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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Henderson, William

DATE:

07/09/89



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Witnesses:

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on within recommendation
of complainer and a
consideration of the facts
in this case I am convinced
the ends of justice will
be served by a discharge
of defendant on his own
recognizance and dismissal
of the indictment.

Done at N.Y. this 9th day of
July 1909.

Concur in the recom-

mon. Attest
July 9/09 Deputy

No. 89

Counsel,
Filed 9 July 1889
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Henderson

[Section 828, and 832, Penal Code].
(False Pretenses).
LAWSON, -

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

July 9/09 Foreman,

Inducted
Dismissed

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JOHN C. LAPPAN,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
P. O. Box No. 1781.
280 BROADWAY.

NEW YORK,

June 23rd

1889

Judge Hogan,

New York City

Dear Sir:-

I am Attorney for W. Henderson, who is charged with forgery,
and is now in the Tombs.

It will be impossible for me to attend your court to-day.
I was only called into the case yesterday noon, and have not had
time to prepare ^a defense.

The charge is quite a serious one, and I wish, ~~as an Atty.~~
to disprove it, as Mr. Henderson states to me, he has a good defense,

If you will therefore kindly adjourn the case until any
day next week, or a week later if necessary, you will oblige me
very much.

Yours truly,

John C. Lappan

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OFFICE OF
CLEVELAND MOTOR CO.
ELECTRIC MOTORS,
241-243 CENTRE STREET, NEW YORK.

29th May 1899

Due Bill

Twenty five dollars.

\$ 25⁰⁰ Cleveland Motor Co.
H. H. H. H.

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OFFICE OF MEMOR

== CLEVELAND MOTOR CO., ==

ELECTRIC MOTORS,

241-243 CENTRE STREET, NEW YORK.

24th May.

Due Bill.

Twenty five dollars.

\$25⁰⁰/₁₀₀ *Cleveland Motor Co.*

W. H. H. H. H.

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Monday evg.

Johns-

I could not get the
money expected yesterday.
so I shall have to ask
you to wait a day or two
meantime I have resigned
from the Cleveland Motor Co.
& the debt becomes a
personal one. when I get
the Cash I will call on you

Yours

W. Hubbard

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Saturday

John:

I was disappointed
in collecting money.

Sat. I shall have it
Monday. Certain will
pay you, apologizing
for the delay. I am

Yours W. H. Woodman

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Police Court, District.

City and County } ss.
of New York.

of No. 147 Grand Street, aged 27 years,
 occupation Restaurant being duly sworn, deposes and says,
 that on the 29th day of May 1889, at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York, William S. Newberry

With intent to defraud make utter
and forge an instrument or writing
purporting to be an act of another
by which a pecuniary demand or
obligation is or purports to be created
in violation of 511 of the Penal Code
for the reasons that on said day the
defendant came to deponent at the
above premises and stated that the
safe belonging to the Cleveland Motor
Company at 241 Centre Street could not
be opened and that he, ^{defendant} had been
sent by the Treasurer of said Company
to deponent with the annexed due
bill partly written and partly printed
purporting to be an act of a duly
authorized officer of said Company
in creating an obligation in the sum
of Twenty five dollars, and asked
deponent to cash and advance said
sum to said Company and that as
soon as the safe would be opened
the money would be returned. That
deponent believing said representations
to be true gave to the defendant
the said Twenty five dollars and
received the due bill hereto annexed
and marked exhibit "A".

Depovent is informed by Edward B. Gethin (now here) that he Gethin is the Treasurer of the Cleveland Motor Company doing business at 241 Centre Street; that the safe of said Company on said day was not out of repair ^{that it} ^{could}

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not be opened and that he never sent the defendants to deponent to cash any due bill or receive any money for said Company under the aforesaid representations and that said representations were false and untrue and that the defendants had no authority to make sign and utter any obligations for the payment of money by said Company.

Sworn to before me } George Deutermann
this 19th June 1889 }
D. Hagan
Deputy Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1889
Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1889
Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1889
Police Justice.

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

ss.

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Offence,

Dated 1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward B. Gethin
aged 42 years, occupation Treasurer of the Elev. Ind. Co. of No.

N^o 2411 Centre Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 19th
day of June 1889

E. B. Gethin

E. Hagan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Henderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

19 Great Jones St. 1 month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Salesman

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. I demand an examination

W. Henderson

Taken before me this *21*
day of *June* 188*9*

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Justice

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Sec. 151.

Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*In the name of the People of the State of New York ; To the Sheriff of the County
of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING :*

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by George Deuterian
of No. 147 Grand Street, that on the 29 day of June

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

*William Henderson did, with intent to defraud
the Cleveland Motor Corp. make, forge and
utter as certain written instrument purporting
to be due bill for the sum of Twenty-five
dollars, and did write and forge it and upon
said instrument, as the makers thereof, the
firm name of the "Cleveland Motor Co."*

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to
answer the said complaint.

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him
forthwith before me, at the First DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 19 day of June 188

John Hagan
POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT.....DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Geo. Deutermann

vs.

Wm. Henderson

Warrant-General.

Dated *June 19th* 188 *4*

Hogun Magistrate.

English Officer.

The Defendant

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

.....Officer.

Dated 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

.....Police Justice.

Dated

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having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

The within named

.....Police Justice.

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

William Henderson

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

Dated June 25th 1889

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named.....

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated..... 188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named.....

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

Dated..... 188

Police Justice.

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Police Court---

950 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Osterman
147 vs. *Grand*
Wm. Henderson

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Officer
Petit

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Bail for \$1000.

Adjud. on motion of
def. to June 25/89
at 2 P. M.

Dated

June 21 1889

Hogan Magistrate.

Alfred Costello Officer.

CC Precinct.

Witnesses

Ed. B. Gentry

No.

241 Centre

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$1000.

to answer

Conrad

Ex. June 22 - 10 a. m.

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

William Henderson

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. Except that I have received full restitution & satisfaction for the injury complained of as permitted by law, & I believe the Deft has never committed any previous criminal offense, & has already received his imprisonment in this case full punishment for any criminal intent in this case.

George Deutermann

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
AGAINST

William Henderson

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

William Henderson

of the CRIME OF Petit LARCENY,
committed as follows:

The said William Henderson,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 29th
day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty nine, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent to
deprive and defraud one George Decker,

of the proper moneys, goods chattels and personal property hereinafter mentioned, and of
the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use, did then and
there feloniously, fraudulently and falsely pretend and represent to the said
George Decker,

That he was then and was then and
legally authorized and empowered
by the Standard Water Company
241 and 243 Centre Street in said City
to employ him, and receive from the said
George Decker the sum of twenty
five dollars for said company and
that a certain paper writing which
he then and there produced and set

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Delivered to the said George Dentman
in the words and figures following to wit:

29th May 1889

One Bill

Twenty five dollars

\$ 25⁰⁰

Cleveland Note Co

Henderson

was then and there a good and valid one
Bill and of the value of Twenty five dollars.

And the said George Dentman

then and there believing the said false and fraudulent pretenses and representations so made
as aforesaid by the said William Henderson

and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of the false and fraudulent pretenses and
representations so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said
William Henderson the sum of
Twenty five dollars in money lawful
money of the United States and of
the value of Twenty five dollars,

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said George
Dentman.

And the said William Henderson
did then and there feloniously receive and obtain the said proper moneys, goods, chattels, and
personal property, from the possession of the said George Dentman

by color and by aid of the false and fraudulent pretenses and representations aforesaid, with
intent to deprive and defraud the said George Dentman

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said William Henderson
was not then and was not then and
there duly authorized and empowered
by the said company to apply to

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or to receive from the said George
Dentman the sum of Twenty five
dollars or any sum for said company,
and the said paper writing which he
so as aforesaid then and there produced
and delivered to the said George ~~Dentman~~
was not then and there a good and valid
due bill and was not of the value of
Twenty five dollars, or of any value for
said company and was wholly void and
worthless.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the pretenses and representations so made
as aforesaid by the said William Henderson
to the said George Dentman was and were
then and there in all respects utterly false and untrue, as he the said
William Henderson
at the time of making the same then and there well knew

And so the Grand Jury Aforesaid, do say that the said
William Henderson
in the manner and form aforesaid, by the means aforesaid, the said proper moneys, goods,
chattels and personal property of the said George Dentman
then and there feloniously did STEAL, against the form of the Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hertz, Charles

DATE:

07/18/89



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Witnesses:

Wm. Gross
179 Charles St.

Counsel,

Filed

day of

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Charles Hertz

John R. Fellows

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE
and Petit Larceny
(Section 498, 526, 528 and 532)

A True Bill

Wm. Gross

Foreman.

July 18/89

Wm. Gross

per Gms.

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Police Court— District.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.:of No. 179 Charles Street, aged 34 years,occupation Manager of Saloon being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 179 Charles Street,in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brickstore and dwellingand which was occupied by ~~deponent~~ Brode Brothers as a store and dwellingand in which there was at the time a human being, by name deponentwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open
a side window of the store on
Charles streeton the 8 day of July 1889 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Couple money of the
United States to the amount and
value of six dollars and fifty five
cent and cigars of the value of
six dollars— all of the value of
twelve dollars and fifty five cent
(\$ 12.55)the property of Brode Brothers and then in deponent's care
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
Charles Hertz (now here)for the reasons following, to-wit: Deponent left the said place
securely locked and closed at 8 o'clock
P.M. on July 6 1889. Deponent is informed
by Policeman William H. Nash of the 9th
precinct police that about 4 o'clock A.M.
on July 8 1889 deponent the defendant in the
said place with the said stolen property
in his possession, and the said window was then broken.(Answer to before me this 8th day of July
1889Saloon B Smith

Police Justice

Martin Gross

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William H. Nash

aged _____ years, occupation Officer of No. _____

9th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Matthias Gross

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

Sworn to before me, this _____

day of July 1889

Wm H. Nash

Solon Blumick

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Charles Hertz

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. German

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

Answer. I have no home.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Labourer

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

Answer. I am guilty

Charles Hertz.

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Justice

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

Charles Herty

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of.....

Ten

Hundred Dollars,.....

and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of

the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated.....

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July 7

Edmond B. Smith

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named.....

