counsel,
Filed 26 day of April 1881

Plends to County (20th)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P
Mark Jacob

Indictment for Larceny from the person
and see State Bar

Filed & Opened May 14/01
DANIEL C KOZLINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
100 BROADWAY
NEW YORK CITY

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John J. Lyons
Foreman.

Apr 15/01
W. J. Lyons
W. J. Lyons

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mark Jacob 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.

Mark Jacob

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

13 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

19 Ludlow St

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Peedler

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.
I found the pocket book
in the grass.

Mark Jacob

Taken before me this

[Signature]
day of *Sept* 189*7*
Police Justice.

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District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No. 404 6th Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposeseth and saith, that on the at the in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent,

Carrie Benz

17 day of April 1889 Ward of the City of New York,

the following property viz.:

A pocket book containing gold and lawful money of the United States of America consisting of a fractional currency of the value of five cents, two Charms in all of the value of about One Dollar

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 Meartes Jacob non present for the reason that said property was taken out of a pocket in a satchel then and there worn by deponent as a part of deponents clothing deponent subsequently found said property in the possession of said Jacobs. Carrie Benz

Sworn before me this 19th day of April 1889 Police Justice.

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Bail

~~Joseph Burger~~
~~in Meador's Grabs~~
~~Brooklyn E.D.~~

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Carrie Benz
464 G St Ave

VS.

Marion Jacob

DATED April 19 1897



MAGISTRATE

OFFICER

Wing
C. P. Police

WITNESSES:

Officer Wing
C. P. Police

W. J. G. W.
C. W.

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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 *Marck Jacob*

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

on the *Seventeenth* 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,

One pocket book of the value of ten cents
Gives coins of a number kind and ~~denomination~~ denomination
to the jurors aforesaid unknown and a more
accurate description of which cannot now be
given of the value of five cents -

Two ornaments (of the kind commonly known as
charms) a more accurate description of which
is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot
now be given of the value of forty cents
each

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Carrie Benz*
on the person of the said *Carrie Benz* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Carrie Benz* 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,~~
~~DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY~~ ~~District Attorney.~~

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Jacob, Marks

DATE:

04/06/81



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Counsel,
Filed *6* day of *April* 18*77*
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Max Jacobs

David S. Miller
~~BENT V. PHIBBS~~

District Attorney.

A True BILL.

John Stevens

Foreman.

John Hill
Charles J. Hill

Sentences suspended

IN SENATE
JANUARY 17 1877
IN SENATE
JANUARY 17 1877

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

Julius Brooks

of No. *59 East Broadway* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that on the *26* day of *March* 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.

the following property viz: *four Over coats*

of the value of *Thirty two* Dollars
the property of *deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *Charles Jacob (mother)*
from the fact that he acknowledged to
deponent in the presence of witnesses that
he did steal the aforesaid property.

Julius Brooks

Sworn to, before me this *9* m

day of *April*

18*81*

P. J. Murphy

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

Mark Jacobs 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. *Mark's Jacobs*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *116 East Broadway*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Tailor*

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

Answer. *I am ~~not~~ guilty of stealing
four old overcoats*

Mark's ^{*his*} *Jacobs*
Mark

Taken before me, this

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day of

April

1881

W. M. ...
POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, _____
Address, _____

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, _____
Address, _____

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Julius Brooks
59 E Broadway

AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.

Charles Secolo

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2 _____
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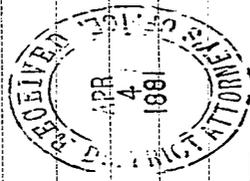
Dated *April 3* 19*18*

Dix by _____ Magistrate.

Engel & Keenan Officer.

7 Clerk.

Witnesses _____



\$ *1000* to answer _____ Sessions at _____

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Residence _____

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Law Offices of
MORRIS GOODHART,
Rooms, 6, 7, 8 & 9,
17 WARREN STREET.

Hon P. J. JOACHIMSEN,
Counsel.

New York, April 7 1881

Hon: R. B. Cowing

My dear Sir

There will be a case before
you this morning - Marks Jacobs - G. L.

