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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Haggerty, Charles

**DATE:**

01/05/93



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Witnesses:

Thomas D. Linn

Officer Delaney

I am later pro  
made by me in  
the case. This  
the proper one  
be unable to obtain  
a connection upon  
the testimony of  
James D. Linn  
by doctoring up  
his own testimony  
W. D. Linn  
att.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Haggerty

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Post 19<sup>th</sup> Jan 1903

Case 2 Jan 1903

A TRUE BILL.

James D. Linn

Foreman.

Post 3. January 25/93  
Defendant discharged on  
his verbal recog.

Grand Larceny, Second Degree,  
[Sections 528, 53,  
Penal Code.]

188

day of

January

1903

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County  
of New York, ss:of No. 378 J. Avenue.  
occupation Bar tenderThomas J. DunnStreet, aged 32 years,being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 26 day of December 1892 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:

A. gold watch of the value of thirty  
five dollars - a gold chain of the  
value of eight dollars - and good and

lawful money of the United States of the  
amount of seven dollars - in all of the  
amount and value of fifty dollars (\$50)

the property of Frank Quigley and John A. Meagher  
and in deponent's care and custody

and that this deponent

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

Charles Baggerz (now here)  
from the following facts to wit: that between

the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock A.M. of said

date, deponent saw the aforesaid property

in a drawer behind the bar in the

Liquor Store, No 378 J. Avenue, and at that

time no other person was in said store

except deponent and said defendant, and

that deponent requested the defendant to keep

his eye open, while deponent went into a

room off said store - and that in a few

minutes deponent returned to said store and

discovered the defendant gone, and that

he immediately missed the aforesaid property

from said drawer. Deponent further says that no

other person was in said store, from the time that defendant went into said back room, until he returned to said store except the defendant - defendant therefore charges the defendant with having committed a Larceny and asks that he may be held and dealt with as the Law may direct -

Sworn to before me

This first day of January 1843

Thos. J. Duran

J. White

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

1882

City and County of New York, ss:

*Charles Waggert*

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 a 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 Waggert*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*433 E 8th Ave - 3 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Artist*

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*  
*Charles Waggert*

Taken before me this

day of

*John J. [Signature]*  
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

John 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, January 1 1893 M. J. Roberts Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Police Court--- District. 9

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Thomas L. Dunn*  
*Charles Wagner*

*James*  
Officer

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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 *January 1* 189 *3*

*James White* Magistrate.  
*Delay & Beesly* Officer.  
*2nd* Precinct.

Witnesses

No. *Franklin* Street.

*378*

No. *Mattie Smith* Street.

*301 - W 76th*

No. *1000* Street.

\$ *1000* to answer

*James*

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 Haggerty*

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

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

The said

*Charles Haggerty*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *26th*  
day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of thirty  
five dollars, one chain of the  
value of eight dollars, and the sum  
of seven dollars in money, law-  
ful money of the United States  
of America, and of the value of  
seven dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Frank Quigley*

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

*He Lancy Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hall, John

**DATE:**

01/05/93



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Witnesses:

*Emerson Hall*

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(18)

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleads,

*Wm. H. Hall*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P.*

*John Hall*

Assault in the First Degree, etc.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*J. C. Catlin*

Foreman.

Part 3. Jan 9/93

Pleads Assault

*S. H. P.*

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Police Court—4—District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }of No. 256 West 47<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 28 years,occupation Landlady being duly sworndeposes and says, that on 30 day of December 1892 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by John Hall

(nowhere) who cut and stabbed

deponent four times with a knife

then and there held in his hands, grievously

and dangerously cutting and wounding deponent's

left arm, shoulder, chest and

back and said assault

was committed

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 dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 1 day  
of January 1893Charles A. Linter Police Justice.Emma Hall  
mark

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Sec. 198—200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*John Hall*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*N.Y.*

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

Answer.

*22 Williams*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Porter*

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.*  
*Do I see*

Taken before me this

day of *June* 188*9*

*Charles H. Hester* 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 Alfred

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

Dated, May 1 189 Charles A. Fennell Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Police Court--- 7 District. 1

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anna Keall  
236 W 47 St  
John Keall

Offense Disorderly  
John

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated, Jan 7 189 3  
Samuel Morris Magistrate.  
Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 1000 to answer F.S.  
[Signature]

BAILABLE,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John T. Ball*

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

*John T. Ball*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*John T. Ball*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth*  
day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*two*—, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon  
the body of one *Emma T. Ball* in the peace of the said People  
then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and *he* the said  
*Emma T. Ball* with a certain *knife*

which the said

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

*he* the said *Emma T. Ball*  
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

*John T. Ball*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*John T. Ball*  
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  
*Emma T. Ball* in the peace of the said  
People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault,  
and *he* the said *Emma T. Ball*  
with a certain *knife*

which the said

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.

## THIRD COUNT—

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

*John T. Call*

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

The said

*John T. Call*

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 *Emma T. Call* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *her* the said

with a certain *knife Emma T. Call*

which *her* the said

*John T. Call*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *arms, shoulders, chest and back* of *her* the said

*Emma T. Call*

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 wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said

*Emma T. Call*

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hammar, Joseph

**DATE:**

01/27/93



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Witnesses:

Augusta Meyer  
Officer Foley  
W. Muller

Subscribed and sworn to  
+ certified by me  
14th  
Appears to  
be deft. first  
Criminal  
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Counsel,  
Filed 27 day of May 1893  
Pleads, *guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
22  
45  
Christopher  
vs.  
Dater  
Hermann  
Joseph Stamm  
Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
[Sections 523, 531, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLI,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. Cattini  
Foreman

Date Feb. 10, 1893  
Tried and convicted with  
strong recommendation for mercy  
Al R. K. L. W.  
Feb. 17/93



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defendant came into the room. I chattered with the defendant awhile and the bell rang downstairs again. I went downstairs to open the door. A young man was at the door and he asked me some question in reference to some people in the house. Then he asked me to show him some rooms and I brought him upstairs to show him the rooms. When I returned the defendant was still in the room with his friend and shortly after that left. I then went into the front room and looked around and found that the toilet box and the manicure set and a gold watch and chain was missing. I did not give the defendant these articles nor give him permission to take them away.

Cross-examination:

The defendant had been visiting my daughter for some time. I did not know that they were engaged to be married. I did not know the man who was with the defendant except by the name of Frank. He was there all the time the defendant was there. I did not see the defendant take the toilet box and manicure set or the gold watch. There was nobody else there to take it but himself and this man Frank. They remained in the room while I went down to the door to answer the bell and afterwards I was showing the young man some of the rooms that were to rent in the house.

JOSEPH MILLER, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live at 151 Forsythe Street. I am a baker. I have known the defendant about two months. He worked in the bakery with me. One day after Christmas he asked

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me if I would go and see his girl and give her a box which he gave me. I did so. I went to the girl and I says: "Here is a box from your fellow". After awhile he said to me he would like to see if he could not get his box back; that he has other girls to give it to. I did not go to try and get the box back for him. I did not tell him I would go. I do not know any more about the box.

JOHN POLEY, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer attached to the E leventh Precinct. I arrested the defendant on the 24th. of January at 75 Chrystie Street upon the complaint of Mrs. Meyer. I told him what he was arrested for. He wanted to know what it was. I told him that it was some stuff that he carried away from Mrs. Meyer's house yesterday. He said he had not been in her house in a week.

DEFENSE.

JOSEPH HAMMAR, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I live at 75 Chrystie Street. I am a baker. I did call on the complainant in company with my friend Frank to get my accordion which I had loaned her daughter. I remained there about five or ten minutes. Frank remained with me a short time but after about five minutes he went away. I remained in the kitchen until Mrs. Meyer came back. I did not steal the articles that I am charged with stealing. I was never engaged to be married to the complainant's daughter.

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## Cross-examination:

I paid \$4.65 for the manicure set. I did not tell the officer that I had not been in Mrs. Meyer's room for a week before my arrest. I have never been convicted of any crime before.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree, with a strong recommendation to the mercy of the court.

Indicating Filed Jan 27/1893

Panel of General Sessions  
Part II

The People vs.

vs.

Joseph Hannan.

Abstract of testimony  
which, New York,

Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> 1893.

Police Court

3<sup>rd</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:Augusta Meyer  
of No. 140 Forsyth Street, aged 45 years,  
occupation Janitor being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1893 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away  
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:A manicure or Toilet Box a silver  
watch and a gold chain all  
of the value of about Thirty Seven  
dollarsthe property ~~is~~ in deponent care and chargeand that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-  
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Joseph Hamock  
(now here) and two other men not arrested  
who were acting in concert for  
the reasons that on said day the  
defendant Hamock and one of the  
other men known as Frank called  
upon deponent at the above address.  
That said property was in deponent's  
apartment. That during said visit  
by said Hamock and Frank, the other  
man not arrested called at said  
house and upon deponent as janitor  
to show him apartments in the house  
which were vacant, with the object  
of hiring them. Deponent being acquainted

Sworn to before me, this

of

1893

day

Police Justice.

with Hamock and Frank, permitted them to remain in her rooms while she went to show the other man the vacant apartment. Said man kept deponent unusually long in his inspection and then departed and when deponent returned to her room she found that Hamock was there but Frank had departed and deponent ~~there~~ ~~and then discovered~~ ~~said property~~ ~~missing~~ enquired of Hamock the reason for said Frank's departure but he could give no proper explanation except that Frank had gone to get a drink. Hamock a few minutes thereafter left and then deponent discovered the loss of said property. That by reason of the circumstances deponent has just cause to believe that the defendant and the two other men acted in concert in the

I said skating.  
Sworn to before me  
this 24<sup>th</sup> January, 1893

Chas. L. Lee  
Police Justice

Wm. W. W. W.

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(1835)

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

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District Police Court

*Joseph Hancock*  
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.

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.

day of

Taken before me this

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Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT.

DISTRICT.

That on the 24th day of Decr 1898  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
I, John Foley, being duly sworn, deposes and says

Joseph James (now here, was wrestled at the instance of Mrs Myers, who charged him with murder. Dependent here that he be removed to enable Dependent to get the necessary evidence

John Foley

Sworn to before me, this

24th day

1898

Police Justice.

Police Court, B 140 District.

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ex. 24 Jan'y at 2 Pm  
to prove the seizure  
of entry from where the  
goods stolen

Orlando Hammer  
AFFIDAVIT.

Dated Jan 24 1893  
Reed Holey Magistrate.  
J H Orr Officer.

Witness, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Disposition, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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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 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, Jan 24 1893 Thasphale Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

When did you stop Mr. [unclear] [unclear]

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*1440 - sp. aug. 15 25 July at 2.  
17 persons released for confinement*

140 3 111  
Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Augusta Meyer*  
*140 Forestry*  
*vs.*  
*Joseph Hancock*  
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*officer*  
*Grand Juror*

BAILED,

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



Dated, *Jan 24* 189*3*  
*Krook* Magistrate.  
*Foley & Placer* Officer.  
*11* Precinct.

Witnesses *Joseph Miller*  
No. *75* *Chrystin* Street.  
*John Foley*  
No. *11* *Precinct* Street.

No. *1000* Street.  
\$ *1000* to answer *GS*  
*C*

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Joseph Hammar*

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

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

The said

*Joseph Hammar*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *23rd*  
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one toilet box of the value of five  
dollars, one watch of the value  
of fifteen dollars and one chain  
of the value of twenty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Augusta Meyer*

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

*De Kinsky Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Harkins, James

**DATE:**

01/27/93



4637

Witnesses:

Wm. Fowler

Scout

Officer

Capt. Burke

Walker & King  
Grocers

Mark Anderson

Recruiting

Ch. Fair

1893

Counsel,

Filed

day of

Pleads,

1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Harkins

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
[Sections 528, 537, Penal Code.]