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated.....

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Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named.....

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

Dated.....

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Police Justice.

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Police Court---

1009 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martin Gross
vs. *Charles Hertz*

Myers
Offence

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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3 _____
4 _____

Dated *July 9* 188*9*
Smith Magistrate.
Nash Officer.
9 Precinct.

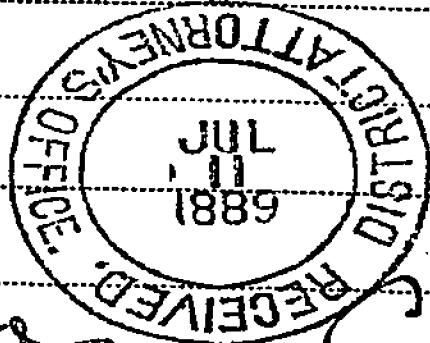
Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *9* *3*

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P.L.



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Charles Hertz

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

Charles Hertz

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

The said

Charles Hertz

late of the Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the eighth day of July in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, in the
night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the
dwelling house of one store of one Adolph

H. Bode

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to
commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property
of the said Adolph H. Bode in the said
store 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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Charles Hertz
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, committed as follows:
The said *Charles Hertz*

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

one hundred cigars
of the value of six cents
each, and the sum of six
dollars and fifty-five cents
in money, lawful money of
the United States and of the
value of six dollars and fifty-
five cents

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Adolph H. Bode*
store
in the ~~dwelling house~~ of the said *Adolph H. Bode*

there situate, then and there being found, ~~from~~ *in* the ~~dwelling house~~ *store* aforesaid, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John R. Bellows
District Attorney

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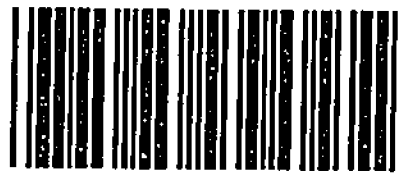
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DESCRIPTION:

Heydorn, Christian

DATE:

07/03/89



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Witnesses:

Mary D. Brown
304 W. 47th St.

J. H. Ashby

No. 87

Counsel,
Filed, 3
Pleaded, 188
Chas. J. Kelly

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Christian Heydorn

Forgery in the Second Degree.
(Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

James J. Kelly
Kendall & My Way on
A True Bill. Second Grand Jury

J. H. Ashby

Foreman.

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

POLICE COURT, /

DISTRICT.

Mary D. Spencer

of No. 334 W 47th St. aged 35 years occupation Broker
sweet, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 29th day of May 1889

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

~~man~~ did with intent to cheat and defraud her feloniously forge the name of J. Harman Ashley upon the three notes hereto attached and made part of this affidavit and complaint said notes being dated May 29, 1889 for the sum of ^{five} dollars each

deponent says ^{she is informed by said Ashley} that the endorsement on said notes are a Forgery and that they were never made by said Ashley and that said Endorsement was not authorized by him

deponent therefore charges said Heydorn with forging the said endorsement on said notes and defrauding her of the sum of fifteen dollars which she paid him on the false and fraudulent representation that he ^{of J. Harman Ashley} endorsed said notes and deponent says that said Heydorn committed the aforesaid act with the felonious intent to cheat and defraud her and did defraud her

Mary D. Spencer.

Sworn to before me

This 25 day of June 1889.

J. J. Kelly Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 45 years, occupation Manager of No.

32 Liberty Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Mary D. Spencer

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

knowledge. and that the endorsement on said notes
were not made by him or authorized by him

Sworn to before me, this 25
day of June 188 9

J. Harman Ashlee

D. J. C. Smith
Police Justice

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\$6.00 New York Jan 29th 1889
 Five days after date I promise to pay
 to the order of Mary E. Spencer
 Six Dollars
 at 334 W. 47th St N.Y. City
 Value received. Christian Heydorn
 No. Due June 12th 89. Herman Ashley
 New York Blank Book Co.

\$6.00 New York Jan 29th 1889
 Five days after date I promise to pay
 to the order of Mary E. Spencer
 Six Dollars
 at 334 W. 47th St N.Y. City
 Value received. Christian Heydorn
 No. Due June 5th 89. Herman Ashley
 New York Blank Book Co.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss. ✓

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Christian Heydorn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U. S.*

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

Answer. *23 Bloomsfield St 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Agent*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge
and further examination
Christian Heydorn*

Taken before me this

day of June 1888

John J. Kelly
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court / District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*In the name of the People of the State of New York ; To the Sheriff of the County
of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING :*

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by *Mary D. Spencer*
of No. *334 W 47* Street, that on the *29* day of *May*
1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

*against Christian Heydem with feloniously
forging the name of J. Hannan Ashley
in three notes dated May 29. 1889. for
the sum of Eighteen dollars*

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to
answer the said complaint.

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring
forthwith before me, at the *1st* DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this *25* day of *June* 188 *9*

[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT.....DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-General.

Dated.....188

Magistrate.

Officer.

The Defendant.....
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

Officer.

Dated.....188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Sam'l C. Kelly Police Justice.

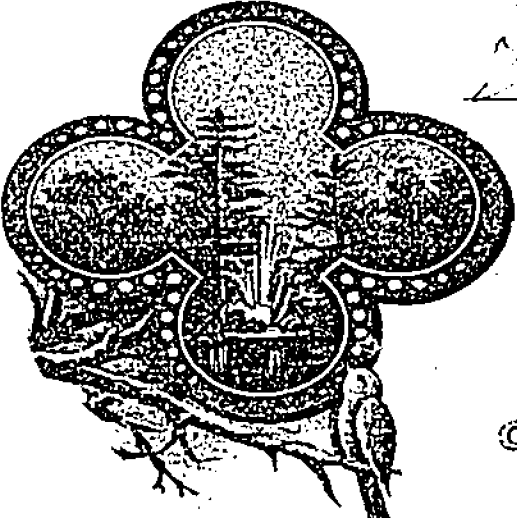
having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

Dated.....188

The within named

Police Justice.

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 \$6 - New York Nov 29 1889
I hereby promise to pay
to the order of Mary K. Spencer
Six Dollars
at 894 W. 47th St. N.Y. City.
Value received. Christian Heydorn
Harman Tishley
No. Due June 19 1890

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

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

Dated June 27th 1889

La. J. C. B. R. H. Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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Police Court--- / District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nancy D. Spencer
vs. 334 W. 47
Christian Heydorn

Offence *Forgery*

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated June 26 1889

D. O. Reilly Magistrate.

Armstrong Northridge Officer.

C. O. Precinct.

Witnesses J. Hannon Ashlee

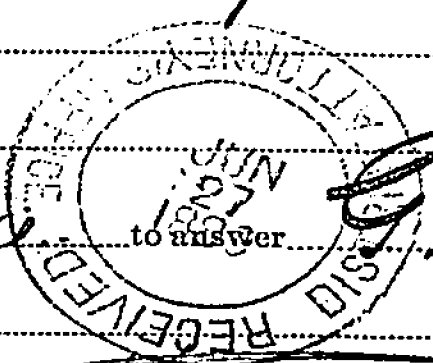
No. 32 Liberty Street.

June 27 - 10 a.m.

No. Street.

\$ 2000 to and over

Committed



Street.

to and over

Committed

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Christian Heydorn

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

Christian Heydorn
of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Christian Heydorn

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty-ninth day of May in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, feloniously did forge, and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly
act and assist in the forging a certain instrument and writing, to wit: a
promissory note for the pay-
ment of money
which said forged promissory note
is as follows, that is to say:

\$6. New York May 29th 1889
Twenty-one days after date I
promise to pay to the order of
Mary D. Spencer six Dollars
at 334 W. 47th St. N. Y. City
Value received Christian Heydorn
J. Harman Ashley
no - one June 19th

with intent to defraud, 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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SECOND COUNT:—

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

— Christian Heydorn —
of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Christian Heydorn
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously utter,
dispose of and put off as true, a certain forged instrument and writing, *to wit:*
a certain promissory note for
the payment of money
which said forged *promissory note*
is as follows, that is to say:

#6. -- New York May 29th 1889
Twenty-one days after date I promise
to pay to the order of Mary V. Spencer
Six Dollars
at 334 N. 47th W. 7. City.
Value received Christian Heydorn
J. Harman Ashley

no - Due June 19th

with intent to defraud

he
Heydorn

the said

Christian

then and there well knowing the same to be
forged, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3382

DESCRIPTION:

Higgins, Hugh

DATE:

07/12/89



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Monis Systems
2218 Pitt Ave.
Ov. Land. Oregon
27th & Redmont

THE PEOPLE

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Hugh Hargins

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

My dear Sir;

Foreman.

July 15/79

Charles W. Dudley
House of Reps.
~~*House of Reps.*~~
~~*Catharine*~~

0307

0300

I beg to certify that I know the
parents of the boy through Higgins
charges with theft. to be honest and
respectable persons. The boy has always
been very well and industrious, but
this is the first time he has done anything
criminal. The parents beg that he

5 July 1889.

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May be sent to a Catholic Industrial
School.

Mr. Carmody P.S.W.
Pastor.

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Account of
General Sessions

The People

vs

Hugh Higgins Jr

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23D STREET,

New York, July 5 1889

CASE NO. 43033

DATE OF ARREST July 2, 1889

CHARGE

OFFICER

AGE OF CHILD 15 years

RELIGION Catholic

FATHER Hugh

MOTHER James

RESIDENCE 305 East 115 Street

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT Prisoner

has comfortable home - respectable parents
he is incorrigible - associates with
a bad gang - does not work, and
has bad reputation

All which is respectfully submitted,

To

Amos E. Stocking
Asst Supt.