The defendant is a lad whom I would like to
see you about and the Dist. Atty. - The boys father
is that is dying as per enclosed Telegram - It is his first
offence. Please to postpone action for a few days, as a
favor to

Dear Judge

Yours faithfully

P. J. Joachimsen

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Dated Philadelphia 6 1881

Received at 407 BROADWAY. Apr 6

To May Jacobs

Or J. Strauss
59 Hester

Please come home at
once your father is
dying answer

Elie Jacobs

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THIS TELEGRAM HAS JUST BEEN RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE IN
407 BROADWAY, 9th NATIONAL BANK BUILDING,
WHERE ANY REPLY SHOULD BE SENT.

Direct Wires.

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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

Mark Jacob

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the ~~twenty-sixth~~ *twentieth* day of *March* 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

*Four coats of the value of eight dollars
each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Julius Brooks

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.

David S. Mills
~~BENJ. K. THIELPS~~, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Johnson, Jessie

DATE:

04/28/81



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Counsel, *Geo. S. ...*
Filed 28 day of April 1881
Pleads *Not Guilty (29)*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James Johnson
Has been ...
DANIEL C. ROLINS,
BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Wm. J. ...
Foreman.
Hay ...
Grand Juror of
Dist. ...
Ben. ...
...

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FORM 89.

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

Police Court--Second District.

of No. 311 West 42nd Street ^{not house}, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 18th day of April 1881
at the City of New York in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession ^{and papers} of deponent.

the following property, to wit:

Good and lawful money
of the issue of the United States Govern-
ment, consisting of one note or bill
of the denomination and value of

of the value of Five 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

George Johnson, (now
here) for the reason that deponent
and the accused were in the liquor
store on the corner of Broome and
Chapman Streets, on said day and
that said Johnson snatched the
said money from deponent's hand
and ran away with it.

Edward X. Williams
man

Sworn to before me, this 18th day
of April 1881
Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK.

Jesse Johnson 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.—*Jesse Johnson*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Twenty five years of age.*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*Washington, D.C.*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*No 40 Mooters Street.*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Labour*

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.*
Jessie Johnson

Taken before me this

25th day of April 1887

Wm. J. McNamee

Police Justice.

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Form 89)

Police Court-Second District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward Williams
311 W. 42nd St

Jose Johnson

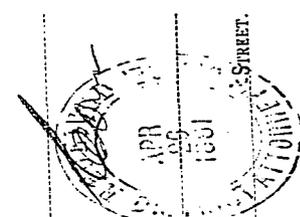
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DATED *April 25th* 188*1*

E. A. Thummet MAGISTRATE

Moran OFFICER
P.M.

WITNESS:



§ *500* TO ANS.

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No. _____ STREET.

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The People } County of General Sessions. Part First.
Jessie Johnston } Before Recorder Smythe, May 3. 1887.
Indictment for Carceury from the person.

Edward Williams, sworn and examined, testified I am stopping at 311 West Sixty second St. I have been stopping in New York for over a year now. I remember the 18th of April and I saw the prisoner on that day. I don't know that I have ever seen him before. I had no acquaintance with him. I first saw him on that day in Thompson St. near Broome, I suppose about three o'clock in the afternoon; it was near Spring St. that I met him in the street. There was a good many on the corner; they had a shoe Black stand on the corner. The prisoner came up to me and with some lottery cards asked me if I did not want to get some lottery cards? I said, No. I am down here to see my friend Wm. Hill. The officer on the next corner told me to come down here and somebody would probably tell me that he knew him. The officer came along and told him (the prisoner) to go off the corner. I went down to the next corner of Broome and Thompson Sts. and he (the prisoner) followed on after me. He says, "Come across here." Says I, "you will have to go away from me with those things; there is no way of getting money from me without stealing." I went into the bar room, and he came in and