A TRUE BILL.

D. C. C. C.

Foreman.

Aug 27/93

Aug 27/93

Ch. Fair

Feb 10/93

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(1365)

Police Court—10th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

William A. Fowler  
of No. 30 Brown Street, aged 53 years,  
occupation Sticks and bones being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 18 day of January 1893 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

Gold and silver money  
of the United States of the  
amount and value of  
One hundred and ten  
dollars — 40 cts  
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 James Hastings  
for the reasons following to wit:  
on the said date deponent gave the  
said money to deponent to deliver  
the said money to the Lincoln  
National Bank in this City and  
this deponent after being informed  
of his rights admit and confesses  
to having failed to deliver said  
money to said Bank and to having  
appropriated the said money to his  
own use.

Wm A. Fowler

Sworn to before me, this

23- day

of

1893

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*James Harris* 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 a charge against *him*; that the statement is designed to enable *him*, if he see fit, to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *him*; that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *his* waiver cannot be used against *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*James Harris*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*140 Cherry St., 8 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Freightman - messenger*

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 -*  
*James Harris*

Taken before me this

day of

1892

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.....

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, Aug 25 1893..... A. J. White Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189..... Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Wm Fowler*  
*30 2nd*  
*James Hastings*

*Wm Fowler*  
*James Hastings*

BAILED,

No. 1, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 2, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 3, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 4, by.....

Residence..... Street.

2.....  
3.....  
4.....

Dated, *Jan 25* 189 *3*

*White* Magistrate.

*Wm Fowler* Officer.

*15. Wey* Precinct.

Witness *Paying teller of*  
*Lincoln National Bank* Street.

No. .... Street.

No. *500* Street.

\* *500* to answer *9/8*

*9/8*

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/ District Police Court.  
New York Jan 31 1891

My Dear Friend

On last Friday a boy  
named James Hawkins pleaded  
guilty to Larceny - before you  
his Father & Mother have  
resided in the 7 ward for  
over 15 years and they are  
industrious sober people and are  
very anxious about the boy as  
it is his first offence  
you will greatly oblige me by  
exercising your charity on him  
when brought up for sentence -  
if you cannot suspend sentence  
I believe his family will be satisfied  
if he is sent to the Elmira Reformatory  
any kindness shown him will be greatly

/ District Police Court.  
New York.

Hon F. Smyth  
addressed

**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 Harkins*

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

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE

*second*

DEGREE, committed

as follows:

The said

*James Harkins*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eighteenth*  
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*the sum of one hundred and  
ten dollars in money, lawful  
money of the United States of  
America, and of the value of  
one hundred and ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*William A. Fowler*

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

*De Lancey Russell  
District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Harrington, Etta

**DATE:**

01/23/93



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Witnesses:

Oliver O'Leary

the defendant is all over  
the her life while  
in a fit of depression.  
I could stand it  
probable that she  
will repeat it. No  
good purpose can  
be served by keeping  
her in prison over  
after an admission  
from her lawyer I  
think the indictment  
should be dismissed.

Lancey Nicoll

Dist Atty.

May 21 1893

McLagden  
Counsel,

Filed  
23 day of May 1893

Pleads, May 24/93

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Etta Harrington

ATTEMPTING SUICIDE.

(Section 174, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. C. Cullen

Foreman.

May 21/93

Indictment

Dismissed

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Sec. 198-200.

31 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

*Etta Harrington*

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 sees 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. *Etta Harrington*

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. *18 W. 135th St. Six weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Severing*

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*

*Etta Harrington*

Taken before me this

day of

*Sept 17 1893*

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

*Alfred Deane*

*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 17* 189 *3*

*John C. Burke* Police Justice.

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

Dated, *June 18* 189 *3*

*John C. Burke* Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 5 --- District. 73 1894

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Timothy O'Leary  
Etta Harrington

Offense Attempted  
Suicide

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Martha A. Walter  
341 Willis Ave  
Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated,

January 17  
Blauke  
O'Leary  
39

1893

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

500-

to answer

GS  
Bailed  
On

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CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.

1895

of No. 29th Precinct West Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says  
 that on the 31st day of December 1895

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Etta Harrington

(now here) did, with the intent to take  
 her own life, feloniously commit  
 upon herself, an act dangerous to  
 human life in violation of section  
 174 of the Penal Code of the State of  
 New York.

Deponent further says that at the hour  
 of 1.25- o'clock A.M. said date he found  
 the said defendant in a room on the 4th  
 floor of the premises no 18. W 155th St.

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suffering from a gun shot wound in the left breast. and that the defendant admitted that she had shot herself with the intent to take her own life. Wherefore defendant charge the said defendant with attempted suicide and prays he may be dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me } Timothy H. O'Leary

AFFIDAVIT.

this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1893

Magistrate  
Officer.

Wm. J. Burke  
Police Justice

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Dated

Witness,

Disposition,

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

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OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Rosa Marimón*

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

*Rosa Marimón*

of the CRIME OF ATTEMPTING SUICIDE, committed as follows:

The said *Rosa Marimón*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirty first*  
day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, with intent to take *her* own life,  
*a certain pistol then and there changed*  
*and loaded with gunpowder and*  
*lead, to, at, against and upon herself*  
*then and there unlawfully and feloniously*  
*did shoot off and discharge;*

the same being an act dangerous to human life, 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Harris, Jacob

**DATE:**

01/23/93



4637

Witnesses:

U. H. James

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Counsel,  
Filed day of Aug 1893  
Pleads, *W. H. James*

Robbery, (Sections 224 and 22 & Penal Code.)  
Degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Jacob Harris

*Sept 193*

*Chick & Co. connected  
of state agency*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

*1376 N. 1st St.  
(91)*

A TRUE BILL.

*W. H. James, present*

*W. H. James*

Feb 14 Foreman.

*W. H. James*

Feb 16 - Part I

*all witnesses present*

Feb 21 Part II

*Pen 6 m.*

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The People  
 Jacob Harris (Court of General Sessions. Part I  
 Before Judge Cowing. February 21. 1893  
 Indictment for Robbery in the first degree.  
 Jacob H. James, sworn and examined.  
 testified. I live in No. 250 West Fifty first street  
 in this city. I know the defendant slightly  
 to speak to him. Do you remember seeing  
 him on the night of the 31<sup>st</sup> of December 1892?  
 Yes, at No. 150 West Twenty Seventh street in  
 this city; it is a regular dance hall.  
 What time did you see him there  
 that night? From about eleven o'clock up  
 till two o'clock in the morning. Did you  
 between eleven and two o'clock have any  
 difficulty with him of any kind? None  
 whatever. What time did you leave the  
 place? I did not leave until half past  
 three or four o'clock. Was it about half  
 past three or four o'clock that you saw  
 this man? No, it was in the earlier  
 part of the evening. When did you lose  
 your watch? I lost my watch between  
 the hours of twelve and two o'clock. I  
 cannot locate it any nearer than  
 that because I did not know exactly  
 when it happened. How was the watch  
 taken from you? There was a little  
 scrimmage started in the hall down  
 by the door. I went down by the

door in my shirt sleeves. I felt somebody at my pocket. I turned around and grabbed hold of his hand. I was struck. I did not pay any attention to the striking. I goes down in his pocket. You were struck? Yes. Were you knocked off your feet? No. Who struck you? That I could not tell; there was a crowd. What did you do, grab this defendant? <sup>Yes</sup> and went in his overcoat pocket and took out my watch. I did not have any coat on at all. I was in my shirt sleeves. Was he near the door? <sup>Yes</sup> very near the door. You are quite confident that the hand that was on your watch was his hand? I turned deliberately and he was right behind me. Did you see him? <sup>Yes</sup>.

What was the value of that watch? About three or four dollars. Do you know a man named Charles Davis?

Yes, he was proprietor of the place he was there at the time he saw me take the watch out of his pocket; he came to see what the disturbance was

Cross Examined. Davis is the owner of the dance hall. How far was he when this altercation took place? I do not know.

I did not see him there. What were you  
 doing there? I was a waiter there. What  
 time did you go to that place to dance?  
 I went there at eight o'clock in the even-  
 ing. When did you leave? Half past  
 three or four o'clock in the morning. This  
 occurrence took place in a lighted  
 dance hall right on the floor. There  
 was some trouble there and I rushed  
 over. The defendant grabbed my watch  
 right off; he was right behind me.  
 When I turned around he was facing  
 me; he was the first one I saw. Did  
 you actually grab his hand on  
 your watch? Yes, at the same time  
 he went in my pocket, the watch was  
 gone and I felt the hand. I grabbed his  
 hand with my hand, I turned right  
 around and the man was up  
 against the wall. He did not have the  
 watch in his hand. He said, "I have  
 no watch. You did not see him  
 take the watch? No. He was immediately  
 behind me. I grabbed him. He had his  
 hands up. He said, "I have not got  
 your watch." I found the watch in  
 his pocket. During the time I was  
 looking for the watch I was stuck.

Did you get your watch back again?<sup>27</sup>  
 There was quite a number of people  
 around. I worked for Davis for six  
 months. They have dances there every  
 night. I worked down at Surf Beach  
 all the summer. I worked for a doctor.  
 I do not recollect his name; it was  
 on Ocean Avenue. He kept a boarding  
 house during the summer. My father  
 lives at Surf Beach. I worked for  
 the doctor one month. I did not get  
 the defendant arrested in the dance  
 hall. I did not cause his arrest until  
 two or three days afterwards. He got  
 away that night. I afterwards seen  
 him and said to him, "you done  
 decidedly wrong by doing what you did."  
 He made the remark, "What are you  
 bellowing about? you will never get  
 your stuff back - you are lucky to get  
 it back." I says, "that aint right." He  
 says, "I am not the man."

Charles Davis sworn and examined.  
 I live at No. 145 West Twenty Seventh St.  
 I am a caterer. I keep a dancing aca-  
 demy at 150 West Twenty Seventh St. I was  
 in my academy on the night of the 31<sup>st</sup>  
 of December and the morning of the first

of January last. Did you see Jacob H. James and Jacob Harris there? Yes sir.

Were you present at a scuffle that occurred at the door some time between eleven and two o'clock? Yes. Will you tell us what you saw Mr. Harris do or what was done to Mr. Harris in your presence just about the time of that scuffle? As far as I can remember Mr. Harris came into my place, I don't know the time, but I know it was a late hour of the morning. There were some more fellows with him. I says to him, "Mr. Harris, I thought I asked you not to come in my place. This time he pulled out a knife and made an attempt —

By the Court. Now about the watch business? I will tell you what occurred about the watch. Mr. Harris came in with a gang of fellows and started a row and during the row one lady lost a pocket book. What do you know about the watch, did you see it stolen? I did not see it stolen. I saw the complainant take it out of the defendant's pocket. How was the defendant dressed, did he have an overcoat on him? Yes sir.

I think the complainant had an overcoat too. Were you present when

This defendant Harris was searched, when somebody went through his pocket? Nobody went through his pocket except one man hit this fellow behind his head. In the mean time when I looked this fellow James went down into his (the defendant's overcoat pocket. What did this defendant say? He claimed that somebody put it (the watch) in his pocket. I did not hear him say that, I heard that he did say that.