Secret of

General Exposure

The People

vs

Hugh Haggan Jr

Penal Code, §
Penal Code

Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 57th Avenue

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles Bernstein

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

Sworn to before me, this 18

day of July 1889

Daniel Dugan

A. J. White
Police Justice.

0313

Police Court—

District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 2218, 1st Avenue, aged 24 years,

occupation Shoemaker being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises No. 2218, 1st Avenue, 12 Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a store & dwelling

and which was occupied by deponent as a store

~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the
fastenings upon the rear window
of said store

on the 25th day of July 1889 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One coat. One silk dress One
cloth dress. One blue dress
Two silk waists—One brown
cloth waist one silk neck
scarf. One white Petticoat together
of the value of one hundred
dollars

the property of deponent and his wife
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

Alfred Higgins and another person
to deponent upon the evening of Sunday
July 1st deponent specially fastened
said premises and departed
from the same, that deponent again
visited said premises on Wednesday
July 3rd and found said premises
broken and described and found
said property missing and
deponent is further informed by

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Officer Daniel Dugan of the 24th Precinct
that at about the hour of 10 PM
on July 2nd he arrested said
Hugh Higgins with a quantity
of wearing apparel in his
possession which he presented
has seen and fully identifying
as a portion of the property
stolen from Mrs. Plunkett.

Morris Bernstein
Sworn before me this 3rd
day of July, 1891.
A. White
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1888
Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888
Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1888
Police Justice.

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
vs.	
Offence—BURGLARY.	
Dated 1888	
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witness.	
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
\$ to answer General Sessions.	

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Hugh Higgins*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *NS*

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

Answer. *2 Ave & 115 St.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Anything*

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

Answer. *I am guilty*
Hugh Higgins

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

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

Dated July 3 1889 A. White Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court---

991 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Morris Bernstein
vs. Hugh Higgins

Office [Signature]

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated July 3, 1889
W. H. White Magistrate.

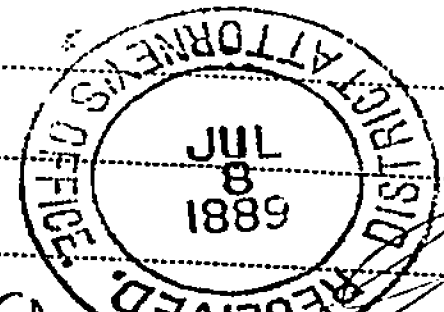
Daguerre, Laguerre
Officer.

Witnesses G. C. Frank
No. 100 East 23 Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1500 to answer
[Signature]



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New York, 16. V. 1889

I hereby certify, pursuant to Section 3, Chapter 633, Laws of 1886, that I have this day examined, at the request of the Officers of the N. Y. CATHOLIC PROTECTOR, *Dough Higgins*

a.....male child, age 15-6 yrs (18?) That such child is *no* apparently suffering with Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever, Measles, Whooping Cough, or any contagious or infectious Disease, especially of the Eyes or Skin, which might be communicated to the other inmates of the Institution. That the physical condition of the child is as follows:

Epileptic History

That the mental condition of the child is as follows:

Medium

That there is the presence of *no* hereditary or other constitutional Disease.

And also *no* deformity or abnormal condition, which I find upon examination to exist.

I order the discharge of the within child from strict quarantine from the other inmates of the Institution, pursuant to Section 4, Chapter 633, Laws of 1886, and certify that such child has remained in quarantine from day of *16. V. 1889* until this *16. V. 1889*, the date of its discharge therefrom.

M. D.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Hugh Higgins

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

Hugh Higgins

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

The said

Hugh Higgins

late of the *Twelfth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *second* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine* with force and arms, in the
night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the
dwelling house of one *Morris Bernstein*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to
commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property
of the said *Morris Bernstein*

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.

0320

SECOND COUNT—

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

Hugh Higgins

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

The said

Hugh Higgins

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

one coat of the value of fifteen dollars, one dress of the value of thirty dollars, two other dresses of the value of fifteen dollars each, two waists of the value of ten dollars each, one other waist of the value of five dollars, one scarf of the value of one dollar, and one petticoat of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Morris Bernstein

in the dwelling house of the said

Morris Bernstein

there situate, then and there being found, from 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.

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THIRD COUNT.

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

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

The said

Hugh Higgins
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 coat of the value of fifteen dollars, one dress of the value of thirty dollars, two other dresses of the value of fifteen dollars each, two waists of the value of ten dollars each, one other waist of the value of five dollars, one scarf of the value of one dollar and one petticoat of the value of one dollar of the goods, chattels and personal property of Morris Bernstein

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said Morris Bernstein

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have ; (the said

Hugh Higgins

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hill, Mintie

DATE:

07/09/89



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Rosie

DATE:

07/09/89



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Atkine, Sophia

DATE:

07/09/89



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FOLDER:

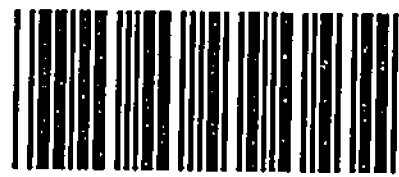
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DESCRIPTION:

Jones, Benjamin F.

DATE:

07/09/89



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Weston, William H.

DATE:

07/09/89



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Witnesses:

John Christie

Michael Grant
19th Precinct

On examination of the
facts, I recommend the
discharge of defts. Jones
& Weston, & the acceptance
of a plea of attempted
larceny in the second
degree from remaining
servants.
Jury 15th. 1889. defy

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Counsel,

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Pleads,

1889

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Minnie Hill,
Rosie Smith,
Sophia Walker,
Benjamin D. Jones
and
William H. Weston

Grand Larceny, 5th degree.
[Sections 528, 530, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

July 15th 1889

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Deceitful and their

A TRUE BILL, suspended

(Magistrate)

July 15th 1889

Foreman.

1. 2 & 3.

Pleaded guilty to larceny
and 10 or 6 months.

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Police Court
Second Dist.

The People vs
Gordon Christie
Sophie Atkins
and five others.

Examination Before Justice Ford
June 24/1899

Gordon Christie the complaining
witness, being examined by the
Court deposes and says:

Q On June 18 was any money
stolen from you?

A Four hundred and eighty
dollars.

Q Why do you say in your
complaint that you were
lost \$345?

A I had four hundred and
eighty dollars when I went
in. There was ninety five
dollars left in a handkerchief
untouched but when I took
her down stairs she took

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fifty dollars out of her stockings and gave it to me. That makes one hundred and forty five dollars I had left out of four hundred and eighty, so that I actually lost three hundred and eighty five dollars.

Q Where was the money stolen from you?

A In her room, at No 259 West 33d Street.

Q at what time?

A About a little after two o'clock in the morning

Q Where did you first meet her?

A About three doors from where she lived.

Q What took place between you and her before your money was stolen?

A Nothing - she took me

Q up in her room with her

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Q Did she ask you to go up with her?

A Yes. She was accompanied by another woman - by Sophie Altkorn now here (pointing to the defendant Sophie Altkorn) (the

Q When you met the Hill woman the Altkorn woman was with her?

A Yes.

Q What took place in the room

A Hill went out of the room and I was there with Altkorn alone

Q Did you have conversation with her?

A No. I did not.

Q What took place?

A After Hill went out we remained there talking. She was trying to play with me. When she saw that I was not willing she went

Q

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out and brought an
another.

2 She sat on the bed with
you.

1 - She was standing and sitting

2 You refused to have connection
with her?

1 Yes

2 Whom did she bring
in?

1 Rose Smith here; then
Sophie Atkins went out.

2 And left you with Rooie
Smith

1 Yes

2 What took place then.

1 I had my coat off it was
close to the door... it was
a secret door - a panel
door. I put my ~~coat~~ coat
by this door. I did not know
there was anything wrong.

2 So on

1 - While I was with Rooie Smith
this secret door opened. This

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Hill was then close to the door. I asked her "What are you doing there? Why don't you leave me alone." That was the time my money disappeared.

2. While you was having connection with this girl?

A. I did not have connection with the girl. I was talking with her.

2. What was she doing then?

A. — She was fooling with me trying to distract me.

2. You saw this door open?

A. — Yes sir, and I saw both girls.

2. What girls?

A. Hill and Atkins.

2. Were Hill and Atkins standing there?

A. — Yes, telling me to get away, to hurry up.

2. Which one spoke to you then?

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A Bolt

2 What did they say?

A - "Hurry up! Try to get away now! Don't stay here a what then?"

A. I started up the gro. I looked and found that my money was of less bulk. I said "I have been robbed." Just at that time the two women Hill and Atkins came up to the door. I took hold of Hill. I said "You have robbed me. She drew fifty dollars out of her stocking and gave it to me and said "Don't arrest me I will tell you where the remainder is."

2 How long after this was it that the money was returned to you?

A A few minutes after I

6 Took hold of her. I said

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"Of course you have got
more money" "Give me
all"

Q Where did she get it
from?

A She got it out of her
stocking

Q And gave it to you?

A And gave it to me and
I went and took it to the
Police station

Q Then what occurred?

A I kept hold of her
and pulled her down
and held her until the
policeman made the arrest
she was cursing and swearing
and said if I would not
have her arrested she would
have all the money returned.
That she knew where it
was. I would not leave
hold of her. I said 'I
won't let you go' while
I was holding her then

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Defendant Jones came
and hit me.

(He witness here identified
Defendant Jones)

Q You say Jones hit you?

A He hit me and pulled
away this girl and she
ran away. I caught hold
of him and he hit me. The
Defendant Hill sent to the
Defendant Jones. So much
to the point. You know where
it is hidden? He went off
this man. The second one
got hold of me. I waited
until the policeman came.

Q Then what occurred?

A The policeman brought them
to the station house.

Q Did you see the Rose
there?

A I saw her there.

Q Was she in the room?

A No sir she was not in.

Q Did you have any talk

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with her?

A No.

2 What about Wm. Weston?

A He was doing all he could to get the woman away.

2 What did he do?

A I was surrounded. I could not say; but, he was there, doing what he could to get the woman away.

Cross examined by the Stiner

2 You say that Ida Ross had nothing to do with the carrying of your money?

A No.

2 You have no charge to make against her

A I saw her about there that was all. She was not in the room. She was arrested afterwards.

Mr Stiner - I ask for the discharge of Ida Ross.

The Court - Ida Ross is discharged

9 Cross examination returned

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2 Did Roovie Smith have any connection with your clothes at all?

A Well I was with her in the room

2 Did she take any of your money?

A The money was taken between then

2 Was she near your clothes?

A I do not say she was

2 Did you see Atkins near her clothes

A Yes: she opened the door where my clothes and coat was

2 How far from the bed was your coat

A Next to the door - ~~on~~ on the chair which touched the door

2 When did you last see this money?

A Just before I went in.