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still insisted on me to draw these lottery tickets. Says I, "No." O, he says, come up and have a drink." I says, "No, I dont drink anything." He insisted on my coming up to drink and have a glass of beer. He goes up to the bar and says, "Let me have a couple of glasses of beer"; the bar tender poured it out and I drank part of the glass. He says to some of them, "My friend is going to treat me." He listened to the remark and stepped back. He said, "Wait here, I will be back directly." He went away and I suppose in 20 or 25 minutes he came back. I stepped back from the bar, and the bar tender said, "Who is going to pay for this?" I said, "I do not know, sir, I did not call for it, but I will pay for it." I handed him ten cents. This fellow was still talking out his tickets. I said, "Go away from me;" he said, "you have not any money." I said, "I have." I took out five dollars and he snatched it. I took it from my watch pocket; it was one bill; he ran off and I went to the front door. I halloed for a policeman, but he had got out of the way. I suppose he ran to the street; he went out of the north west door. I did not see him any more until he was arrested. I was down there, looking in the places. I never could see him until he was arrested. I forget

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the day; the officer found him; he remembers the day. Cross Examined. He was following me about 10 or 15 minutes I suppose. I see that colored man over in the corner. I saw him that day. Did you tell him you lost five dollars gambling and you would be satisfied if you got half of it back? No sir. The prisoner had four or five cards. I did not notice a spot on one of them. I did not examine them closely; they were not spread out; he had them in his hand; he only said to me, Did I want to draw lottery tickets, and I said, "No." Was there not a bet made whether any of the cards should be picked out? No sir. This happened on the 18th of April. I went to a policeman that afternoon about it, immediately after the bill was taken from me. There were several parties around ~~for~~^{me} at the time but they had nothing to say. Did you not tell Mr. Wales that you put up your five dollars with Mr. Johnson? No sir, I do not gamble, I never played a game of any description in my life.

John Wales, sworn and examined for the defence testified. I saw the complainant on that day. On that occasion did he tell you he lost five dollars by gambling? Yes sir. Did he tell you he put up his money with Johnson five dollars and lost it? Yes sir, a five dollar bill. Did he tell you that he would be satisfied

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if he got half of it back? Yes sir. Cross Examined.
I live 22 Clark St; on this day I came from the
house in Clark St. down through Broome. I met
the complainant on the corner of Broome. I
saw him before this day around Broome St.
and talked with him, but I was not acquainted
with him. The last saloon I worked in was at the
corner of Howard St. and Broadway, Mr. Jones.
I left him two years ago. I worked on the Plymouth
Rock excursion boat that ran to Long Branch
last summer; since then I have been jobbing
around. I have known Johnson about a year;
I saw him in Broome St. last year; it was
warm weather, I would not say positively that
I saw him there. I saw him around two or three
weeks before he was arrested on this charge. I had
not seen him for a year before that. I wont swear
I saw him in the spring of 1880. I wont swear
I saw him once in 1880. I had a talk with
the officer in this case. I was not in the saloon
when the money was taken. There was a man
with the complainant when I met him, he was a
colored man; the complainant said, "I lost five
dollars gambling with some cards. I would not
care if I only got half my money back because
I worked hard for it. I just come from Morris-
town, N.J. I have been arrested three or four
times and was sent to the penitentiary once
for petty larceny."

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of
petty larceny.
He was sent to the penitentiary for six
months and fined one hundred
dollars.

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Testimony in the case
of Jessie Johnston
filed April 1988

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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

Jessie Johnson

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

on the *eighteenth* 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,

One Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *a* United States Treasury Note of the
denomination of *Five* dollars and of the value of *Five* dollar *s*

One Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *a* Bank Note of the denomination of
Five dollars and of the value of *Five* dollar *s*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Edward Williams*
on the person of the said *Edward Williams* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Edward Williams* 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,
~~BANKS~~ ~~K~~ ~~PHILLIPS~~ District Attorney.

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Jones, Frank

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Rogers, John

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Canfield, Francis

DATE:

04/12/81



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Filed 12 day of April 1881
Pleas of A. DePue (131)

THE PEOPLE

vs. F

Frank Jones
John Rogers
J. B. Johnson
Francis Campbell

Return by 15 days
due me - 1000

DANIEL C ROLLINS,



District Attorney.

A True Bill

James Lewis
Foreman.