Cross-Examined. How long do you know this defendant? I could not say, over six months. There is considerable ill feeling between you and the defendant? None in the world. You told him to keep out of your dance hall. Yes, I had my reasons for it. Did you ever tell him you would send him to prison or have him arrested? No. I could not send anybody to prison. It is not a dance hall that I keep but a dancing academy. You give dancing lessons? Yes. Did you put this watch into the defendant's pocket that night? No, I was not close enough to him. Did you see anybody put it in there before it was found there? No sir. Have you ever convicted of keeping a

disorderly house there at that dance hall? No. Are you positive of that? I am. Adam Long, sworn and examined. Did you arrest this defendant? Yes. About the 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup> of January on the complaint of Mr. James? Yes sir. Where you arrested him and took him to the station house did you have any conversation with him about Mr. James' watch? Yes. What was it? I asked him why did he take this man's watch? He says, I only took it in fun.

Cross Examined. Who was present, your partner? No. Anybody else? No. You did not make the arrest of this man? Yes. Where did you arrest him? Right opposite the dance hall. He was lying around there with two or three other fellows. That was three or four days after the crime was committed? Yes, but the robbery was reported New Year's morning. There was an officer with me at the time of the arrest, but it was not officer Sullivan; it was officer Louney. Did not Louney make the arrest and turn him over to you? No; we were both together. I was the first man that laid hands on the prisoner. I took him to the station house and arraigned him before the Sergeant.

## Case for the Defence.

Counsel I ask your Honor to take away from the consideration of the jury robbery in the first degree.

The Court I will submit it as grand larceny from the person.

Jacob Harris, sworn and examined. Have you ever been arrested charged with any offence before the arrest in this case? I have been locked up once for fighting and fined three dollars. Did you take this watch from the complainant? No. I did not. He says that you swung his watch off and he followed you right around and took it out of your pocket? No. I did not. Did he take it out of your pocket that night? No, he did not. How do you account for this man making this charge against you? These people are dead sure against me because I am a fellow that went go round and spend my money among them. Davis is mad at me because I beat him out of some money one night when we were playing cards. I did not tell the officer I took the watch in fun.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of petty larceny.

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Testimony in the  
case of  
Jacob Harris  
filed

Jan 1893

W. C.

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Sec. 198-200.

1882  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*Jacob Harris*

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 a 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.

*Jacob Harris*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*N. S.*

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

Answer.

*181 West 27 St - 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Writer*

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  
Jacob Harris.*

Taken before this

day of

1891

Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Jacob H. James  
of No. 250 West 41<sup>st</sup> Street, Aged 32 Years  
Occupation Writer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
31<sup>st</sup> day of December 1892 at the 1<sup>st</sup> Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

a silver watch

26 W. Canal St.

of the value of Three DOLLARS,  
the property of Deponent an enthusiast  
and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was  
feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

Jacob Harris, (now here, Deponent  
wore the said watch in a hall  
in a house at No 150 West 27<sup>th</sup>  
Street, and Defendant pulled the  
said watch out of deponent's vest  
pocket, and wrung it off the  
chain attached to deponent's vest  
while at the same time deponent  
was struck on the head with  
a fist by some person unknown to  
deponent, as deponent believes, by some  
person acting in concert with the  
Defendant Jacob H. James

day of  
Subscribed before me, this  
1893  
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

*Jacob Harris*  
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, *Jan 6* 189*7* *Don R. Ryan* Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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Police Court---

2<sup>nd</sup> District. 36

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jacob H. James  
250 10<sup>th</sup> St  
Jacob Harris

James  
Harris  
Offense  
Robbery

BAILED,

No. 1, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 2, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 3, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 4, by.....

Residence..... Street.

Dated,

Jan 6<sup>th</sup> 1899  
Ryann  
Ballman & Lang  
19

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Lela Davis Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ 1000 to answer G.S.

1000 & July 6 - 2 PM

W.M.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Jacob Harris*

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

*Jacob Harris*

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

The said *Jacob Harris,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirty first* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, ~~in the~~ *time of the said day*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Jacob M. James,* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make, an assault; and

*one watch of the value of*  
*three dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Jacob M. James,* from the person of the said *Jacob M. James,* against the will and by violence to the person of the said *Jacob M. James,* then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, the said

*Jacob Harris* *being* *there* and *there* aided by a confederate actually present, whose name is to the Grand Jury *known* as yet 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.

*Delaney Hill,*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Harris, Jennie

**DATE:**

01/11/93



4637

Riv. Lynch

Charactering

Barry D.

See above and  
Census for the  
name of Aggie  
dean Oct 4/97  
of 75

Filed

## Pleads.

# THE PEOPLE

**vs.**

1890

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

# A TRUE BILL,

Dear Sir  
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
 Yours, Sir, very obediently,  
 J. W. Smith

Assault in the Second Degree.  
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

*Foreman,*

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(1885)

Police Court—4<sup>th</sup> District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 520 - 3 Avenue 9<sup>th</sup> St Ermon Green Street, aged 22 years,  
occupation waiter being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 1893 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 of the amount and  
value of Twenty - four Dollars  
(24.00)

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

Jennie Harris (now here)  
from the fact that said property was in a pocket book which was in a pocket of a pair of pants on a chair in a room occupied by deponent in premises at 520 - 3 Avenue at about the hour of 1 A.M. on the aforesaid day and deponent went to bed and at about the hour of 4 A.M. deponent awoke and saw said defendant in said room and some time thereafter deponent found said pocket book on the floor and said money was gone and no other person was in said room except said defendant from the time deponent placed said money in said pants until deponent missed said property as aforesaid.

J Green

Sworn to before me, this  
of January 1893

Charles H. Smith Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Jennie Harris*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Philadelphia Pa.*

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

Answer. *N<sup>o</sup> 617 - 2 Avenue & about 8 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Seamstress*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.*  
*Jennie Harris*  
*Mark*

Taken before me this

5

day of

March

1905

at

New York

City

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, May 1 1893 Charles N. Linton Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

#500 for ex  
Jan'y. 5/92. 2PM.

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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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Simon F. Fenn  
C. 520 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue 10<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
Jennie Buttrick

2.....

3.....

4.....

Offense.

Dated, Jan'y 5 1893

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses James C. Sean

No. 520 Third Ave. Street.

No. July 10 1893

FOREMAN.

No. \$5. Street.

\$ to answer

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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

Jennie Harris

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

Jennie Harris

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said Jennie Harris

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the sum of twenty-four dollars  
in money, lawful money of the  
United States of America, and  
of the value of twenty-four  
dollars and one pocketbook of the  
value of fifty ~~dollars~~ cents  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Simon Green

then and there being found, then and there unlawfully 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.

De Lancey McCall,  
District Attorney

Witnesses:

V. Sears

Simon Green

Subscribed and  
sworn to before me  
the Chang Xuein was  
dismissed by Star  
Judge, and this  
indictment was  
quashed by the Foreman  
through mistake.

We therefore recommend  
that this indictment  
be dismissed.

There is another  
indictment pending  
against defendant  
for an assault,  
and we recommend

I concur in the above.  
Jan 11/93 Wm. Davis, Clerk

Sections 528, 582  
PETIT LARCENY.  
Penal Code.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Jennie Davis  
(accused)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

Jan 11/93

Mr. Rades on  
no of Dacey

TRUE BY  
J. C. Cather

Foreman.

See exhibit 101

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Jimmie Harris* 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. *Jimmie Harris*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Md.*

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

Answer. *21 1/2 St. Ave. 5 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Strawstres*

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*  
*Jimmie Harris*  
*Mark*

Taken before me this *1st* day of *May* 19*23*  
*Charles J. Hunter*  
Police Justice.

1115

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 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *R. Purdum*  
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, *May 3* 1893 *Charles M. Linton* Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court---

128 District

THE PEOPLE &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Wm Lynch*  
*151 E 5th St*  
*James Harris*

*John W. Harris*  
Officer

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated, *May 5* 189 *3*

*John W. Harris* Magistrate.

*John W. Harris* Officer.

*Court* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

*to answer*

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City Prison, Jan 21st 72

Friend

I have been thinking of you  
 much lately. I have been thinking of you  
 and how you are getting on. I have been  
 thinking of you and how you are getting on.  
 I have been thinking of you and how you are  
 getting on. I have been thinking of you and  
 how you are getting on. I have been thinking  
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 are getting on. I have been thinking of you  
 and how you are getting on. I have been  
 thinking of you and how you are getting on.

she can't get me. I have always  
worked for my living & never from  
any one but myself. when I  
sometimes take much drink there  
is good for me. But in coming to  
this case I was ignorant. I saw  
the woman when I was brought to  
back to the bank & she told me  
she would do what to do against  
me but was compelled to do so.

I have a little girl twelve or  
15 years old is dependent upon  
me for support as my husband  
is dead; and for the sake of my  
little child and as you have  
a father, please me all the money  
that may be in your power & may

God bless you

By your wish to Carpenter  
brother in law. I am with you in  
Chicago send a note to Mrs. Stack  
she can give you full particulars.

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Police Court— 11 District.

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

of No. 151 East 57<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 43 years,  
occupation Naturalist & Artist being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on 5 day of May 1893 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by  
Jennie Harris, (mother), who cut  
and stabbed deponent once in the  
forehead with a hat pin, which she  
defendant then and there held in her  
hand. Deponent further says  
that such assault was committed

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 dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 5 day }  
of May 1893 }

Charles K. Linton Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

Jennie H. Harris

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

Jennie H. Harris

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

The said

Jennie H. Harris

late of the City and County of New York, on the fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully did make an assault; and the said

Rose Ryer  
Jennie H. Harris

with a certain hat pin which is the said

Jennie H. Harris

in her right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, her, the said Rose Ryer then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, bruise 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.

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Jennie T. Carr*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Jennie T. Carr*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,  
at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the said

*Rosa Dyck*

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously  
did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault; and the said *Jennie T. Carr*  
the said *Rosa Dyck*  
with a certain *law*

which *she* the said

*Jennie T. Carr*

in *her* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the  
*head* of *her* the said

*Rosa Dyck*

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat,  
bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully  
and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Rosa Dyck*

to the great damage of the said *Rosa Dyck*  
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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hartel, Daniel

**DATE:**

01/05/93



4637

Witnesses:

D. Lewis

Officer Scott

James H. Houser  
Funeral

7 First Avenue  
Amfor office  
Houser says  
that week of  
up to Sept last  
when he kept him  
near good

(X) 1123

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of Sept 1899

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Daniel Threl

Burglary in the Third Degree  
(Section 498, 502, 503, 504, 505)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. C. Catlin  
Aug 5/99  
Foreman.

Thos. Dwyer  
Aug 5/99  
J. Dwyer  
Aug 5/99

Police Court— District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 259 Delancey Street, aged 22 years, occupation Manufacturer of Sausages, being duly sworn deposes and says, that the premises No. 259 Delancey Street, 13th Ward in the City and County aforesaid the said being a three story brick building the store floor & ~~which~~ of which was occupied by deponent as a factory and sleeping apartment and in which there was at the time ~~human being~~ ~~by name~~

~~we~~ BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly ~~opening the~~ ~~blinds~~ on the window ~~feeling~~ from the said premises ~~to~~ into the yard and then raising the window

on the 24 day of December 1882 in the light time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Three coats and a quantity of Sausage casing, all of the value of about forty Dollars

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

James Harding (nowhere) for the reasons following, to wit: that at about 11 o'clock P.M. previous night deponent Henry ~~James~~ and looked the said premises. that at about 1230 o'clock A.M. said deponent returned to the said premises. discovered the trunk and entry and found the defendant secreted in the cellar of the said premises. that the

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Said writ was prepared  
for removal from the said  
Docket  
Dated Dec 18 1892 } O. A. Lewis  
J. J. Duffy  
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  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_  
I there being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

vs.