2 Which is the second one after you sent Atkins out?

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A Rosie Smith - Ida Ross
had gone away - Atkins
was not in the room - I
staid the first time in the
room with Hill

Q What two girls asked you
in from the street?

A Atkins and Hill. They
both went in me. When
they went out Rosie Smith

By Mr. Stine came in.

Q When did you last see this
money?

A Just before I went in.

Q You say some was in a
handkerchief?

A It was put in a handkerchief
and bank notes - tens, fives,
twenties.

Q Atkins went out after you
got Rosie Smith in?

A Atkins went out.

Q There was then only Rosie
Smith in the room?

" A Yes

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2 Hill was outside?

A - She was in the room adjoining,

2 How do you know?

A - Because she opened the door

2 You saw Hill and Atkins standing in the door afterwards?

A - Yes. There was a light in the other room

2 When you got down stairs you say fifty dollars was handed to you?

A - Yes

2 How far from the room was it?

A - On the staircase

2 Did she say "I will give you this to let me go - I have nothing to do with it"?

A - No. she said "Here is \$50. Don't have me arrested: I will tell you where the remainder of the money is"

2 Did you search the room?

12 A - I did not. I had not time.

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2 Will you swear that she did not say "Let me go" I will give you fifty dollars I do not want to be arrested?

A. Positively she did not.

2 What did Roarie Smith have to do with taking your money?

A She was in the room with me

2 Did Roarie Smith have any connection with your clothes at all?

A I could not swear she did.

2 All you can say about Roarie Smith is that she was in that room with you?

A With me - yes sir

2 She was no where near the clothes and the money?

A. No

2 Will you swear that ~~Atkins~~^{Atkins} had ~~any~~ anything ~~to~~^{to} do with taking your money?

A I can

13 2 Was she near?

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A Alvin opened the door
with Hill. The coat was on
the chair near the door

2 How far distant were you
from the chair where the
coat was?

A Ten feet

Cross examined by Mr. Meaker

2 Where do you live?

A 217 West 33d St about
two months.

2 Are you married?

A No sir - I have moved from
here to No 10 ~~West 33d St~~

2 What time was this?

A About 2 A.M.

2 What time did you leave home?

A About 2 P.M.

2 You were under the influence
of liquor?

A Yes.

2 Were you acquainted with
these women?

14 A Never before

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2 You say they solicited
you to go to their room?

A - I do

2 And you remained there
how long?

A Twenty or 25 minutes

2 There were three or four
women in there?

A Yes

2 How many men did you see?

A Not one

2 You took hold of this
woman, Hill and changed
her with taking your money?

A Yes

2 There was quite a row there?

A Yes - When a man is robbed
he calls for the police

2 Do you know any other people
but these women in that
house.

A There was another big fat
woman

2 When you got on the sidewalk

15 - That was a disturbance and a

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number of people was there
not? How many?

A I could not say

Q a dozen?

A I guess there was

Q You had hold of this
woman and charged her with
taking your money?

A Yes.

Q Now the people on the sidewalk
remonstrated with you, against
you pulling her around,
and did they not tell you
to let her go?

A All I remember is -

Q answer the question

A I do not remember.

Q You say the people did
not remonstrate?

A I could not positively swear.

Q Was you struck by anybody else?

A No, nobody else - I was ^{knocked}

Q - Any body else but yourself
and these two women

16 A There was others.

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2 How much time elapsed from the time you went to the room to the time you got to the station house?

A About half an hour - 25 minutes or half an hour

2 When did you first see Jones the defendant?

A In the street

2 After the larceny was perpetrated?

A Yes

2 How long had you been on the sidewalk before you saw Jones?

A About three or four minutes.

2 Was it quite dark?

A No; I do not think so. I recognize him perfectly well.

2 Did you see Jones or have any of this stolen property in his possession?

A No; I never saw. I cannot mean that he was in the house.

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I cannot swear that Jones
was in the house I only
saw him on the sidewalk
trying to make me let go to
take the woman away.

2 Will you swear that the
defendant Jones had any
of your property in his
possession?

1 How can I swear that? No.

2 Will you swear that these
two men were acting with
the women

when in the street she
told him to go get it in
the piano piano?

1 Yes Sir.

2 Then you ~~recognized~~ him? ~~Yes~~

1 Yes Sir.

Mr. Maher moves for the discharge
of defendant Jones and
Weston.

Motion denied

Rose Smith one of the

shown to before me this
day of June 1894
J. William O'Connell
Police Judge

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Defendants, addressing the Court in his own behalf before and says: I know nothing about this. I did not participate in this larceny.

Mattie Hill one of the defendants addressing the Court in his own behalf says: I did not bring the man in. Sophie brought him in. I did nothing to do with it. I did not take any of the money. I did not see any. I did not participate in the larceny. This fifty dollars that I handed to him was handed to me first by Sophie. I never saw the man until he came in the house ^{that day} except he has frequented the house frequently. As God is my judge I am innocent.

Defendants next in \$1000 Case.

Sworn to before me this 24th day of June 1888
 Oliver Parker

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Michael Gray
of No. 19, 1st Avenue, Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 2nd day of June 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, I arrested
Sophia Atkins (now here) on suspicion
of committing a Larceny from the person on
Complaint of Gordon Christie of No 217
West 33rd Street while she said Sophia
was in company with three other women and
two men who were arrested on complaint
of said Christie said Sophia being implicated
in said larceny

Wherefore I pray that said Sophia
may be held for examination in order to enable
me to procure sufficient evidence
Michael Gray

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day of June 1889

of the City of New York

Michael J. Brennan Police Justice.

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Police Court, 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Gray

vs.

Sophia Atkins

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated June 22 1889

Don M. Gray Magistrate.

Gray Officer.

Witness, _____

Disposition, _____

\$1000 bond for Ex
L.P.M. 24th

The Justice presiding
at this Court in my
absence will please
hear and determine
the within case
J. M. H. M. M.
Police Justice

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Police Court—2^d District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Gordon Christie
of No. 217 West 33^d Street, aged 29 years,
occupation Professor of Languages being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 18th day of June 1889 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the Night time, the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money of
the United States to the amount
and of the value of three hundred
and eighty five
(\\$ 385.00)

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 Minnie Hill. Rosie Smith
Ida Ross. Sophia Albin
and William Weston. (all now here)

from the fact that at about the hour
of 2.30 O'clock A.M. said date deponent
was on his way home on West 33^d St. when
the defendant Hill accosted deponent and
took him into her apartment in the
premises no 259. West 33^d St. and at
the time that deponent entered said
apartment deponent had four hundred and
eighty dollars rolled up in a handkerchief
in the inside pocket of his coat and
after deponent got into said apartment
deponent took off his coat and hung

Subscribed before me this 18th day of June 1889

Police Justice

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it on a chair, defendant and the said Hill sat down on the bed together for a few minutes when Hill left the room and the defendant Rosa ^{Smith} came in and sat down beside defendant and commenced fumbling about defendant's person, and while Rosa ^{Smith} was feeling and fumbling with defendant, defendant saw a door open near where his coat was, and the defendant Hill and another woman came into the room through said door and remained in the room a few minutes when they left the room through the same door they came in by. the defendant Hill then came in through the main door and told defendant to hurry and get out of the apartment. Defendant then put his coat on and immediately missed said sum of money and caught hold of Hill and charged her with stealing it, and dragged her down stairs when she said to defendant "Don't call the police and I will give you back what I have stolen from you, at the same time taking a sum of money about fifty dollars from her stockings and handing it to defendant. Defendant kept hold of Hill and dragged her in the street, when each of the said defendants got around defendant and jostled him, and the defendant Benjamin F. Jones struck defendant and threatened to kill defendant if he did not let go of Hill. Hill then broke away from defendant and at the same time she handed the said Jones some money and told him to hurry up and go to the piano and get the money that was hid there. Officer Michael Gray of the 19th Precinct Police then arrested Hill, and took her to the station house. When defendant and said Officer came back to said premises, defendant then pointed out the other defendants and caused their arrest. Wherefore, defendant charges the said defendants with being together and acting in concert with each other and feloniously taking stealing and carrying away said sum of money.

Signed to before me this
18th day of June 1889
G. H. Smith
Police Justice

G. H. Smith

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Sophia Atkins*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York State*

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

Answer. *209 West 33rd St New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Domestic*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty
Sophia Atkins*

Taken before me this

day of June

1889

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mintie Hill

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Mintie Hill

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Georgia

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

Answer. 259 W. 33rd St. 17 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Dressmaker

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Mintie Hill-

Taken before me this

Day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Rosie Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Richmond Va*

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

Answer. *214, E. 99th St 2 Mrs*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Servant*

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

Rosie Smith
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 100-200.

CITY AND COUNTY,
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Benjamin D. Jones

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

26 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Baltimore Md

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

Answer.

259, W, 83rd St 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Benjamin D Jones

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

William Weston

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Weston

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

259 W. 33rd St

4 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

performer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

William H. Weston

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

Smith, Ida Ross, Benjamin L. Jones, and William Walter
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of *Ten* Hundred Dollars, *each* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated *June 24th* 188 *9* *J. Henry Bond* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

to bail to answer ~~to~~ the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named *Ida Ross*

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

Dated *June 24th* 188 *9* *J. Henry Bond* Police Justice.

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\$1000. bail each for
Ex. June 19th 2, PM
" " 21st 2, PM
" " 22nd 9:30 AM
" " 24 2 PM

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court---

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Gordon Christie
303 W. 18th St.
1 *Apphia Adams*
2 *Mattie Hill*
3 *Rosie Smith*
4 *Ida Ross*
5 *Berj L. Jones*
6 *William Weston*

Dated *June 18* 1889

Ford Magistrate.

Michael Gray Officer.

19 Precinct.

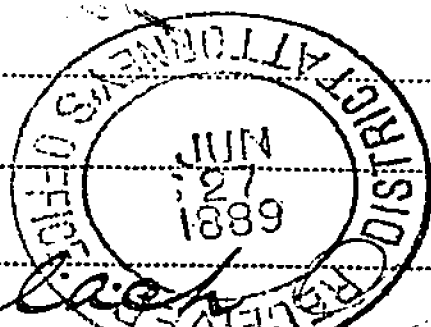
Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer



of \$1000 money

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2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
ON COMPLAINT OF
Gordon Christie
vs.
Sophie Atkins
& five others

Examination had June 25 1889
Before J. Henry Ford Police Justice.