April 18 1881

Chas. J. ...

Chas. J. ...

Chas. J. ...

Each ... 18 years.

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Bailed by
Geo. Marshall,
148 St Paul Road Ave

\$2500 Deal

May 13. 1881.

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Supreme Court of New Mexico
Second Judicial District

Copy

Judge's Chambers

Albuquerque, N. M. Feb 12th 1884

The Honorable

Grover Cleveland

Governor, Albany, N. Y.

Sir,

Sidney H. Stuart, Esq., of New York City has asked ^{me} to write to you in reference to the case of Frank Jones, a convict in Sing Sing Prison,

He was sentenced in April 1851, on a "plea of guilty" to imprisonment at hard labor for the term of eighteen years. I was assistant District Attorney of New York, at the time, the offense charged against him was Burglary in the first degree. When arraigned in court on the indictment he pleaded "Guilty" as I have stated, and the officers who had arrested him were examined as to his previous history,

On being assured that he had already served a term in State Prison, Judge Cowing imposed on him the very severe sentence above related.

After conviction, Mr Stuart came to me and satisfied me that Jones, had never been in State Prison, but had been imprisoned for a time in the Elmira Reformatory; that he was a young man of good family, connections and that his downfall was due to evil company, by whom he was easily influenced, I know,

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that at the time, I felt that under all the circumstances his sentence was too severe; it was too late to act then, as the young man had gone into the execution of his sentence.

I promised at some future time to write to the Governor of the State, and ask for some mitigation of his punishment.

Recently Mr Stuart has reminded me of my promise by a letter addressed to me here. My recollection of the details of Jones' history, made to me at the time is not clear, but I do know with certainty that I was of opinion that a sentence of Five Years, upon him would have satisfied the ends of justice in his case.

I cheerfully recommend that your Excellency should commute his sentence to imprisonment for that term, with the usual allowance of time for good behavior.

With great Respect,

Your obedient servant
Joseph Bell,

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State of New York.

Executive Chamber,

Albany, July 17 1884

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the pardon of Frank Jones, who was sentenced on April 25 1884 in your County, for the crime of Burglary for the term of 1 & years and to the State Prison.

you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of Chapter 310, Laws 1849) to furnish the Governor with a concise statement of the case as proven on the trial, together with any other facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a pardon. Be pleased, also, to state the previous character of the convict. ~~et~~

Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on a separate sheet.

Very respectfully yours,

Geo. W. Cleveland
By James W. Cooper
Executive Clk.

Geo. W. Cleveland
District Attorney, &c.

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Answered

Oct 18th 1884

J. P. D.

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Frank J. Jones
Convicted 24th Sept 1879 of larceny
Sentenced 29th Sept 1879 to
Frank Jones was sentenced
under name of Joseph Carroll,
which I understand is his
proper name, on Sept 1st 1880,
at Brooklyn, to Elmira Reforma-
-tory. He was found, I believe
wearing a coat, alleged to have
been stolen by another person.
He was only imprisoned
a few months.
age 17 when sentenced

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Picture in Gallery. 456

Messenger Boy 314 & 37th Street New York

Officer Short. and Holland, 5th Precinct

Sept 29th 1879.

Sentenced to Elmira Reformatory
Judge Moore

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Frank Jones:

Sentenced in Brooklyn, under name of Joseph Carroll, for larceny, to Elmira Reformatory, about September 1st 1880. Served five or six months and was discharged for good behavior. He was found wearing a coat that had been stolen by another boy, and, I think, pleaded guilty to the charge.

This, so far as I can ascertain, and as I believe, is the only offence, except the present one, of which he has been convicted, or for which he has been arrested. He was never sentenced to State Prison, as stated by Inspector Byrnes, to Judge Bowie, at the time of his sentence.

Jones has a brother-in-law who is an officer on one of the Havana Steamers, and who will provide him with employment at sea. His family are very honest and respectable, and will be much for by Judge Tracy.

Aug 4th 1884.

Samuel H. Street
27 Chambers Street

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Frank Appo,
Mem
from
Dick Atty,

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Police Office, First District.