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer General Sessions.

Offence—BURGLARY.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Daniel Harding* 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 sees 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.

*Daniel Harding*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*28 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*513 East 14th St. New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*None*

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.*  
*Daniel Hartel*

Taken before me this

day of

*24*

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 Argele Aluel

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.

*Wm. H. Smith* Police Justice

Dated, 22-2-189

*Police Justice.*

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

Dated, ..... 189

*Police Justice.*

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

*Dated,*.....189

*Police Justice.*

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Police Court,

1607 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Lewis*  
*Drum. Hunting*

*Offense*  
*Drum. Hunting*

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

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Dated,

*Dec 27*

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

*Call Officer*

No

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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*1000*

to answer

*Call*

*Call*

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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

*Daniel Kartel*

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

*Daniel Kartel*

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

The said *Daniel Kartel*

late of the *13th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*24th* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two* in the *night*-time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *factory* of  
one *Isidor Lewis*

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 *Lewis*  
*Lewis* in the said *factory*  
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

*Daniel Kartel*

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

The said *Daniel Kartel*

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,

*three coats of the value of eight  
dollars each, and a quantity of  
sausage-casings, (a more par-  
ticular description whereof is to  
the Grand Jury aforesaid un-  
known) of the value of twenty  
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Isidor Lewis*

in the *factory* of the said *Isidor Lewis*

there situate, then and there being found, in the *factory*  
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.

*Al Laurey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hassett, Arthur

**DATE:**

01/06/93



4637

Witnesses:

Arthur Nicolli

Officer Carles

Counsel,

Filed

day of *May* 189*3*

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*2*

Arthur Hassett

DE LANCEY NICOLI,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*J. Cathin*

Foreman.

*Feb 3. January 24 93*

*Indes and Legentot*

Robbery, (Sections 224 and 228, Penal Code.)  
Degree.

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Police Court-- / District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss  
OF NEW YORK,

Pietro Gubiali

of No. 89 James Street, Aged 32 Years

Occupation Shoemaker being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

26 day of December 1887 at the 4th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One Double faced silver watch

of the value of Thirteen DOLLARS,

the property of Deponent

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

Nathan Hasset (nowhere) and another person unknown to deponent and who is as yet not arrested and who were acting in concert for the purpose of obtaining the same. On the aforesaid day said deponent was in Court Street about the hour of 11 o'clock am and had said watch to which was attached a chain in the left hand upper vest pocket of the vest he had on and said unknown person who is as yet not arrested came up to deponent and flourishing

day of

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice.

a knife at defendant's face and body. said defendant grabbed the said property and ran away with the same, and defendant fully identifies said defendant as the person who took said property and who was acting in concert with the said runaway person not yet arrested and defendant charges him with the Robbery aforesaid.

Sworn to before me this 29th day of December 1892  
*John P. Ryan* Police Justice  
*Pietro* his  
*Grubbs* mon

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 of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
 I have admitted the above named to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
 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.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Offence—ROBBERY.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888

Magistrate, \_\_\_\_\_

Officer, \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk, \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Stated, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Stated, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Stated, \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198—200.

1882  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*Arthur Hassett* 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 a 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.

*I am not guilty*  
*Arthur Hassett*

Taken before me this

29th day of August 1882

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.....

.....  
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, February 2 189..... John H. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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The presiding magistrate  
is authorized to hear and  
determine this case in my  
absence, and to accept bail.

*John M. Ryan*.....  
Police Justice.

Police Court---

25  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John M. Ryan*  
*Truman H. Hester*

2.....  
3.....  
4.....

Offense

Dated, *Dec 29* 189 *2*

*Ryan* Magistrate.

*Carter* Officer.

*4* Precinct.

Witnesses.....

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ *500* to answer *LT*

*500 Ex Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 10am*

*Jan 3. 2P.M.*

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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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 Marshall

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

Arthur Marshall

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

The said Arthur Marshall,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 26th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, in the day time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Pietro Spadoli, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault; and

one watch of the value of fifteen dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Pietro Spadoli, from the person of the said Pietro Spadoli, against the will and by violence to the person of the said Pietro Spadoli, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, the said Arthur Marshall being then and there aided by an accomplice, actually present, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid as yet unknown, and being armed with a certain knife, the same being a dangerous weapon, 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.

Richard M. Hall,  
District Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Herfurth, Ernest

**DATE:**

01/09/93



4637

Witnesses:

Abraham Glass

Officer Amos

81X

Counsel,

Filed

Pleas,

day of May

1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Degree.

(Sections 224 and 228, Penal Code.)

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THE PEOPLE,

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART 1.

vs.

BEFORE JUDGE COWING.

ERNEST HERFORTH:

Monday, February 13, 1893.

Indictment for ROBBERY, in the FIRST DEGREE.

A Jury was empanelled and sworn.

ABRAHAM GLASS, sworn and examined, testified; through the official interpreter:

Where do you live? For the present, I live at 139 Orchard street. Where did you live on the 28th of December, 1892? 1,683 Third avenue, near 84th street. Do you know this defendant at the bar? Yes. When did you first meet him? On the 28th of December, about ten or half-past ten o'clock in the evening, in a coffee house in Fourth street, in this city. Who was with him? Another man was with him, who, by his accent, I took to be a Frenchman. No one introduced them; there were four persons sitting, and I commenced conversation. How long did you remain there? I was in the coffee house, and I spoke to them for about two minutes, and they said, "Let us go to another place." Did you go with them to another coffee place? Yes, I went with the defendant and the other man, who spoke French. I don't know the names of either of them. Where did you go with them? They took me to the Bowery; we went in several saloons in the Bowery. From the last place I was about to start for my own home; they said, "It is too late, the elevated railroad doesn't run any more; you may come with us and sleep in our place." That is, the defendant said that? Yes; both of them invited me to go and sleep with them. I went with them to 107 Forsyth street, in the city of New York. They had a key to the

door, and they opened the door and we went into the room. There was only one bed. It was cold, and he made a fire in the stove. I undressed myself, and they went and laid on the bed and I went to bed. The Frenchman did not undress himself; I undressed myself thoroughly, and the other ~~big~~ one only partly undressed himself. I went to bed with the Frenchman. I had my money in a pocket-book, in the inside vest pocket. How much? \$150.00. Where did you put the vest? I put it under my pillow, with the pocket-book. At that time I and the Frenchman were in bed. I was a little jolly because I had some drink, but I knew everything that was going on. And I fell asleep, but not thoroughly asleep. I felt that some one was pulling from under my pillow, I felt the two men were pulling the vest which contained the money and the pocket-book from under my pillow. The pocket-book was taken out of the vest, and I caught the hand that had the pocket-book; I don't know whose hand it was, but it was the hand of one of the two men. When I got it the money was all out. A cigar-holder that was in the pocket-of my trousers was also taken. I had also 125 Francs, French money. What next occurred? Then they commenced to beat me, I hallooed, and both of them said I should not halloo. What was this man doing, the prisoner? He held me by the neck; he had his arm under my chin, and forced up my chin; I was very much frightened for my life, and I thought for a moment to jump out from the window. I commenced to halloo "Police" again, and then they ran away and I remained in the room alone. Did you break the glass in the window? Yes, I broke the window. Did you see a policeman that night? Yes; when I hallooed Greenthal and another man came. And he brought you to the station house? Yes.

## CROSS EXAMINATION:

How long have you been in this country? Eight months. Where did you live for eight months? In New York. Where did you get the \$150.00 from? I brought the money with me, and I earned money here. What is your business? Cabinet maker. Were you working the day you met this man? That day I did not work. Were you drinking that day? No, I just went for to have an airing, but I did not go for the purpose of drinking. When did you commence to go out for an airing? About half-past nine or ten o'clock in the evening. Had you been in the house all the day long, 1683 Third avenue? Yes, I was home the whole day. You came from 1,683 Third avenue down to Forsyth street; is that right? I came down on the elevated railroad. You had drank nothing during the day, had you? Yes, I had a drink down in the house. That is all you had up to the time you came down to Forsyth street? Only what I drank in the German place, I do not think it was beer, I don't recollect what it was. What nationality are you? I came from Harcoff, Little Russia, and have been in the country about eight or nine months. Whom do you live with at 1,683 Third avenue? A man by the name of Kahn. You always carried your money in this pocket-book? Yes. When did you see your money in your pocket-book last? In the coffee-house, they all saw it, at three o'clock in the night he saw it. In the saloon you took this pocket-book out? I paid for a bottle of champagne later, and I took out the pocket-book to pay for it. You counted your money then, too; didn't you? No, I did not count it over. I saw it when I paid for the champagne, I paid for the champagne in bills. I had \$170.00 that night, I had a one hundred dollar bill, and there was some other bills. I had no gold at all, it was all

in paper money. Did you see the hundred dollar bill in the pocket-book when you were in the saloon, at three o'clock in the morning? Yes, where I paid for the champagne, I showed it there, and they all saw it. I did not show it to him; I had it open and every one could see it when I took out the money. I took the hundred dollar bill out of the pocket-book and I saw it was a hundred dollar bill, and put it back. I took out another and paid for the champagne. How many drinks did you get that night? I couldn't tell. Was it ten? In the different saloons I couldn't tell how many. Was there as many as ten? Yes; we had a half-pint champagne bottle; we had some beer when we left the coffee house, but no whiskey. I know this was in the night time, but I don't know exactly how long it was before New Years; it was the nighttime of the 28th of December, I don't know the day of the week, there was some holiday that day when I lost the money. This Frenchman and this defendant were strangers to me, I never saw them before. Did you go down town to see a girl or anybody when you got on the second avenue elevated railroad? No, not for any specific purpose, only just to wander around. Did you ever wander around before this night up to three or four o'clock in the morning? No, not so late. Did you ever stay out until one o'clock in the morning with all this money with you? I have always carried money with me, I don't put my money in the bank. When you went into 107 Forsyth street wasn't the place full of people drinking coffee? It was in 5th street the coffee saloon was; it was not very crowded, there were people there, three or four people sitting there and the lady of the coffee house was sitting there. I was sober when I went in there, I can't tell whether people were playing checkers or not in there; the

first man I saw was a tall man, I recognized by his actions that he was a Frenchman, I talked French to him. You took quite a fancy to him, didn't you? Yes, his looks. And that is the man you went to bed with, isn't it, at 107 Forsyth street? Yes, and the defendant went to bed also. I sat about a quarter of an hour in the coffee house before I went out with them somewhere else; they said, "Let us go over here to another place. I think we went to a place where there were girls, I had nothing to do with the girls, but I think I saw girls there. We had something to drink, but I did not pay for the girls. After you saw the girls where did you go? They took me to a saloon somewhere. When you got to 107 Forsyth street did you all go up stairs together to the rooms of the defendant? Yes, we all went into the room; there was only one room and one bed there, I think there were a couple of chairs. The defendant made a fire in the room, and the Frenchman was in the room too. I was in the room with him ten or fifteen minutes before we commenced to undress to go to bed; I think it must have been about four o'clock in the morning. You were not accustomed to stay out late at night, were you? No. You undressed yourself and went right to bed, didn't you? Yes; I took my vest and put it under the pillow with the money. The Frenchman partly undressed himself and went to bed with me; there was a lighted lamp in the room; the defendant was in the room at that time, but he did not go to bed. Did you see the defendant go down stairs to get some water? I do not recollect. As soon as you went to bed and your head touched the pillow, did you fall right asleep? Yes, I fell in a drowse, but I was thinking why the Frenchman did not undress himself thoroughly. While you were in this drowse the defendant was