I, Watson J. Ormsby Stenographer of the 2 District Police
Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of
the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of Gordon Christie

as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated June 24 1889.

J. Henry Ford
Police Justice.

W. J. Ormsby
Stenographer.

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Alma Hill & other ladies.

Larceny

Arrested at 10.30.

See me

Adm

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Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

Josephine Atkins

et al.

Subs issued

for Part one

for Trial

~~The~~ for July 15

The Complainant

is out of the city

but will return

on that day ~~that~~

he is sub. personally

Wauze July 16

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LAW OFFICE OF
JOSEPH H. STINER,
125 West Tenth Street,

New York, July 6 1884

Mr. M^r Cobe

Dear Sir

The Dearest Mr
Christie has just returned
to the city and he wants
to go to the old country
in a few days if you will
kindly leave him go before
the Grand jury on Monday
you will greatly oblige
him

Yours truly
J. H. Stiner

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HOTEL BARTHOLDI
Broadway & 23rd St.
NEW YORK.

June 27 June 1889
H. Gordon

To the District Attorney
City Hall
New York

Dear Sir.

I wrote lately to
Chas. Clark - (Gal. Sullivan)
giving my new address.
Which is now 303 W. 14th St.
I am obliged to leave the
city till Thursday next
on business - May I trust
you will postpone these
affairs or case before the
Grand Jury till that date.

My case is Christie against
the Colored party. (Minnie Hill
Jones, etc - for robbery
in 33rd St. I am the complainant.

Samuel Stiles has promised
me to see you on the
subject - with thanks. I remain
yrs respectfully

H. Gordon Christie

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G. Smith

VJ.

Sophia Atkins

Hill

Smith

Ross,

Jones,

Weston

Put over for

July 8.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against
Mintie Hill, Rosie Smith,
Sophia Atkins, Benjamin F.
Jones and William N. Weston

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by

this indictment, accuse *Mintie Hill, Rosie Smith, Sophia*
Atkins, Benjamin F. Jones and William N. Weston
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *first* DEGREE,

committed as follows:

The said *Mintie Hill, Rosie Smith, Sophia*
Atkins, Benjamin F. Jones and William N. Weston, all
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eighteenth*
day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
nine, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
night time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *one hundred and ninety*
dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
one hundred and ninety
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *one hundred and ninety*
dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *one hundred and ninety*
dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Gordon Christie*, in the
dwelling-house of one Mintie Hill, *then and there being found,*
from 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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hinman, Arthur P.

DATE:

07/18/89



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Bail fixed at
\$10000 RGS

Witnesses:

John H. Kent

133 Ave. B.

Clarence W. Higgins

13 Chestnut St.

Frank J. Wedgmore

Kingbridge

G. W. H. Radio

79 Glenhurst

William H. Kent

144 W. 14th St. New York

Dated Nov. 7/90

by- William J. Evans

St. Louis Hotel

N. Y. City

Over

No 167 RWS
Edman W. Wright 90

Counsel
28 Broadway

Filed 18 day of July 1889

Pleas
Voluntarily changed

THE PEOPLE

B

Arthur P. Hinman

and David

JOHN R. FELLOWS

District Attorney

Dec 17 1890 VMD

Indemnity will call Dec 17/90 at 330 A.M.

A TRUE BILL.

Thos. J. Evans

Sub. 1/21/90

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Office of
G. W. H. Zeglio,
Counselor at Law,
7 Beekman Street,
New York, Sept 22^d 1892

My dear Mr. Zeglio,
I have been thinking
of the fact that
my clients have been paid
their share of the trust estate
and by him.

Very truly,
William S. Hunt
Attorney for
Black & Mcgregors

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OFFICE OF

G. W. H. ZEGLIO,
COUNSELOR AT LAW.

7 BEEKMAN STREET,

TEMPLE COURT,
ROOM 715

New York,

Sept 22^d 1892

The People vs

Arthur I. Humeau

Don Delaney Nicoll,

District Attorney.

Dear Sir: I know of no reason
why the indictment now pending
against Arthur I. Humeau
should be prosecuted.

My clients have been paid
their share of the trust estate
held by him.

Respy Yours
G. W. H. Zeglio

Attorney for
William H. Kent &
Sarah J. Updegrone

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Court of General Sessions.

The People
against
Arthur P. Guinan }

From Surrogates Office.

1st Petition for, and proofs on probate
of Will of Mary Kent.
Filed April 8th 1886.

2^d Liber 366 of Wills. Page 24

3^d Liber 58 of Letters Testamentary.

4th Petition for, accounts of ^{and} Decree
on accounting &c in Matter of
Estate of Mary Kent.
Filed June 12th 1888.

Bundle 1440.
in Surrogates Office.

Count of General
Sessions.

The People

Against
Arthur C. Hurman
List of Papers &c
were obtained from
Surrogate's Office.

Surrogate's Office
from Surrogate's Office
R.S.W.

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LAW OFFICES OF
WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY,
154 NASSAU STREET,
[TRIBUNE BUILDING],
NEW YORK CITY.

The People, &c.,
v.
Arthur P. Hinman, }

September 21, 1892

Hon. Delancey Nicol,
District Attorney, &c.,
New York City.

Sir:-

In relation to above matter,
I would beg to state that my
client, Mr. John St. Kent, has
been paid his share of the
trust estate held by Mr. Hinman,
and that, as far as I know,
there is no reason why the
indictment should be further
presented.

Very respectfully,
Wm H. Townley,
per W.

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T H E P E O P L E
: : : : :
-Against-
: : : : :
ARTHUR P. HINMAN
: : : : :
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City and County of New York ss:-

John H. Kent being duly sworn
deposes and says,

That he resides at No. *133 Avenue B.*
in the City of New York

That Mary Kent, the mother of deponent died at the City
of New York on or about the 21st. day of February 1886,
leaving a last Will and Testament dated November 7th. 1878
which was duly proved before the Surrogate of the County of
New York April 8th. 1886 and is Recorded in Liber 366 of Wills
Page 24.

That in and by said last Will ARTHUR P.
HINMAN was appointed Sole Executor thereof, who duly qualified
as such, and entered upon the duties thereof, and Letters
Testamentary were duly granted and issued to him as such
Executor, which letters are duly recorded in Liber 58 of
Letters Page 317.

That said Mary Kent left her surviving
the following, her only heirs at law

1. John H. Kent, a son this deponent.
2. William H. Kent, a son.
3. Sarah Jane Updergrove, a daughter.
4. Mary Jane McCahill, a grand daughter.
5. Rachel Howell, a grand daughter.

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That at the time of her death the said Mary Kent was seized in fee simple of Real Estate in the City of New York, consisting of a house and lot on East side of Lewis Street, North of Stanton Street and a house and lot of land on West side of Goerck Street south of Stanton Street.

That in and by the Will of said Mary Kent after the bequest of certain personal property to her granddaughter Mary J. McCahill she gives devises and bequeaths All the rest, residue and remainder of her property unto her Executor, IN TRUST to take possession thereof, to sell and convert the same into cash and to divide the proceeds equally among her three children, Sarah J. Updergrove, William H. Kent and John H. Kent and her two grand-daughters Rachel A. Howell and Mary J. McCahill share and share alike, so that each of them shall receive $\frac{1}{5}$ part of said residuary estate.

That after the probate of said Will, and the granting of Letters Testamentary thereon to said Executor, Arthur P. Hinman, said executor by virtue of the power of sale therein sold said Real Estate on Lewis and Goerck Streets and received the proceeds thereof.

That thereafter and on or about the 27th. day of December 1887, the said Executor, Arthur P. Hinman filed his accounts, and procured a citation to be issued out of the Surrogate's Court of the County of New York returnable January 19th. 1888 requiring all persons interested in the estate of said Mary Kent to attend the settlement of his accounts.

That on the return day of said citation deponent appeared by W. H. Townley his attorney and said Sarah J. Updergrove by G. W. H. Zeglio her attorney.

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That on said 19th. day of January 1838 the proceedings were adjourned to the 26th. of January 1838 and ~~was~~ ^{was} thereafter adjourned to February 9th. 1838 on which day the same ~~was~~ ^{was} marked for a decree.

That thereafter, ~~was~~ various proceedings were had to force the said Executor to enter a decree settling his accounts; on the 12th. day of June 1838, a decree was signed by the Surrogate of the County of New York, and filed in the Office of said Surrogate settling the accounts of said Executor and directing distribution of the moneys in his hands among those entitled thereto. A copy of said decree is annexed hereto marked 'A'.

That in and by said decree said Executor, ~~Arthur~~ Arthur P. Hinman was ordered and directed to pay unto this deponent the sum of \$2004.32 and a like amount to William H. Kent and a like amount to Sarah J. Undergrove, as by reference to said decree will fully appear.

That after the signing and entry of said decree the said Arthur P. Hinman as deponent is informed and verily believes left the City of New York, absented himself from his office, and from the time of the entry of said decree up to the present time his whereabouts were and are unknown to this deponent, Although he has made and caused diligent effort to be made to ascertain the same.

That said Executor, Arthur P. Hinman has wholly failed obey said decree and pay unto deponent the said sum of \$2004.32 as therein directed, and this deponent has never received any portion of the share to which he is entitled from and out of the estate of his mother, said Mary Kent deceased.

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And deponent further says that he is informed and verily believes that said executor, Arthur P. Hinman has wholly failed to obey said decree and pay unto said William H. Kent and Sarah J. Upde^dgrove to each the sum of \$20004.32 as therein directed, and that they have never received any portion of the shares to which they are severally entitled from and out of the estate of their mother, said Mary Kent deceased.

That said Hinman is a fugitive deponent avers and verily believes from the facts set forth, and from the further circumstance that he absents himself from his office, leaves no ad^dress where he can be found, and persons having claims upon him cannot see him or communicate with him.

The last information that deponent had concerning said Hinman was that he furtively visited his family in Brooklyn after dark, but not regularly, and that he and his whereabouts were denied to every one.