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

Clarence E. Breakenridge

of No. 121 East 35th Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 121 East 35th Street, 21st Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling and which was occupied by deponent as a place of residence and above were BURGLARIOUSLY

entered by means of forcibly opening a window on the second floor and entering the front parlor thereby on the night of the 7th day of April 1887 and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

One pair gold bracelets of the value of twenty five dollars and other property the property of Alvin L. Wheelwright (deponent's son) and in deponent's care & charge

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

Frank Jones, John Rogers, and and Francis Campfield (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent is informed by Inspector Byrnes that he detained said persons in the act of perpetrating said Burglary and caused the arrest of Jones & Rogers on the spot, Campfield to escape but being apprehended.

Handwritten signature/initials in a box.

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State of New York Dep't -
City & County of N.Y.

Inspector Thomas Ryan of the Police Department of the City of New York being duly sworn says that he has heard read the foregoing and amended affidavit of the complaining witness and the same is true of his own knowledge & This Deponent avers that on the night of Thursday the 7th of April 1881 - between the hours of 7 & 8 o'clock - saw the prisoners Francis Canfield - Frank Jones and John Rogers standing in front of the premises No 224 Lexington Avenue apparently in close conversation with each other: subsequently and a few minutes thereafter they walked together to the Southwest corner of 35th Street and Lexington Avenue where they were joined by a fourth person - whose name is unknown to this Deponent they were then standing under this said tree - they were joined by a person unknown to this Deponent who came from the direction of Lexington Avenue - and these three were apparently in earnest

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State of New York *37th*
City & County of N.Y. *2*

Inspector Thomas Byrnes of the Police Department of the City of New York being duly sworn says: that he has heard read the foregoing and amended affidavit of the complaining witness and the same is true of his own knowledge &c. This Depoent avers that on the night of Thursday the 7th of April 1881 - between the hours of 7 & 8 o'clock he saw the prisoner Francis Canfield - Frank Dow and John Rogers standing in front of the premises No 224 Lexington Avenue apparently in close conversation with each other: subsequently and a few minutes thereafter they walked together to the Southwest corner of 35th Street and Lexington Avenue where they were joined by a fourth person - whose name is unknown to this Depoent - who crossed 35th Street with the three persons aforementioned to the North West corner of 35th Street & Lexington Avenue and accompanied them through 35th Street towards Park Avenue for the space of

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about one hundred feet - when they
crossed over to the south side of 38th
Street. and continued in their walk
on that side of the street and towards
the direction of Park Avenue - and
before arriving at Park Avenue,
they crossed to the north side of the
same street and retraced their
steps towards Lexington Avenue,
and when about the midway of
said 38th Street - between Lexington
and Park Avenues. they halted and
apparently entered into a conversation
for a few minutes - then continued
their walk towards Lexington Ave
and turned the corner northward
and into Lexington Avenue
In about the space of five or ten
minutes. the three prisoners above-
mentioned returned into 38th Street
from Lexington Avenue and con-
tinued on the north side thereof
about 150 feet - stopped under a
tree and held a conversation ap-
parently about five minutes - then
these prisoners continued their
walk until they arrived in front
of premises 127 East 38th Street -
when the prisoners Canfield and

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Rogers alias Riley. Entered into the
stair line and within the railing
of the premises No 121 East 35th Street
and there remained for a short
space of time while Frank Jones
alias the "Kid" continued his walk
to 119 East 35th Street and entered
within the stair line of said
house. and from the stairs of said
house. climbed the stairs of the
premises 117 East 35th Street. ~~which~~
~~is~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~high~~ ~~pass~~ and from
there climbed upon the piazza of
premises No 121 East 35th Street
and entered the Easterly window
of said premises. The prisoners
The Benfield and Rogers alias Riley
came out of the stair line of the
premises 121 East 35th Street. and
secreted themselves under a tree
near an opposite to the premises
125 East 35th Street. and while
they were thus standing under this
said tree. they were joined by a
person unknown to this deponent
who came from the direction of
Springton Avenue. and these
three were apparently in earnest