still in the room, wasn't he? Yes. Do you recollect, after you had been asleep sometime, some excitement took place in the room, something that the Frenchman had said? I do not recollect that the Frenchman said anything. Do you recollect seeing the defendant wash himself in a basin? No, I did not see him wash himself. Do you know how long you were asleep or how long you were drowsing? I could not tell the time, how long I was in bed, when I felt that they were taking the money away from me. But you felt the two men tugging at something underneath the pillow; is that it? When I awoke they had it already in their hand, and I commenced to struggle with them to get it back, and they tore the pocket-book out of my hands. I was awakened by feeling the pillow going from beneath me, and I saw that one of the men had already the pocket-book in his hand, I don't know if it was this man (the defendant) or the Frenchman; I got the pocket-book out of the hand of the man, I don't know who it was; but the defendant put his hand under my chin, pushing my chin up, and they got the pocket-book again out of my hand. I commenced then to halloo; then I saw the defendant took away the casing of my cigar-holder, and he kept the cigar-holder; the pocket-book was dropped also, but I don't know who dropped it, I could not tell who was the man, in the excitement; then then commenced beating me, and, in the excitement, I tried to jump through the window. They both hit me with the fist and kicked me on the body. Before the Frenchman ran out he hit me in my ribs. He did not throw me out of the window; the light was lit that time in the room; it was a small room. After you got beaten, kicked and cuffed about what did you do? They ran away, and I halloosed for the police, and then the landlord came and another man came into the room. You

never have seen the Frenchman since, have you? Yes, I saw him afterward, in the same coffee house where I first met him; the next day after I was robbed I saw him there. This happened in the morning, and I saw him in the afternoon. Why didn't you have him arrested? I did not know what to do, I did not know how to proceed. But you knew enough to have this man (the defendant) locked up, didn't you, for robbing you? The policeman told me to have this man arrested. Was not the Frenchman in the saloon then? The Frenchman ran away before this man was arrested. The defendant was arrested in the street, I caught hold of him and took him to the coffee house where we first met, and then he was arrested there, and the policeman came into the coffee house and he was arrested. Did you send anybody to the defendant at the Tombs since he has been locked up? I did not send any one. How did you get the policeman to arrest the defendant? The landlord with whom I lived he came down-town with me, he went to look for these men, and I met the defendant in the street and took him to the coffee house; and the landlord ran out to find a policeman and he brought the policeman in. How close was the coffee house to where the defendant's rooms were? I don't know exactly the distance.

RE-DIRECT EXAMINATION:

Is this the cigar-holder which you referred to in your cross-examination? Yes, I had the case and he had the holder; when I got hold of him, before he was arrested, he tried to throw it away. This money was taken from you, out of this pocket-book, with force and violence, while the defendant held you; is that right? Yes, with violence; they held me and took it away. When the Frenchman hit you a blow in the back did it hurt you so that you could not get out of the room immed-

ately to follow them? It hurt me, but I was not dressed and I could not run out. Do you remember seeing Greenthal there? Yes; when I commenced to dress myself then he came in. Did you, before you commenced to dress yourself, call out for help? Yes. Did you see Mr. Heffler? Two came in. Was the proprietor of the house present when the defendant and the Frenchman ran away from the house, the night of the robbery? Do you know whether the landlord saw them run away? I can't tell if he saw them run away.

AUGUST GREENTHAL, sworn and examined, testified:

Where do you live? 107 Forsyth street, in this city. Do you know this defendant? Yes. Did he hire a room from you at 107 Forsyth street? Yes, with the other man, two together. Did they pay you together? Yes, always paid together, sometimes they both came and paid me the rent, and sometimes one paid the rent for both. They were introduced to me by a tailor who lives in my house. How many keys did you give them? I gave to each of them a latch-key, and a key to the door of the room. How long were they in your house, 107 Forsyth street? Four weeks before this occurrence. Do you remember the night of the 28th of December, seeing the complainant in that apartment on that morning? Yes, between four and five o'clock in the morning. Did you go up to the floor on which that room is? Yes. I was awakened by Mr. Heffler, and then I went down stairs with Mr. Heffler to the room occupied by the defendant. Tell us what you saw when you got up there? There was a man standing against the wall, and held himself in a stooping way and said, "Don't beat me, don't beat me; they are robbing me, they are robbing me."

8 Was there anybody there? No. Had you, on your way up, seen

this man, the prisoner, going down stairs? I didn't meet them going up, but two or three minutes before Heffler woke me up, I heard somebody running down stairs; then I got up and went to the window and looked out, and I saw two men going down the stoop, and the prisoner was the last one; he came down the stoop a little while after the other. The man I saw leaning up against the wall was the complainant in the case; I took him to the station house.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

What kind of a night was this? It was not raining, it was between four and five o'clock in the morning. What floor do you sleep on? I sleep near the window in the basement; it is a private house, three stories and basement; the defendant had a room on the top floor. When I raised the window and looked out I saw the Frenchman coming out, and, a little while after, this fellow, the defendant. The defendant ran very fast, in the direction of Broome street; I closed the window then. Did you say anything to the Frenchman when you saw him? No, I did not; I did not know what was the matter. Then two or three minutes after that the defendant came down? Not three minutes, he was right after the Frenchman, I am sure; he ran too. Did you say anything to him? No. You let them both run away? Yes. Did you see the defendant go to the house the next day? No. Were you in the defendant's room all the time the next day? I locked it in such a way that they could not get in. Didn't he have a key? There are two locks to that door, and I locked them so they could not get in. You went to the station house, didn't you, the next day? In the morning, about five o'clock, I went to the station house with the Russian. How big a room is this?

It is a little room; there is a stove, a bed, a wash-dish and

a table in it; there was a lamp lit. Did you see any water there? Yes. It had been used? I don't know; everything looked as if there had been a big fight in the room.

FRANZ HEFFLER, sworn and examined, testified; through the interpreter:

Where do you live? 107 Forsyth street, and I have lived there two years. Do you know this defendant? Yes, I know him by sight, I saw him in the house, on the third floor; I have the front room, and they have the rear room. Do you remember the morning of the 28th of December, did you hear any noise in their room? Yes; the noise seemed to me as if it was struggling, like a fight. At first I did not hear anything spoken; then at once there was a clash, the window was broken, and then I heard some one calling "Murder;" I don't know whose voice it was. Did you see this defendant and the Frenchman there, did you see them come out of that room? No, I did not. What did you do when you heard the noise, did you go down to see Mr. Greenthal? Then after the noise I went to the door of their room, and the door was ajar and I looked into the room; I saw that the Russian's whole body was out of the window, I called out, "Hold on," I thought there was somebody behind this man who wanted to throw him out of the window. Then I went up to the window and pulled the Russian away from the window, there was nobody else but the Russian there; then I went down stairs and notified the land-lord. How long did this noise in this front hall bedroom last? About half an hour. When I went to the door the Russian was calling "MURder," yet. I heard some kind of noise and confusion, and the one said, "Give me my things," give me my things."

JOHN C. AMMON, sworn and examined, testified:

I am now connected with the Sanitary Squad, but in December last I was connected with the 14th precinct police. On the evening of the 29th of December, at the station house, at first, two men, the complainant and another man, whom he said was his landlord that he lived with, came to the station house; he told me he was robbed. Did they go away from the station house after having had a talk with you? Yes. You gave the complainant some instructions, didn't you? Yes. What time in the morning was that? This was in the evening after the occurrence, the evening of the same day. When did you next see the complainant after that, and where? I saw him about three quarters of an hour after that again; he ran in the station house; he says, "One of them fellows is around in that coffee house." I ran around to this coffee house, the same coffee house that has been testified to as the original place of meeting of this complainant and this defendant. The Frenchman had gone, I didn't find him, and I went away. When did you next see the complainant? An hour after that, in the station house. You had a conversation with him there? Yes; and I went back to the coffee saloon in 5th street and found the defendant there. He was held by several men, I arrested him, and I went to his room, 107 Forsyth street, afterwards. I examined him after I arrested him, and found a cigar-holder in his possession, which the complainant identified as his. I did not examine his room in Forsyth street; the owner of the house gave me this pocket-book. Did you have any conversation with the defendant? Yes, after the arrest; I asked him where he got that cigar-holder from, and he told me that the complainant gave it to him; this conversa-

tion was in the station house, on the same evening. Did you have any further conversation with him, after that? I did, in the cell; when he was in the cell I went down to speak to him. I asked him how about this, and he told me he got none of the money, but if I would go to his room and look under the carpet and under the wash-stand I might find it under there, because Mr. Wolde, his partner, used to hide stuff down there; he told me where I might find the other man, where he used to sleep; he used to go to the Union Hotel, corner of Hester street and the Bowery; he had two places of abode. Did you go to the Union Hotel, in the Bowery? I did. Did you find on the night of the arrest the partner of this man slept in that house? He slept there during the daytime. Did you, at any subsequent time, have a conversation with the prisoner about this cigar-holder, and did he give you another account of how he got it or where he found it? In answer to a question of the Clerk in the Police Court, he said he found it on the floor, and for that purpose he went around to 5th street, to return it to that man. You said he told you to go back to the room where this Frenchman slept and look under the carpet and you would find the money? Yes. Did you go back and look? Yes. Did you find anything? Yes, I only looked at that spot where he told me; the other officer was with me.

#### CROSS EXAMINATION:

He never told you he had taken the money, did he? No. Up to the evening of the 29th of December there had been no complaint made at your station house in reference to any larceny or robbery from the premises 107 Forsyth street? That is not in our precinct, it belongs to the 11th precinct--- Eldridge street. What precinct were you in? The Fourteenth.

Where is that? Fifth street and First avenue. How close is 107 Forsyth street to Fifth street? Nine blocks. When you first saw the complainant you went with him to this coffee saloon for the purpose of arresting the Frenchman? That was in our precinct, that was right around the corner from the station house. Did you go into the saloon with this complainant? I did. And the Frenchman was not there? He had gone. About what time was that? About eight o'clock, I believe, to the best of my knowledge. Then you again saw the complainant later in the evening, didn't you? Yes, about an hour after, about nine o'clock. In pursuance of what he said to you you again went back to the same saloon and there found the defendant? Yes. At the time you originally got there he was not there, you did not see him? No. When you came the second time he was being held by somebody in the place, and then you arrested him? Yes. Did you speak English or German to the defendant? I spoke both German and English to him. I said nothing on the way to the station house, but after I got to the stationhouse I spoke to him in German and in English, before the sergeant. Did the sergeant speak to him in English or in German, when his pedigree was taken? He answered his name and pedigree in English. When the sergeant asked him what he had to say about the charge I spoke in German and translated what he said to the sergeant. What did he say? He said he hadn't taken the money, that he had none of it; "I have only got fifteen cents in my possession," he says, "I haven't got the money." Do you know who held the defendant in the cafe when you arrested him? The owner of the cafe, Mr. Vipper, and the landlord that the complainant lived with in Third avenue, and some other stranger was in there.