Sworn to before me this }
29th. day of May 1889. }

John H. Kent.

John J. Collins
Comptroller
N.Y.C.

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The People

vs.

Arthur P. Heiman

affidavit of
John H. Kent

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The People
Against
Arthur P. Hinman

City & County of New York.

Clarence W. Higgins, being
duly sworn deposes and says, That he resides
at 444 East 85th Street in the City of New York,
That he is a clerk in Office of G. W. H. Ogden,
the Attorney for Sarah J. Updegrove one of the
children of Mary Kent deceased,
That deponent visited the office of Arthur
P. Hinman, the Executor of Mary Kent decd,
in Vanderbilt Building on the corner of Nassau
and Beekman Street in the City of New
York, at various times between the 28th day
of June and the 26th day of October 1888, for the
purpose of serving a certified copy of the
decree entered on June 12th 1888 settling his
accounts as such executor, & ordering distribu-
tion of the said estate, That prior to said
26th day of October 1888, this deponent was
unable to find said Hinman, the persons in
said office informing him that Hinman
was not there & that they did not know where
he was, That on the 26th day of October 1888.

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this deponent called at the office of said Arthur P. Hinman & found him there & thereupon served him with a certified copy of said decree and commenced reading a demand for payment of the money ordered to be paid to said Sarah J. Updegrave, from a paper which contained a written form of demand, when said Hinman snatched the paper from deponent's hand & retained possession of it, remarking All right I will see Mr. Ziegler or send him a note.

That on his return to Mr. Ziegler's Office he was directed to return to Hinman's Office & did so, but said Hinman had departed therefrom.

That deponent has since, said 26th day of October 1888, repeatedly called at office of said Hinman to serve a demand on him; but has been unable to find him, the same answer being given to his inquiries, by persons in the office, That he was not in & they did not know where he said Hinman was,

Sworn to before me this }
 24th day of May 1889 } Clarence W. Higgins
 Hugh Belter }
 Notary Public
 N. Y. C.

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In a Surrogate's Court, held in and for the
County of New York, on the 12th day of June 1888.

Present

Wm Rastus S. Ransom Surrogate.

In the Matter of the Judicial Settlement of
the account of Arthur P. Kinnian as
Sole Executor of the last Will and Testament
of
Mary Kent
deceased

Arthur P. Kinnian the Executor of the last Will
and Testament of Mary Kent late of the City of New
York, deceased, having heretofore made application to
the Surrogate of the County of New York for a Judicial
Settlement of his account as such Executor, and a
citation having been thereupon issued pursuant to
Statute, directed to all persons interested in the Estate
of said deceased, citing and requiring them and each
of them personally to be and appear before the said Surrogate
at his Office in the City of New York, on the 19th day of
January 1888, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that
day, there to attend such Judicial Settlement,
and the said citation having been returned with proof
of the due service thereof on William Henry Kent, John
H. Kent Sarah Jane Updegrave, Rachel A. Howell and
Mary Jane Cahill, all of full age, and the said Executor

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having appeared on the return day of said citation by E. M. Wright his attorney, and the said Sarah Jane Updegrave, appearing by G. W. S. Zoglio as her attorney and John H. Kent by William H. Ironley as his attorney, and William H. Kent, Rachel S. Correll and Mary Jane Cahill by Robert J. Shadbolt as their attorney, and the said Executor having rendered his account under oath before the said Surrogate, and the said account having been filed, together with the vouchers in support thereof, and no objections to the account having been filed, and the said matter having been duly adjourned to this day, the said Surrogate after having examined the said account and vouchers, now here finds the state and conditions of the said account to be as stated and set forth in the following Summary Statement thereof, made by the said Surrogate as finally settled and adjusted by him, to be recorded with and taken to be a part of the decree in this matter to wit,

Summary Statement of the account of Arthur J. Minian, Sole Executor of the last Will and Testament of Mary Kent, deceased, made by the Surrogate as judicially settled and allowed.

The said Executor is charged as follows.

Amount of Proceeds of Sale of Real Estate, rents, cash and interest, as shown by Schedule A.

\$ 11,145.83

The said Executor is credited with amount of necessary expenses of

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Funeral and administration as
shown by Schedule B \$492.48

792.48
\$10,383.35

The Executor has also advanced to
Rachel A. Homers Eight hundred and
fifty Dollars, and to Mary J. Cahill
Seven hundred Dollars

\$10,383.35

Leaving a cash balance in his hands of Ten
thousand three hundred and eighty three Dollars
and thirty five cents, less the amounts advanced to
legates, to be deducted from their respective shares.

And it appearing that the said Executor has fully
accounted for all the moneys and property of the
Estate of said deceased, which have come into his hands
as such Executor, and his account having been adjusted
by the said Surrogate, and a summary statement of the
same having been made as above and herewith recorded.
It is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, that the said
account be and the same is hereby judicially settled
and allowed as filed and adjusted.

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And it is further ordered, adjudged and decreed,
that out of the balance so found as above remaining in
his hands, the said Executor retain the sum of Two
hundred and Eighty six ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars (\$286. ⁷⁵/₁₀₀), for
the commissions to which he is entitled on his account-
ing, and that he retain or pay to E. M. Wright his attorney,
the sum of Seventy five Dollars (\$75. ⁰⁰/₁₀₀), for his costs,
counsel fee and expenses of his accounting.

And it is further ordered, that after retaining said Commissions and attorney fees as aforesaid, there remains in the hands of the said Executor, the sum 10,021.60 of Ten thousand and twenty one Dollars and sixty Cents, less the amounts advanced to legates, to be distributed to those entitled hereto.

And it is further ordered and adjudged, that out of the balance remaining in his hands, said Executor pay to William H. Kent, the sum of Two thousand and four ³²/₁₀₀ Dollars in full of his share of the Estate of Mary Kent deceased.

And it is further ordered and adjudged, that the said Executor pay to John H. Kent, the sum of Two thousand and four ³²/₁₀₀ Dollars, in full of his distributive share of the Estate of Mary Kent deceased.

And it is further ordered and adjudged that said Executor pay to Sarah Jane Updegrave, the sum of Two thousand and four ³²/₁₀₀ Dollars in full of her distributive share of the Estate of Mary Kent deceased.

And it is further ordered and adjudged that said Executor pay to Rachel A. Howell the sum of Eleven hundred and fifty four ³²/₁₀₀ Dollars, which with Eight hundred and fifty Dollars heretofore received by her, will be in full of her distributive share of the Estate of Mary Kent deceased.

And it is further ordered and adjudged that said Executor pay to Mary Jane Cahill

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That said Executor pay to Mary Jane Cahill

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The sum of Thirteen hundred and four ³²/₁₀₀ Dollars which with the seven hundred Dollars heretofore received by her will be in full of her distributive share of the Estate of Mary, late deceased

James S. Ransom
Surrogate

State of New York

City and County of New York

I, James F. M. Laughlin, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of decree in the Matter of the Estate of Mary, late deceased, with the original record thereof, now remaining in this Office, and have found the same to be a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original record.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Surrogate's Court, this 27th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Eighty Eight.

James F. M. Laughlin
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

(L.S.)

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Supreme Court

In the Matter of the Judicial

Settlement Executors Account
Estate

of
Mary Ann

Record

Certified Copy Decree

E. M. Wright
Attorney at Law

Filed June 12, 1888

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,
City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John H. Kent

vs.

Arthur P. Hinman

Dated July 15th 1889

Witnesses, John H. Kent,

No. 133 Avenue B. Street

Wm. H. Tansley,

No. 154 Nassau Street

Clarence W. Higgins

No. 7 Room 143. Street

Beekman

Office Grand Jurors
[Sec 54-1, Penal Code]

Sept 1892

This instrument

was forwarded

the morning of the

last week of the

by which

promptly for the

interest of the

defendant & the collection

of the money mis-

appropriated. The defendant

is per carri has paid

all the money which he

is charged with having

taken. As the said

now no further complaint

against him. They do

not wish to proceed further

and I do not think that

any further and will do

the charge. A necessary condition of
that the defendant & defendant have
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The People

- against -

Arthur P. Heiman

Affidavits

John H. Kent

133 Avenue B.

Wm H. Townsend

154 Nassau St

Clarence W. Higgins

7 Beekman St

Room 143.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Arthur C. Winman

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

Indictment accuse Arthur C. Winman

of the crime of Grand Larceny in the first degree, —

committed as follows :

The said Arthur C. Winman, —

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

— twenty-four — day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-eight —, at the City and County aforesaid,

was a person acting as executor and
trustee, having been duly appointed
as such by the last will and testament
of Mary Kent, deceased, which was
duly proven before the Surrogate of the
County of New York on the eighth day
of April, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty
five, in and by which said last will
and testament the said Mary Kent,
deceased, bequeathed certain personal
property to her grand-daughter Mary

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gave, devised and bequeathed
 of the said, and, all the rest, residue
 and remainder of her property unto
 the said Arthur P. Hummer, her
 executor, in trust, to take possession
 thereof, to sell and convert the same
 into cash, and to divide the proceeds
 thereof equally among her three
 children, Sarah of Wyandotte, William
 H. Kent and John H. Kent, and her
 two grand-daughters, Rachel A. Howell
 and Mary C. McCall, share and share
 alike, so that each of them should
 receive one fifth part of such personal
 estate; and after the probate of the
 said last will and testament the said
 Arthur P. Hummer duly qualified as such
 executor and trustee and letters testamentary
 were duly granted and issued to him
 as such executor by the said Surrogate,
 to wit: before the commission of the
 said Surrogate and Surrogate therein alleged.