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Continued for some minutes - after which the said unknown person retraced his steps to and into Lexington Avenue and disappeared from this department. In a few minutes thereafter Officer Glenn and Dolan of the Police Department of the City coming from the station of Lexington Avenue - arrested John Rogers alias Riley who resisted said arrest by delivering a fist upon the persons of said officers - the second person having escaped, and who was arrested the next morning the 8th inst. and whose name is Francis Campbell - After waiting for the space of thirty minutes this department then climbed up the steps of premises No 121 East 95th Street - rung the door bell there - and as the sound of the ringing of the bell ^{did} - this department distinctly heard as it were the footsteps of a person running down the stairs. And immediately thereafter this department saw Frank Jones alias The Fish. come out of the rear door he had previously entered a short

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space of time before on said morning - That said James whilst
hurrying down from said window
was arrested by Officers Adams
and Bolan of the Police Department
of the City. Upon the person of said
James alias The Kid was found a
pistol; also a pair of Gold Russell's
Prayer Jewelry and a Remington's
Pocket Book and other articles of
jewelry, in the care and charge of the
Complaining witnesses and by him
identified as the property in his
house.

Subsequently the defendant entered
the aforementioned premises with the
prisoner James alias The Kid - and
on the second story of said premises
and near by the window which
said James alias The Kid entered
was found a jimmy - by which
said window was forced open -
and also a pair of shoes - which
said James alias The Kid claimed as
his own - and which shoes fitted
said James alias The Kid - This defendant
further avers that on the second
and third story of the aforementioned

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premises he found wearing apparel,
(clothes with buttons) and other
articles of value put up in a
basket and near the window above
mentioned. in reading of the report.

Shown to before me

April 9th 1881.

B. H. Morgan

Police Justice.

Thomas J. Carver

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The People of
on complaint of
C. E. Beckenridge
vs
Francis Canfield

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Examination held this 11th day of April
1881. at 11. Am -

State of New York
City & County of N.Y.

Inspector Thomas Rogers of the Police
Dept of City of New York being duly
sworn says: I left Headquarters
at 7.15 P.M. on the 7th of April 1881.
I went out of the door of the Central
Office and took a 4th Avenue
Car. and alighted at 32nd St.
and walked just through that
Street to 34th Street - up that
Avenue to 35th St. I saw alone
at this time - presumed possibly
a minute - I then went up the
Avenue to near 34th Street - from
the time I left the Car to the time
I arrived near 34th St. I saw
not more than five men
I remained there about a minute.
It was there in four minutes after
this when I was at 35th Street -
It was certainly not more than 15

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minutes from the time I alighted
from the car to my arrival at 35th
Street & Lexington Avenue - The
prisoners I was watching were
from me about the width of the
Avenue & part of the sidewalk
when I was at the corner of 35th St &
Lexington Avenue - From the time I
first saw the prisoners until they
saw them go into Lexington
Avenue Courtroom and in
company with the unknown person
it was ~~not~~ about 12 minutes of
time - Five minutes afterwards
they returned into 35th Street from
Lexington Avenue, and walked
through 35th Street to premises No
121 - They ~~hesitated~~ ^{hesitated} ~~stopped~~ ^{stopped} there only a few
seconds - It took less than five
minutes, certainly not more - from
this time until the tail entered the
window of 121 - About two minutes
elapsed after this when the
unknown person appeared and
joined Campbell & Hogan under
a tree in front of the premises.
I think, of 125 - Of that, though
I am not certain - This person

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remained a very few moments -
maybe not more than three minutes.
From three to five minutes after this
Boggs was arrested under the
tree mentioned - The Scuffle pre-
ceding the arrest was not more
than a few seconds - Whilst John
Stevins was awaiting the arrest
I was diagonally opposite from
them - about 100 feet - and during the scuffle
approached nearer to them for
the purpose of assisting them -
and heard Stevins say in his
ordinary tone of speaking - beyond
himself - I have in front of me
standing opposite to 121 - on the
north side of the street where I
first saw the Scuffle - I could not
see John Stevins opposite though
I had a full view of the house
121 East 25th Street.