AUGUST GREENTHAL, recalled by Counsel:

Did you make a complaint at the police station with the complainant, after you found him in the defendant's room? Yes, I went with the Russian to the Eldridge street station, and they told me to come back at eight o'clock. Did you go back at eight o'clock? No, I did not. Do you know whether the complainant went back at eight o'clock? I don't know. How long do you know this Frenchman? As long as they have lived in the house. Is there a tailor shop in your building? There is no tailor shop. Did you ever see this Frenchman working with a tailor in your building? No. When this man, with another, hired the room from you, did they tell you what their business was? Yes, baker. Did they occupy and sleep in that room in the night time or daytime, mostly? They slept in the daytime. Did you, on the night of the 28th of December, leave a pitcher of water in that room hired by those two men? Yes; that night I filled the lamp with oil and put a pitcher of water in there.

THE CASE FOR THE DEFENCE.

WILLIAM WEISS, sworn and examined, testified:

You are one of the clerks in the office of Maurice Meyer, the attorney for the defendant? Yes. And were you sent with a subpoena to serve upon Conrad Kessler, 43rd street and 10th avenue, Mr. Scheier's place? Yes. Were you sent with that subpoena on the day before yesterday, and did you go last night, and had you been to the place when this case was on before? Yes. Could you serve it on Mr. Kessler? No. For what reason, did they tell you? For the reason that Mr. Scheier wouldn't let me see the man, he wouldn't want him to lose a day's pay.

ERNEST HERFORTH, sworn and examined, testified:

How old are you? I am thirty-one years old. What is your business? Beer brewer and malster. How long have you been in this country? Eleven years. During the time that you have been here, for whom have you worked? I have been at work for C. & L. Heidenheimer, hop merchants and malsters. For who else? For Neidlinger & Smith; and Arnold & Brinkmeyer, 38th street; for Charles Clausen, 71 Avenue A, for Mr. Conrad Stein, and for Mr. Scheier, 43rd street and 10th avenue. During the time that you have been in this country have you ever been convicted of crime? Never in my life. Have you always worked as a malster for a living? Yes, since I have come from Germany. Do you recollect meeting this complainant on the 28th of December, last? I do. Up to that time how long had you lived in the room 107 Forsyth street? Not quite a month. How long had you known this man they call the Frenchman? Four weeks. Where did you become acquainted with him? In the house there, by the tailor, he is a tailor himself; his name is Bauer. This man was working for himself down stairs, I saw the sign outside for furnished rooms, and I saw him in the same room. You and he occupied the same room for four weeks; is that right? That is right. Up to that time you had never known him? No, I never seen him before. You paid your share and he paid his share? Yes. When you met this complainant about what time was it? About nine o'clock. Were you in this coffee saloon on 5th street? I was. Who was with you then? Me and that Frenchman and two more. What were you doing, playing checkers? We were playing there. What happened when you met the complainant? He came inside and asked for a French drink, and he did not get it; the woman told

him she did not sell anything but soda water and coffee, and soft stuff, and he took another drink; I don't know what kind of a drink he took. You got in conversation with him in that place? Yes; he came to the table and talked to us first. How long was he in there before you went out with him? About ten minutes. Where did you go after you went out? Right in the next coffee saloon, in 4th street. How long were you in there? About half an hour. Did you go anywhere else? Then we went on the corner of Second avenue and 4th street. What were you drinking? I drank coffee. What was the complainant drinking? I don't know, a French drink, I don't know the name, I think it is Chartreuse, yellow stuff; and we went in another coffee saloon. He says that about three o'clock in the morning he bought a pint of wine, and that you were present when he did so? He did so. Did you drink any of that wine? No. Who did he give that to? The Frenchman. He was friendly with him, wasn't he? Yes. Did he show you any gold pieces? I did not see any money on him, I don't know how much money the man had. How long was it after that that he went to your house? Right after he had the champagne drank with the Frenchman. They went to your room, that you both had? Yes. What happened when you got there? I wanted to go up stairs, I left him on the corner of Delancey and Forsyth streets; I says, "My friend, if you live in Third avenue, you had better go home and mind your own business, we haven't got any home, we have only one bed in the room." He asked to stay for two hours; he said, "I want to have a rest." I was the first one up in the house, I made a fire and lit the lamp; the Frenchman came up with the complainant; I seen the water was dirty, and I took the water down stairs and fetched some clean water up. As

soon as I came up stairs I seen the man was undressed. He was lying in bed already, only he had his shirt on; and the other one had a pair of pants, the Frenchman was lying alongside of him. You will find me in contempt of court when I tell you -- if you don't find me in contempt of court I will tell you what he said. He said, "I never find anything in my life"---"he is going between my legs with his mouth." Who said that? The Frenchman about the complainant; I chucked him out of the window. I says, "You do nothing of the kind." I told him right away, "Don't take that man up stairs, you have no business to do so." The Frenchman said, "I didn't take him up, he came up." I said "He couldn't come up if I didn't ask him up. You know yourself we have only one bed for two men." You had some words, and there was a fight? Yes; he hit me and the Frenchman hit me right in the face. Did you during that night, or any time that was going on, put your hand under the pillow and grab that pocket-book and runaway with \$150.00? I never did, I will drop dead in the court-room that I didn't put my hand on the pillow case, I never did in my life. Did you aid and assist the Frenchman to rob this man? No. Do you know anything atall about the larceny of the \$150.00 from that pocket-book in your room? No. When you left there where did you go? I went out in 43rd street and 10th avenue, Scheier's malt house; I got told that I would get a job after New Years. I came back to my place the same morning, about six o'clock; I saw the window was broke and the door was open; I didn't know what was the matter. I found pieces of the pipe, I put them in my pocket. The complainant said to me, "You are the man that too \$150.00 from me, and nobody else, and I will have you arrested." You saw him in this coffee saloon before

he went for the policeman, and you there told him what he had done? Yes. He didn't go out to get the policeman, but his friend went. If I wanted to run away I could run away ten times; I wouldn't do it.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

Have you been known by the name of Hansen? No. Never been known by the name of Miller? No. Who were you employed by last? By Mr. Lang, last Summer, up in Newburgh. When were you discharged by Mr. Lang? In the end of October. What have you been doing since October? I have been working in Malt houses, I was working for Neidlinger & Smith, 63rd street; I worked two or three days of the week there; I was there in November. From October to November, then, you did not do any work? No, I was sick, I could not work. Were you in the hospital? No, I was at home. I worked for them during the whole of November, sometimes three days, sometimes four days a week. In December I went down there and asked if I could get a job, but the man told me he is engaged. I worked in December for Mr. Engler, three or four days of the weeks. I have been in prison since the 28th of December. Since you came from Newburgh you have had no steady employment; is that right: That is right. When were you in Newburgh? All Summer, I went there in the Spring, in a malt house. I was up in Newburgh two Summers working for Mr. Lang; his place in New Windsor, two miles away from Newburgh. Did you ever live in Newburgh two years ago? I did. I was boarding with John E. Houser, 19 Front street, he is a saloon-keeper and has a boarding house. I was working in a brick yard in the Summer; I worked in the brewery in the Winter. During the month of December, where were you, in the night time ---you have heard the testimony of Greenthal, he

says you were out all night and slept all day during the four weeks you were with him; were you looking for work all night? No, no, not me; I always slept night times; the other one was sleeping in the day time mostly, and he told the owner of the house that we can make our bed ourselves; he was up three or four days a week. I was born in Leipzig, Germany. I have worked for Mr. Heidenheimer, I worked for him in 1881, when I was four months in the country, I worked for him the whole winter. I got discharged in the Spring because there was no work in the middle of June, 1882. I haven't worked for him since, though.

CHARLES HEIDENHEIMER, sworn and examined, testified:

Are you the senior member of the firm of C. & L. Heidenheimer? Where is your place of business? No. 13 Stone street. You have branches throughout the State? Yes; in Lockport, Williamsburg, and New York; that is all. You have malt houses in New York? Yes. Do you know the defendant? Yes. How long have you known him? About eleven years. Do you know him since he came to this country? Yes. He was employed once with your firm, was he not? Yes. Did you ever meet him after the time he was employed by your firm in 1881 and 1882? Yes. How often during the last eleven years have you seen him? I cannot recollect how often, about three or four times a year; whenever he needed something he came down to us. During the time you have known him have you known him to be charged with any offence or convicted of any crime? No. Do you know other people that know him? Yes. What has been his general character for honesty, up to this offence? I never knew anything against him. Are you acquainted with his family, on the other side? Not personally, he

was recommended to us. Sometimes you have aided him financially? Yes. In this case you employed counsel for him? Yes. You have heard the testimony here to-day, haven't you, and you heard a portion of it yesterday? Yes. Notwithstanding that, would you take this man in your employ now if this jury should acquit him? Yes. You still have confidence enough in him to do that? Yes.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

We never interfere with our foreman in employing men. Since 1881 he has frequently gone to you looking for employment? Yes. Why didn't you find employment for him then? Because that was left to our foreman and we don't interfere there. Do you know why this man left Leipsic? I do not. You are in correspondence with his uncle? Yes. The money that you say you have paid him, you have paid him because his uncle gave it to you to pay him? Very little money which we paid him his uncle repaid us -- mostly we paid ourselves. Is that your memorandum head (showing paper)? Yes. You read German? Yes. Whose hand-writing is that? It is my brother's hand-writing. Translate that into English? "Enclosed we send you letter in which your uncle orders us to pay you \$25.00, of which you have already received \$15.00; the balance of \$10.00 you will get any time you call at our office. As soon as we hear anything about employment we shall let you know." That was in 1891? Yes. You didn't hear anything about employment for him? We didn't bother much about him, because he had other employments. You don't know what kind of a life he has been leading, do you? No. You don't know anything about him except that you have been the agent or your firm? I know that he was employed at other malt houses, I know that through our foreman. Since he has

been in this country he has been employed as malster, in malt houses, and whenever he got short we assisted him whether we got money from his uncle or not. How much does he owe you now? I don't know, it may just as well be three or four hundred dollars as not. He was introduced to us by our firm in Europe, and since he came here for a few weeks we employed him in our malt house, we have about sixty or seventy men employed in our place. We stop work in the Spring, and then all hands are discharged, and in the Fall they come back again, asking for employment.

JOSEPH VIPPER, sworn and examined, testified:

I know the defendant about four years; I used to work in an hotel, and he used to come there as a customer three or four times a week, I used to have a place in 5th street; I am in business now for myself, at 290 Chrystie street, and have a restaurant. I know the defendant about four years, and know other people that know him. What has been his general character for honesty during the time that you have known him? I always thought he was working, I never knew anything about him at all.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

You don't own that place in 4th street? No. Who did you sell out to, what is his name? Finkelstein. After you sold out to Finkelstein it was known under your name? No. What was the title of the cafe? Cafe Germani. What was it called when you had it? Cafe Vipper.

AUGUST GREENTHAL, recalled by a Juror:

When this defendant lived at your house did he sleep daytime or nighttime? They slept mostly in the daytime; in the night

time they were out. During the four weeks when this man lived at your house how often was he out every night? I never found him home in the night time, and I was not permitted to go in in the day time; they told me they wanted to fix their room themselves. But night time, when they were out, I used to go into the room to see what was going on in the room, how it looks. What time did they leave in the evening? Different times, nine or ten o'clock. Did they always leave together? I can't tell if they went together.

The Jury rendered a verdict of GUILTY of ROBBERY in the SECOND DEGREE, with a RECOMMENDATION TO MERCY.