And the said Arthur P. Hummer,
 so being such executor and trustee as
 aforesaid, and then and there acting as
 such, then and there, to wit: on the said
 12th day of June, in the year of
 our Lord one thousand eight hundred
 and eighty nine, at the City and County
 aforesaid, had in his possession and

including the value of appointments as
 such executor and trustee as aforesaid,
 certain money, goods, things in action,
 securities, evidences of debt and of prop-
 erty, and other valuable things and
 the proceeds thereof, to wit: the sum
 of six thousand and twelve dollars
 and ninety six cents in money, lawful
 money of the United States of America
 and of the value of six thousand
 and twelve dollars and ninety six
 cents, and divers goods, things in action,
 securities, evidences of debt and of
 property, and other valuable things
 and the proceeds thereof (a more
 particular description whereof is to
 be found and truly aforesaid unknown
 and cannot now be given) of the value
 of six thousand and twelve dollars
 and ninety six cents, being a portion
 of the residuary estate, and of the
 proceeds thereof, of the said Mary
 Keith, deceased, as again, devised and
 bequeathed to him the said Arthur
 P. Hume as such executor, in trust,
 as aforesaid.

And the said Arthur P. Hume,
 being such executor and trustee, so
 appointed as aforesaid, and then and

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There acting as such, afterwards, to
viz: on the said Ninth day of June,
in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty nine, at
the City and County of New York, in the
force and arms, did feloniously, secretly,
intold and appropriate to his own
use the said money, goods, things in
action, securities, evidences of debt and
deposits, and other valuable things
and the proceeds thereof, so then and
there in his possession and custody by
virtue of his appointment as such
executor and trustee as aforesaid, against
the form of the Statute in such
case made and provided, and against
the peace of the People of the State of
New York, and their dignity.

John R. Fellows,

Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hopkins, James

DATE:

07/11/89



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Witnesses;

The witness O'Brien cannot be
found - The People have made
a long & diligent search for
him & have failed to find him
Without his testimony the
defendant could not
be convicted - I therefore
recommend his discharge
on his own recognizance

Oct 25/89

J. M. Davis

Deputy

Counsel,

Filed.

day of

1889

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

Robbery in the first degree.
(MONEY)
[Sections 224 and 228, Penal Code].

James Hopkins

JOHN R. FELLOWS

District Attorney.

N. Y. C.

A True Bill

Foreman.

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on his own recognizance

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Court of General Sessions

The People etc.

vs.

James Hopkins

Indictment

Robbery 1st degree
§§ 224 & 228 P.C.

for having on the 25th of June, 1889,
assaulted the complainant James
Flynn and taken from him by
force the sum of \$90 in bills a-
mounting to \$88 and in coins
amounting to \$2, and also taken
from him by force a gold chain
of the value of \$25, the defendant
being aided in the robbery by
an accomplice actually present
whose name is to the Grand Jury
unknown.

Trial Witnesses:

Complainant Charles Flynn,

539 First Avenue.

Detective Bernard Malarky,

21st precinct

Baron Broker Hill C. Lewis, 634 Second Ave.

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City and county of New York, ss:

Charles Myers, being duly sworn, says he resides at No. 539 First Avenue. I am a laborer in the building trade. On the 25th of June, 1889, between 8 and 9 P.M. I took a car of the 23d and 34th Streets Cross town ~~car~~ and rode on the same to the foot of 34th Street. The said car drove through the L-alley, which ^{on First Avenue} ~~crosses~~ ^{runs} in the middle of the block between 33d & 34th Street, runs down towards the East River to near the ferry and then turns towards 34th Street, where ^{said} ~~the car~~ stopped. I went back through said alley towards First Avenue, and where I had ~~reached~~ gone about half way to said avenue, the three defendants, James Hopkins, Henry Smith and James O'Brien came upon me, Henry Smith held me from behind by the arms, while James Hopkins and James O'Brien searched my pockets and took from the right hand side ~~inner~~ ^{vest} pocket the sum of ~~\$90~~ ^{\$88} in bills, ^{and a gold chain of the value of \$25} from the left hand pants pocket the sum of \$2 in silver coins, ~~and~~ after they had taken

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the said property, they ran away. I was somewhat intoxicated at the time, but I am positive that O'Brien put his hand first into my vest pocket and took the said chain, and that Hopkins put his hand thereafter into said pocket and took the said bills. I am also sure that it was Hopkins who took the coins from my pants pocket. I did not resist the robbery, because I was afraid of bodily harm. As I was greatly excited, the Sergeant at the Station House, to whom I wanted to make a complaint against the defendants, requested me to come ^{again} next morning. On the 29th of June 1889, I identified the defendant ~~Hopkins~~ ^{Hopkins} in the Police Court, and on the 3rd of July, I at once recognized ~~Hopkins~~ ^{Hopkins} and Smith, in the street, when they were ~~brought~~ escorted by officer Malarky. I am positive in the identification of the said defendants.

Shown to before me
this 15th of August 1889

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Edward Grosse
Notary Public
City and County of New York

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City and county of New York, ss.
Bernard Maloney, being duly sworn, says, he is a detective in the 21st precinct. On the night of the 25th of June, 1889, the complainant, in company of his daughter came to the Station House and stated that he had been robbed. As he was, however, so much under the influence of liquor that he could not make a clear statement, the Sergeant told him, to come again the next morning. By direction of the Sergeant I went to complainant's house on the evening of the 26th of June, 1889. Detective McCarthy was in my company. The complainant gave me a description of the chain taken from him, and upon searching the pawnshops for it, I found it in the ^{pawn}shop of Will C. Lewis, in 634 Second Avenue. That was on the 27th of June. I brought the chain to the complainant and he and his 13 years old daughter and one Kate Marshal identified the said chain as complainant's property. At two o'clock P.M., of the 28th of June.

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1889, the defendant O'Brien came
 to the said pawnshop and redeemed
 the said chair, whereupon I arrested
 him with the chair in his pos-
 session. In the Station House he
 stated to me that he had bought
 the chair from the defendant
 Hopkins, and in the Police Court
 he repeated the said statement in
 the presence of Hopkins. The Court
 Clerk asked the complainant, whether
 O'Brien was one of the robbers,
 and he identified him most positively.
 On the 2d of July, 1889, Hopkins
 and Smith were arrested by officers
 Cott and Klon at the foot of 35th
 Street. Hopkins has served in the
 State Prison before and is known
 as a thief. Smith associates
 with him and other thieves. When
 I took the two men to the Police
 Court, the complainant stood
 on the steps of the building, and
 at once identified them as the
 two other robbers. Hopkins stated
 in court that he had not seen the
 said chair before and had not
 sold it to O'Brien.

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Sworn to before me } Bernard Malachuk
this 15th of August 1889 }

Edward Grosse
Notary Public
City and county of New York.

City and county of New York, ss:
Will C. Lewis, being duly sworn,
says, he resides at 634 Second Avenue,
where I also carry on a parson
shop. On the forenoon of the 26th
of June, 1889, ^{Edward Grosse} ~~as my name~~ ^{as my name} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~chain~~ ^{chain} with me, which the com-
plainant has since identified
as his property. I advanced him
\$6 on it. An hour afterwards
detective Malachuk put a stop
upon the chain and about half
an hour later G. W. Lewis came back
to redeem the chain. He said
he had bought it from a party
who went to Johnstown, Pa.
I told him to come back at six
o'clock in the evening, when
the detective would call. At
said time he returned, but the

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detective did not come, and I told him to come again at noon of the following day. Later in the evening I gave the chain to the detective for the purpose of having it identified by the complainant. On his return we arranged a plan for the arrest of O'Brien on the next day, and in pursuance thereof O'Brien was taken into custody in the afternoon of the 28th of June, 1889.

Proven to be before me
this 15th of August 1889 } Will Buss

Edward Grosse
Notary Public
City and County of New York.

City and County of New York, ss:

Charles Lott, being duly sworn, says, he is an officer of the New York Police force. That upon being informed that James Hopkins was wanted for a robbery, I kept an eye on him, and on the 2^d of July, 1889, I arrested him at the foot

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E.R.
of 35th Precinct, after he had broken
away from officer ~~Pottley~~ Shortall,
who had also been looking for him.
He did not say any thing.
Proven to before me
this 16th of August 1889 } Charles Lott
Edward Grose
Notary Public
City and county of New York

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.

James Hopkins

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

August 26 1888
Edward Bruce

Deputy Assistant.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Hapkins

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

James Hapkins

of the crime of ROBBERY IN THE *First* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *James Hapkins*.

#90.- late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty-fifth* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Charles Hymn*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and *four* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *five* 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*; *seven* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *four* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *five* 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*; *seven* 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*; *four* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of twenty dollars *each*; *five* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of ten dollars *each*; *ten* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of five dollars *each*; *ten* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of two dollars *each*; *ten* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of one dollar *each*;

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Two United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of twenty dollars each; Five United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of ten dollars each; Ten United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of five dollars each; and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of Ten dollars, and one
Dime of the value of twenty
five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Charles F. Fugate,
from the person of the said Charles F. Fugate, against the will,
and by violence to the person of the said Charles F. Fugate. —
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, the said
James M. Fugate, being then and
there aided by an accomplice
actually present, whose name is to
the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People
of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Howard, William

DATE:

07/09/89



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Witnesses who saw the alleged assault state that defendant was not at fault. Defendant dismissed and acquittal returned.

Witnesses:

A. J. Dandridge
336 Birt Ave
Off. Edward Wolfe
He Point

Sept 17-89.
In this case, I have examined the facts. The complainant is willing to withdraw the charge. The assault was evidently a thoughtless act on the part of the defendant, and it is doubtful if a jury, considering his condition, would convict him of more than a simple assault. He has already been in jail since June 25th and Dr. Field's certificate shows that the prisoner is in a very weak condition physically & mentally, and that further confinement may result in insanity upon these facts and the papers herewith submitted as to defendant's previous good character, and his acquittal on the charge of assault on the person of the complainant. I believe that the defendant is not a dangerous person and should be released.

W. H. D. Pass
West St. St. St.

Counsel,
Filed
Pleas,
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day of July

THE PEOPLE
vs.
William Howard
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Indictment from record
t. 1891
discharged
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discharged

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
(Signed, District Attorney)
On record for the City.
no motion of the
court off
Defendant's name
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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

William Howard

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. I believe that he has been sufficiently punished and would not have had him arrested if I had known that he was going to be kept in jail so many months.

Sept 17th 1889.

Adam Bender

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My General Savings

The People
vs.

Wm Howard

Withdraw

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DR. MATTHEW D. FIELD,
115 EAST 40TH ST.

New York, Sept. 9th 1889

Hon. H. H. Porter

President

Dear Sir:

By order of your
honorable Board I have ex-
amined William Howard now
confined in the City Prison.