Thomas D. Davis
shown to before me
April 11th 1886.
C. P. Callaghan
Prosecutor

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POLICE COURT - FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

John Rogers 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 Rogers

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

7th Avenue 128th Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Cigar maker

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
John Rogers

Taken before me, this

day of

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W. J. Morgan
POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Frank Jones 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.

Frank Jones

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

New York.

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.
Frank Jones

Taken before me, this

9th day of *March* 188*7*

W. J. Morgan

POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT - FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Francis Confield 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.

Francis Confield.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

41 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Connecticut

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Centers Wisconsin Ave.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Open Business.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty
Francis Confield*

Taken before me, this

11th day of *June* 188*1*

A. Robinson

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

Chas. E. Buckenridge
1216 35 St
Frank Jones
John Rogers
Thomas Bayfield

Offense

Boozing

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

Date

April 9th 1881

B. J. Morgan Magistrate.

Inspector Byrnes Officer.

Officers Lewis, Graham

Beckman

Witnesses

Inspector Byrnes

& officers

1216 35 St

to answer

Sumner Sessions

Committed

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

103 24 April 11 1881

E. E. Price 90 Canton St

Counsel for Respondent
Francis C. Confield.

Name. Geo. A. M. Bennett.
no. 229 Broadway.
N.Y. City.

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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 Jones, John Rogers and Francis Canfield* each late of the *twenty first* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, about the hour of *eight* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Clarence E. Breckenridge there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of *forcibly breaking open an outer window of said dwellinghouse* whilst there was then and there some human being to wit, one *Jane Doe*, whose real name is to *the jurors aforesaid unknown, but who is here* ^{deposited as Jane Doe} within the said dwelling house, the said *Frank Jones, John Rogers and Francis Canfield* then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of *Almira L. Wadsworth* 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, about the hour of *eight* o'clock in the *night* time of said day the said *Frank Jones, John Rogers and Francis Canfield* each late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

Two bracelets of the value of twelve dollars and fifty cents each

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of *Almira L. Wadsworth* in the said dwelling house of one *Clarence E. Breckenridge*, then and there being found in the dwelling house aforesaid, then and there feloniously did steal, take, and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Canfield then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have been feloniously *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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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

THAT the said *Frank Jones, John Rogers*
and Francis Caulfield each

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,

Two bracelets of the value of twelve
dollars and fifty cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Almira L.*
Wadsworth

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 Almira L. Wadsworth
unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain,~~ did feloniously receive, and have.
(the said *Frank Jones, John Rogers and Francis*
Caulfield
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 pro-
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~BENJAMIN~~ **DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Jones, William

DATE:

04/12/81



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Pleads

*Wm. J. ...
Court, Judge ...
all me. State ...*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William J. ...

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
ESQ.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Speers
Foreman.
April 13. 1887
Henry J. ...
C. P. ...

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William Jones 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.— William Jones

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.— 25 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.— New York

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.— 317 East 12 Str.

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.— Plumber

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

Answer.— I am not guilty

William Jones

Taken before me, this
25th day of April
1891
Police Justice.

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Form 115.

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Henetta Provelco
 273 Hudson St.
 vs.
William S. ...

OFFENSE: BURGLARY
and ...



Dated *April 7* 1881

Smith Magistrate.

James ... Officer.

10 Clerk.

Witnesses, *chain officers*

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

§ *1070* to answer committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

[Signature]

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

William Jones

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

Saul Frankes

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

he the said

William Jones

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

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

William Jones

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

Two skirts of the value of ten dollars each
Two overskirts of the value of ten dollars each
Two waists of the value of five dollars each
One comb of the value of one dollar
One vest of the value of four dollars

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

Saul Frankes

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

William Jones

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,

*Two sheets of the value of ten dollars each
Two sheets of the value of ten dollars each
Two sheets of the value of five dollars each
One comb of the value of one dollar
One vest of the value of four dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Saul Frankes*

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*

Saul Frankes
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said *William Jones*)

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,
~~FRANK R. PHIPPS,~~ District Attorney.