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Police Court 3 District.CITY AND COUNTY } ss  
OF NEW YORK,

Abram Glass  
of No 1683 3<sup>rd</sup> avenue Street, Aged 26 Years  
Occupation Carpenter being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
29<sup>th</sup> day of December 1895, at the 10<sup>th</sup> Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the ~~person~~ <sup>presence</sup> of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One hundred and fifty dollars lawful  
money of the United States

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

Ernest Herfurth (now here) and ~~and~~  
man not arrested who were in  
company with each other and  
acting in concert for the reason  
that deponent was in company  
with the defendants several hours  
and was invited by them to share  
their lodgings at 107 Forsyth Street  
which deponent accepted. Deponent  
retired to bed and had said money  
in a book which was in the inside  
pocket of deponent's vest, a part of  
deponent's apparel. Deponent placed

day of

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice.

the vest with the book and money under the pillow upon which deponent rested. That while deponent was lying in bed the man not arrested firmly held deponent upon bed and while he so held <sup>deponent</sup> the said Kurfurth pulled and dragged the said vest containing the book and money from beneath said pillow and then they both made their escape.

Sworn to before me <sup>3</sup> Appraiser  
this 30<sup>th</sup> December, 1892

*W. J. McMahon*  
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

I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail for 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.

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

Dated 1888

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

I order that he be discharged.

Dated 1888

Police Justice.

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, etc.,  
on the complaint of

vs.

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Offence—ROBBERY.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Ernest Herfurth*

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. *Ernest Herfurth*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *107 Forsyth Street 5 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Brewer*

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*  
*Ernest Herfurth*

Taken before me this 30

*Wm. H. Deane*

Police Justice.

1167

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 *fifteen* 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, *Dec 30* 189*2* *J. M. Mahan* Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

Police Court,

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District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Abram Glass  
139 Orchard  
Ernest Herfurth

Offense Robbery

BAILED,

No. 1, by  
Residence Street.

No. 2, by  
Residence Street.

No. 3, by  
Residence Street.

No. 4, by  
Residence Street.

Dated, Dec 30 1892

McMahon Magistrate.

Officer.  
Precinct.

John C. Amos  
144 Lee Street.

August Greenhalgh  
107 Forsyth Street.

Off. Amos  
Same Street.

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Manz Neffler 107 Forsyth.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Heyse, William

**DATE:**

01/27/93



4637

Witnesses:

Thomas Robt

Wm. Horton

128" by 10"

Bernard Craft

12:10 Fulton

Boston

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of May 1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Heyse

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. Carter

Foreman.

May 27/93

Henry J. 2d

R. H. Dean

Oct. 10/93

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
[Sections 228, 229, Penal Code.]

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:  
of New York,

Thomas Rober

of No. 19 West Third Street, aged 32 years,  
occupation Wine Merchant being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 14 day of March 1892 at the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in  
the day time, the following property, viz:

a diamond finger  
ring of the value of about one  
hundred dollars \$100

the property of deponent as custodian

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 Heyse now here  
the said property was kept on a  
shelf behind the bar at No 19  
West Third Street, and the deponent  
was deponent's bar keeper and he  
had access to said property and he  
confessed to deponent in the presence  
of Officer James A. Hoane, that he  
deponent had stolen said property  
and pawned it, and Detective John  
Haulan also heard said confession

Thomas Rober

Sworn to before me, this 21 day of January 1897

John P. McArthur Police Justice.

1173

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation James A. Sloan  
15 th Incent Street, being duly sworn, deposes and of No.

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas Roh

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

Sworn to before me, this 29 day  
of January 1897

James A. Sloan

John M. Wood Police Justice.

1174

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1021

John Hewler  
Deputy of No.  
aged 15 years, occupation Deputy

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thorn R. H.

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

Sworn to before me, this 29 day John J. H. H.  
of January 1895

John R. H. Police Justice.

1175

Sec. 198-200.

1882  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*William Hays* 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 Hays*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *207 Mac Canals St. N.Y.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Writer*

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*  
*William Hays*

Taken before me this

day of

189

*John A. ...*  
Police Justice.

1176

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 Alfred

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, Aug 12 189

John A. Macdonald Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District. 109

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas P. Kelly  
vs. 375  
William Hayes

Offense: *Exhibit in case*

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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Dated,

Jan 23 1893  
John H. [unclear] Magistrate.  
John H. [unclear] Officer.

Witnesses.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ 1000 to answer 95

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1178

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 Heyse*

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

*William Heyse*

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

The said *William Heyse*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourteenth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one finger ring of the value of one hundred dollars*

*[Large flourish]*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Thomas Rohr*

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

*De Lancey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hildebrand, John

**DATE:**

01/26/93



4637

Witnesses:

*Officer Thibault*

Counsel,

Filed, 26 day of June 1893

Pleaded, *Arraigned July 13*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John H. Callahan*

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW.  
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 82.]  
Selling, etc., on Sunday.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*J. J. Catlin*

Foreman.

1181

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*John Hildebrand*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*John Hildebrand*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND  
BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *John Hildebrand*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *January* ~~December~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*two* —, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong  
and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill  
of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale,  
one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous  
liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, to one —

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against  
the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of  
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

*John Hildebrand*

of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS,  
WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *John Hildebrand*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to-wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the  
same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of  
wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one  
gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of  
a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and  
expose for sale to one

*Frederick Luid*

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the  
form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State  
of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hirsch, Frederick

**DATE:**

01/16/93



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Mr. Valentin

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THE PEOPLE

us,

Friedrich Thiersch

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

# A TRUE BILL.

D. Catharine  
 Dec 4 1862

**Foreman.**

May 16/93

Exds Perry Foley

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Day 208/93

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Police Court - 1st District

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 219 Centre Street, aged 54 years,  
 occupation Silver plater being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 219 Centre Street, 1st Ward  
 in the City and County aforesaid the said being a three story building  
 the third floor of which ~~and which~~ was occupied by deponent as a silver plating establishment  
 or work-shop ~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening a  
 door leading into deponent's  
 work-shop

on the 10th day of January, 1883 in the night time, and the  
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of silver ware and  
 tools used in deponent's business  
 the whole being valued at  
 fifteen dollars

\$15.00

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

Fredrick Hersch

for the reasons following, to wit: deponent is informed  
 by William Shephard who is  
 in deponent's employ that he  
 Shephard, on the 9th of 5.30 P.M.  
 on said date, locked and fastened  
 the doors and windows of said  
 premises and deponent having  
 found the said door forced open  
 and said property missing

he is informed by Harold Pomeroy  
that he Pomeroy found the said  
defendant in said work - shop and  
defendant is further informed by  
Officer Pomeroy J. Rodding that  
he Rodding found in the possession  
of the defendant the said property  
which property defendant has  
since seen and recognized

Summons to Inform the Sheriff  
this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January 1885

Wm. Rodding

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 1885  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undersigned hereto annexed.  
Dated 1885  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1885  
Police Justice.

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated

1885

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

1186

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 21 years, occupation Film Clerk of No.

219 Centre Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas Garvey

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day  
of January 1893

Harold Poyer

W. M. Mahan Police Justice.

1187

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 27 years, occupation 275 Center of No.

217 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas Garry

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

Sworn to before me this January day 1893 of William Shephard

W. M. Shephard Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

1883  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:  
*Federick Hirsch* being duly examined before the undersigned 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. *Federick Hirsch*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *9 Varick St - 3 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Machinist*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty  
refused to sign*

Taken before me this

*11*  
day of *August* 1883

*H. H. H.*  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Alfredson*  
A guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty 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, *Jan 11* 189 *H. J. Johnson* Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

1881

Police Court--- District. 56

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Mrs. Harry  
219 Center  
Fred Hirsch*

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3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

*Offense  
Larceny*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated, *Jan 11* 189

*W. H. Brown* Magistrate.

*Rowing* Officer.

*W. H. Brown* Precinct.

Witnesses *W. H. Brown*

No. *219 Center* Street.

*Harold Brown*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ *2500* to answer *4/8*

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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  
*Frederick Hirsch*

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

*Frederick Hirsch*

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

The said *Frederick Hirsch*

late of the *14th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*tenth* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, in the *night*-time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *shop* of  
one *Thomas Garvey*

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 *Thomas*  
*Garvey* in the said *shop*  
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

*Frederick Kirsch*  
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY committed as follows:

The said

*Frederick Kirsch*

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,

*divers tools of a number and description is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of five dollars, one pound of wax of the value of one dollar, and a quantity of silver (a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Thomas Garvey*

in the

*shop*

of the said

*Thomas Garvey*

there situate, then and there being found, in the *shop*  
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.

*De Laurey McCall*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Holmes, Charles

**DATE:**

01/05/93



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Witnesses:

Officer Painter

Richard Archer

(20)

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of May

1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.  
Charles Holmes

Grand Larceny,  
[Sections 828, 837,  
Penal Code.]

De LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

L. Catlin

Foreman.

Part 3, Jan'y 10/93

Pleads, Petition

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(1365)

Police Court—H District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

Richard M. Archer  
 of No. 20 South Avenue Street, aged 43 years,  
 occupation Cutter being duly sworn,  
 deposes and says, that on the 27 day of Dec 1892 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:

One overcoat of the value of thirty  
five dollars  
\$35.00

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 Charles Holmes, (now here)

for the following reasons, that on said  
 date deponent and defendant were working  
 as waiters in the hall in East 58th Street.  
 That deponent left the said coat in a closet  
 that when deponent, about the hour of 2  
 o'clock A.M., looked for the coat it was  
 gone. That deponent is informed by  
 Police Officer John J. Grunty of the 73  
 Precinct, that he the officer arrested  
 the defendant about the hour of 2 o'clock  
 A.M. with an overcoat in his possession  
 in 5th Avenue and 58th Street, which coat  
 deponent fully and positively identified  
 as his property and prays that the defendant  
 be dealt with according to law.

R. M. Archer

Sworn to before me, this 27 day  
 of Dec 1892

Charles M. Stewart, Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

11 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Charles Holmes* 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 Holmes*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Virginia*

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

Answer. *1324 West 34th St 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Artist*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

Taken before me this

day of

*Charles Holmes*  
Police Justice.

*C Holmes*

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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, 189..... Charles K. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189..... Police Justice.

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Police Court---

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John McFarlane*  
*Chas Holmes*

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Dated,

189

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

to answer

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1877.

aged 33 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 73

McCauley Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Richard M. Archu  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of Dec 1897

John J. Prunty

Charles N. Linton  
Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Charles Holmes*

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

*Charles Holmes*

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

The said

*Charles Holmes*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22nd*  
day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one overcoat of the value  
of thirty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Richard M. Archer*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Charles Holmes*  
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

*Charles Holmes,*

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,

*one overcoat of the value  
of thirty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Richard M. Archer*

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

*Richard M. Archer*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

*Charles Holmes*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Howard, Charles

**DATE:**

01/26/93



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Cher M: Loker

Filed  
the day of Aug 1893

Pleads, *W. H. H. H.*

# THE PEOPLE

215.

Charles Howard

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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# A TRUE BILL.