He is in very poor physi-
cal condition & his con-
finement is most certainly
injuring his health & he
should be removed from
his present surroundings
as soon as possible.

He is mentally depressed, is
very emotional & irritable &
suspicious. I am unable to
say that he is not able to com-
prehend the nature of the indict-
ment or that he cannot aid his
attorney in forming a defense.

I desire to see Howard further
before rendering a medical
opinion of his mental condition.

Respectfully Submitted,

Matthew D. Field M.D.
Examiner in Training
The Commissioners of Public Charities & Corrections

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Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Adam Bender
of No. 331 First Avenue Street,

Caral beveller being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Monday the 24th day of June

in the year 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by William

Howard (now here) who struck
deponent several violent blows
upon deponent's head and body
with a piece of iron pipe which
he defendant held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 25 day
of June 1889

Adam Bender
Do hereby POLICE JUSTICE.

Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you ?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession ?

Answer.

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

Answer.

William Howard.

Taken before me this

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day of April 188

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John A. Kelly
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated June 25 188 7 Sam'l J. O'Reilly Police Justice.

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

Dated.....188.....Police Justice.

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

Dated.....188.....Police Justice.

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DR. MATTHEW D. FIELD,
115 EAST 40TH ST.

New York, Sept 5th 1889

J. R. Fellows Esq

~~district Attorney~~

Dear Sir:

On Sept. 6th

+ Sept. 9th I examined
William Howard and con-
fined in the City Prison, as
to his mental & physical con-
dition & made a report to
the Commissioners of Public
Charities & Corrections. This report
I supposed was to be forwarded
to you.

I found Howard to be in
very poor physical condition.
He was very nervous & depres-
sed. While I could not say
that he was incapable of com-
prehending the nature of the in-
dictment or of aiding his coun-
sel in the preparation of a
defense or that confine-
ment in an insane asy-

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DR. MATTHEW D. FIELD,
115 EAST 40TH ST.,

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New York,

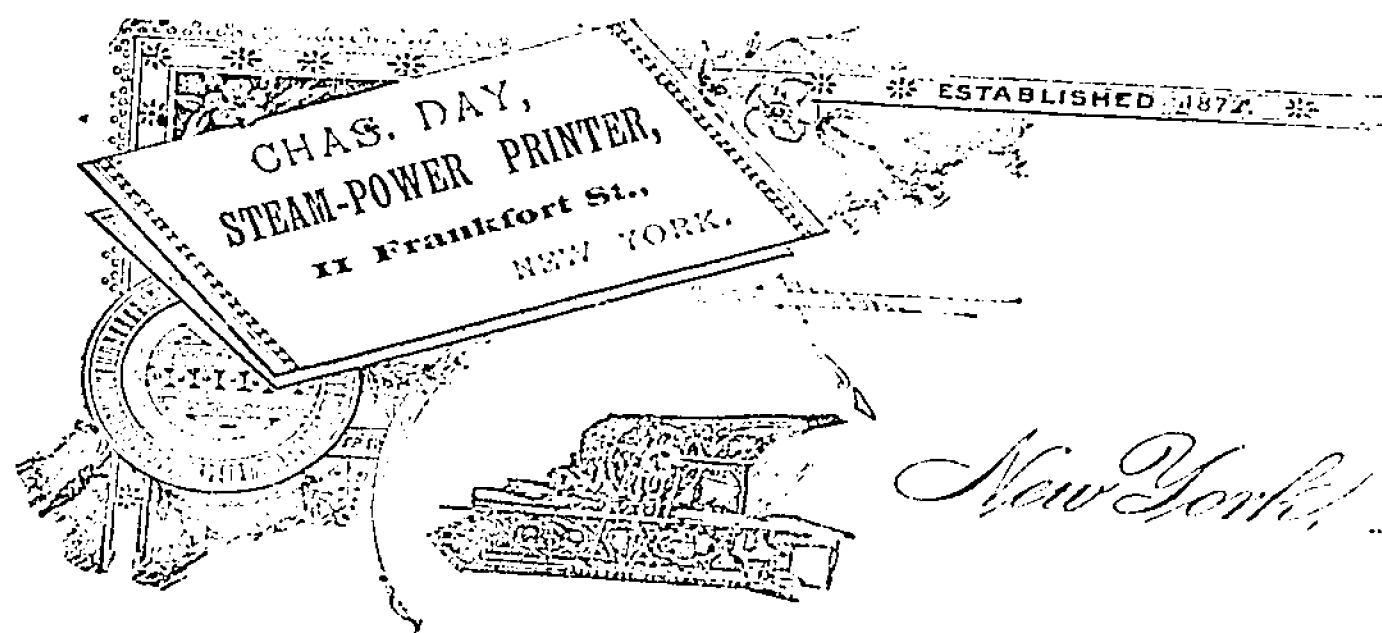
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him is necessary never-
less he is very morbid
stod + very close to insanity
+ that fact is conspicuous
in prison + worry will
make him a subject for
an asylum in a short
time. He needs medical
treatment + rest + quiet.

Respectfully Submitted

Matthew D. Field M.D.
Examiner in Lunacy

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New York, Sept. 16th 1889.

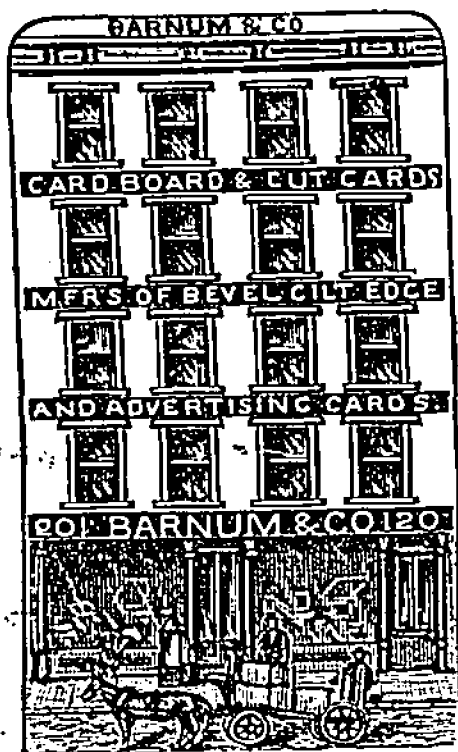
To Whom it may Concern:

This is to certify that William Howard was in my employ for over One year, I have always found him honest & reliable in his work. I think him an unfortunate fellow and would ask the leniency of the Court as I think he has suffered sufficiently.

With respect

Chas Day, Jr.

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New York, Sept 16th 1889.

To whom it may concern:— This is to
certify that William Howard was
in our employ for nearly a year
and we always found him thoroughly
honest in every respect, and we are
very much in favor of his release as
we think he has been sufficiently
punished.

Barnum & Co

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Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

Wm. Howard
Antonio Riccio
Robert Cochrane

Sept 5th '89

Dir. at the falling
route to Census
of charities to know
why Poorly Doctor
Should not
Examine also
Primary meeting

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New York Court of General Sessions
The People
vs
William Howard

At the Hon. John R. Allens D. Ct. etc
Please to take notice on all the proceed-
ings herein I shall move the Court
at Part II on the 6th day of September 1889
to admit the above D^{named} defendant
to bail in the sum fixed on the Indict-
ment and shall offer Mrs Ernestine
Schaffner as a surety on said bail

Purdy & McLaughlin
Attorneys for Defendant

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Ch. Y. Court of General Session
The People
vs
William Howard

Notice of appearance for
trial

Cordys MacLaughlin
Sept 6 Attorney for defendant

This motion

Mr. Brady
withdrawn
per Court's order

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William Howard

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
William Howard
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *William Howard*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty fourth day of *June* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Adam Bender*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and *here* the said *Adam Bender*
with a certain *piece of iron pipe*

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

with intent *him* the said *Adam Bender*
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
William Howard
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *William Howard*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid with force and arms, in and upon the body of
the said *Adam Bender*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said
Adam Bender

with a certain *piece of iron pipe*

which the said *William Howard*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did
wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said William Howard

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said
Adam Bender in the peace of the said People then
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and
him the said Adam Bender
with a certain piece of iron pipe
which he the said William Howard
in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the head
and body of him the said Adam Bender
then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said Adam Bender

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hunter, William

DATE:

07/03/89



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Witnesses:

Emma C. White
Off. John J. Sawyer
Capt. Police

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1889

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Hunter

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 587 Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Filed
July 17
Foreman.
Pleads
Cottone for

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Police Court- / - District.

Affidavit-Larceny.

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

Emma C. White

of No. *36 East Seventh* Street, aged *22* years,
occupation *Copyist* being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the *20th* day of *June* 188*9* at the City of New

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

*One pocket book containing good and
lawful money of the United States of the
value of about 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 *William Hunter (nowhere)*

*for the reasons that deponent was walking
in City Hall Park and carried said
pocket book containing said money in her
hand. That the defendant seized said
pocket book from her hand and ran
away*

Emma C. White.

Sworn to before me, this *20*
day of *June* 188*9*

[Signature]
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

William Hunter

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Hunter

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

8 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

360 East Houston St. 3 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

School boy

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. Another boy told me to take the pocket book

William ^{his} Hunter
mark

Taken before me this *20*

day of *June* 188*7*

Police Justice.

W. J. Hagan

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

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

Dated *June 25th* 188*9* *W. H. Hegan* *Police Justice.*

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

Dated.....188..... *Police Justice.*

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

Dated.....188..... *Police Justice.*

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Police Court--- *First* District. *926*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Emma C. Whitely
vs. *36 E. 7th*

William Hunter

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2.

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4.

Dated *June 20th* 188*9*

Hogan Magistrate.

John J. Devery Officer.

Park Precinct.

Witnesses *S. B. C.*

No. *100 E 23rd* Street.

Charles R. Gleason

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *300* to answer *G. S. Comer*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Hunter

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

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

The said

William Hunter

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth*
day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, in the *day* - time of the said day, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

*the sum of five
dollars in money, lawful
money of the United States, and
of the value of five dollars,
and one pocket-book of the
value of twenty-five cents*

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

*John R. Fellows,
District Attorney.*