John C. Catlin

*Foreman,*

Feb 15 93

Need Requested

Burglary in the  
degree.  
[Section 491, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000]

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Police Court—2 District.City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:of No. 741 Greenwich Street, aged 21 years,occupation Labourer being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 741 Greenwich Street,in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick  
buildingand which was occupied by deponent as a Tenementand in which there was at the time a human being, by name Patrick M<sup>c</sup> Grathwere **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forciblybreaking two panes of glass, in a door  
leading from the hall into a room  
on the second floor of said buildingon the 22 day of January 1893 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:two Overcoats - two Coats - two pair of Pants,  
two vests, two Hats, one Jumper  
and a plated Watch and Chain  
in all of the amount and value of  
fifty dollarsW. S. M.B. J. M. Jr.15. 11. 12the property of deponentand 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 byCharles Howard (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: that about the hour of 11  
o'clock P. M. of the 21<sup>st</sup> day of January 1893  
deponent securely closed and fastened said  
door, and at that time said door was in  
a good and perfect condition, and after  
securing said door deponent retired to a  
bed in said room, and that about the  
hour of 7.20 o'clock A. M. of said date  
deponent was awakened by Officer M<sup>c</sup> Cluskey

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of the 9<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police, and that he immediately discovered said panes of glass in said door broken, and the aforesaid property taken and stolen from a rack hanging to the wall in said room, and that defendant is informed by Officer M<sup>c</sup>Cluskey that he arrested the defendant in Bethune Street about the hour of 3.45 o'clock A M of said date, with a quantity of clothing in his possession - and that defendant has seen the said clothing found in the possession of said defendant by said Officer, and fully recognizes the same as his property and as the aforesaid property stolen from him on said date - defendant therefore asks that said defendant may be held to answer

Sum to before me } Patrol M<sup>c</sup>Grath  
 this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1893 }  
 John R. ...

Police Justice

Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Bail.

Dailed by \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged John R. McChusky years, occupation Police Officer of No. 94 Avenue C

Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Patric McEgan

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

Sworn to before me, this 22 day  
of January 189 3

John R. McChusky

John R. McChusky Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1892  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

*Charles 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. *Charles Howard*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *53 Bethune Street 1 Month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Longshoreman*

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*

*Charles Howard*

Taken before me this

day of

1893

John J. McQuinn  
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, January 22 1893

John M. McLaughlin Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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Police Court---

73 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Patricia M. Grant*  
*Charles Forward*

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*Offense*  
*Burglary*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated, *January 22* 189 *3*

*W. H. Cluskey* Magistrate.

*M. Cluskey* Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer \_\_\_\_\_

*COM B. 11*

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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 Howard*

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

*Charles Howard*

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

The said

*Charles Howard*

late of the *ninth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*twenty second* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three* in the *night*—time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Patrick Mc Grath*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there a  
human being within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the  
goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Patrick Mc Grath*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal,  
take and carry away,

*[Signature]*

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

The said

*Charles Howard*

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 the said day, with force and arms,

*two overcoats of the value of twelve dollars each, two coats of the value of eight dollars each, two pairs of trousers of the value of four dollars each pair, two vests of the value of three dollars each, two hats of the value of two dollars each, one jumper of the value of fifty cents one watch of the value of five dollars, and one chain of the value of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Patrick Mc Grath*

in the dwelling house of the said

*Patrick Mc Grath*

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

*Charles Howard*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

*Charles Howard*  
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, with force and arms,

*the same goods, chattels and  
personal property described  
in the second count of this  
indictment*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

*Patrick McGrath*  
unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Howard, William

**DATE:**

01/19/93



4637

Witnesses:

Charles Poppe

Officer O'Sear

I think from an  
examination  
made in this case  
that the acceptance  
of a plea of guilty  
is a matter of  
law - and that  
the proper intention  
of the proper character  
of the person by whom  
it is made is not  
material.

Wm. J. Connelley  
Feb 9/93

(16)

Counsel,

Filed 9

day of

1893

Pleas,

Adversely

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Hayward

March 9/93

By Pleas of J. J.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, J.

District Attorney.

Per me

Feb 9/93

A TRUE BILL.

J. Cattin

Foreman.

Palmer's testimony 24/93  
2nd & 3rd leads in with 24/93  
and defendant's leads not binding

Wm. J. Connelley  
Feb 9/93

Section 498, c. 2, § 6, of the Revised Statutes of the State of New York, in the Third Degree.

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Police Court— District.

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

Charles Poppe

of No. 64 Charles Street, aged 49 years,  
occupation Grocer

deposes and says, that the premises No 64 Charles Street, being duly sworn  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick  
building

and which was occupied by deponent as a store on the first floor  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a  
front window and removing a railing

on the 13 day of January 1887 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of  
cigars and cigarette, and two men  
coats, all of the value of about ten  
dollars

the property of Deponent

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

William Howard

for the reasons following, to wit: The said store was found  
broken open as aforesaid on said night.  
Deponent securely locked said premises  
on the night of January 12, leaving the  
aforesaid property under the store. Deponent  
is informed by Policeman Thomas J. Brennan  
of the 9th precinct that on the  
morning of Jan 13 about the hour of  
3 40 o'clock a.m. he found the

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Defendant at the corner of Erone and  
Fourth Streets, having the said two  
overcoats in his possession and defendant  
charges that defendant committed the  
said burglary.

Sworn to before me this  
19th day of January 1883

Charles P. Pope

John H. P. P.

Robert J. P.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Degree.

Dated 1883

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

Thomas J. Brennan  
aged 34 years, occupation Officer of No. 9th Street

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles Rofke  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

13

day

of

January

1898

Thomas J. Brennan

Charles Rofke

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

1882

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.

William Howard

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N. J.

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

Answer.

807 First Ave. 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty  
William Howard

Taken before me this

13day of March 1898

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 Howard

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, Jan 13 1893 John J. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court---2---65--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Poppe  
vs.  
William Howard

Offense *Burglary*

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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, *January 12* 189*3*

*Burke* Magistrate.

*Freeman O'Leary* Officer.

*9* Precinct.

Witnesses *Call Officer*

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *7.00* to answer *G. S.*

*W. H. P. A.*

Court of General Sessions.

-----O  
: The People :  
: vs :  
: William Howard :  
: -----O

City and County of New York, ss:-

CHARLES SAVAGE being duly sworn, says, that he resides at No.517 East 16th. Street in the City of New York. That he has known the above named defendant for a about twelve years, and knows ~~exhar~~ other people whp know him, and his reputation for honesty is of the very best, and he has always been a hardworking young man.

Sworn to before me this:

9th. day of March 1893

Sworn to before me this:  
9th. day of March 1893

*Chas Savage*

*Wm Wm M. M. M.*

*Notary Public*

*Ny Co*

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*E. J. General Leann*

*The People vs*

*Plaintiff*

*against*

*William Howard*

*Defendant*

*William Howard*

*PURDY & McLAUGHLIN,*

*Attorneys for*

*No. 280 BROADWAY, New York City*

Due and timely service of cop of the  
within hereby admitted  
this day of 18

*Attorney.*

*To*

Sworn to before me this

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Sworn, says that he resides at No. \_\_\_\_\_  
New York; that he is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age; that on the \_\_\_\_\_  
18 \_\_\_\_\_, at Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
New York, he served the within \_\_\_\_\_  
the \_\_\_\_\_ by leaving a copy thereof with \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
SS. : STATE AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

**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 BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*William Howard*

late of the *ninth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*thirteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three* in the *night*-time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of  
one

*Charles Poppe*

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 *Charles*  
*Poppe* in the said *store*  
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

*William Howard*  
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY committed as follows:  
The said *William Howard*

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,

*two coats of the value of four  
dollars each, twenty packages  
of cigarettes of the value of  
five cents each package, and  
twenty-five cigars of the value  
of five cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Charles Poppe*  
in the *store* of the said *Charles Poppe*

there situate, then and there being found, in the *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.

## THIRD COUNT:

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

*William Howard*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

*William Howard*

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

*two coats of the value of four dollars each, ~~two vests of the~~ twenty packages of cigarettes of the value of five cents each package, and twenty-five cigars of the value of five cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Charles Poppe*

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

*Charles Poppe*

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

*William Howard*

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hudson, Bernard

**DATE:**

01/24/93



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Witnesses:

Pat Carpenter  
Officer Robinson

(1-2)

Comptroller  
Filed day of *May* 1893  
Plend *Wynety*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Bernard Hudson*

Grand Larceny, Degree.  
(From the Person)  
[Sections 528, 530, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

*Paul I. W. 1893*

A TRUE BILL.

*J. Catlin*  
Foreman.  
*Oct 2 1893*  
*Ind and Acquitted*

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(1365)

Police Court—4—District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.of No. 344 East 73<sup>rd</sup> Street, aged 26 years,occupation Bar-Under being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1893 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 night time, the following property, viz:

Gold and Silver money  
of the United States & the  
Government and value of  
Sixty-five Dollars  
( \$65<sup>00</sup> )

the property of

deponent

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

from the fact that at about the  
hour of 10 P.M. on the aforesaid day  
deponent was on the North-east corner  
of 24<sup>th</sup> Street and 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue in said City  
and said property was in the right  
hand pocket of the pants then and  
then worn upon deponent's  
person and said deponent did  
insert his hand in the aforesaid  
pocket and did take said  
and carry away said property.

Patrick Carpenter

Sworn to before me, this  
19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1893  
at New York  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*Bernard 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.

*Bernard Henderson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*37 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*No 328 East 77 Street + about 5 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Driver*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty -*

*Bernard Henderson*

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.....

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, May 21 189..... John J. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 4 District. 86

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Putnam Company*  
*Bernard Kinsman*

Offense *Carriage*

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, *Jan 21* 189*3*  
*James H. [unclear]* Magistrate.

*William [unclear]* Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses *[unclear]*  
No. *1127* Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ *100* to answer *f = 5*

*[Signature]*

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*Bernard Hudson*

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

*Bernard Hudson*

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

The said *Bernard Hudson*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *15th*  
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms,

*the sum of sixty - five*  
*dollars in money, lawful money*  
*of the United States of America,*  
*and of the value of sixty - five*  
*dollars*

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

*De Lancey Nicoll,*  
*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hughes, Edward

**DATE:**

01/30/93



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Witnesses:

Eugene Bergen  
John McGeer

Attest by me  
Sara Fairbank  
Essex Superior  
Court  
March 10 1893

(S.C.)  
Counsel,  
Filed day of June 1893  
Plead, M. J. Kelly 3rd

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Edward Hughes  
Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
[Sections 828, 831 Penal Code.]  
(Under Seal & Return)

Dr LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. L. Carter  
Foreman.  
June 31/93  
H. J. Zoley  
J. M. D. M.  
Feb. 10/93

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:  
of New York.

of No.

occupation.

deposes and says, that on the

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

time, the following property, viz:

*Eugene Bergen*  
*40 Greenwich Street, aged 46 years,*  
*Livery Stable*  
*23 day of January 1893*  
 at the City of New York,  
 the following property, viz:  
 One living animal viz Horse - with  
 a horse collar - with initials J. H. D  
 m. of the amount and value of  
 three hundred dollars

the property of

*Grace H. Dohleman*  
 and in  
 deponent's care and custody

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 *Edward Hughes* (now here) from the

following facts to wit: That about the hour  
 of seven o'clock P. M. of said date, the defendant  
 came into deponent's place of business at the  
 above mentioned address, and stated to deponent  
 that he had been sent by one John Mc Gee  
 for a horse, and that deponent believing the  
 representations of the defendant that he had been  
 sent by said Mc Gee for said horse, did then  
 and there give and hand to the defendant  
 the aforesaid horse with said collar on, and  
 that said defendant then left deponent's place of  
 business with said property in his possession,  
 and that deponent is informed by Ernest Bernhardt  
 of No 401 East 11<sup>th</sup> St., that about the hour

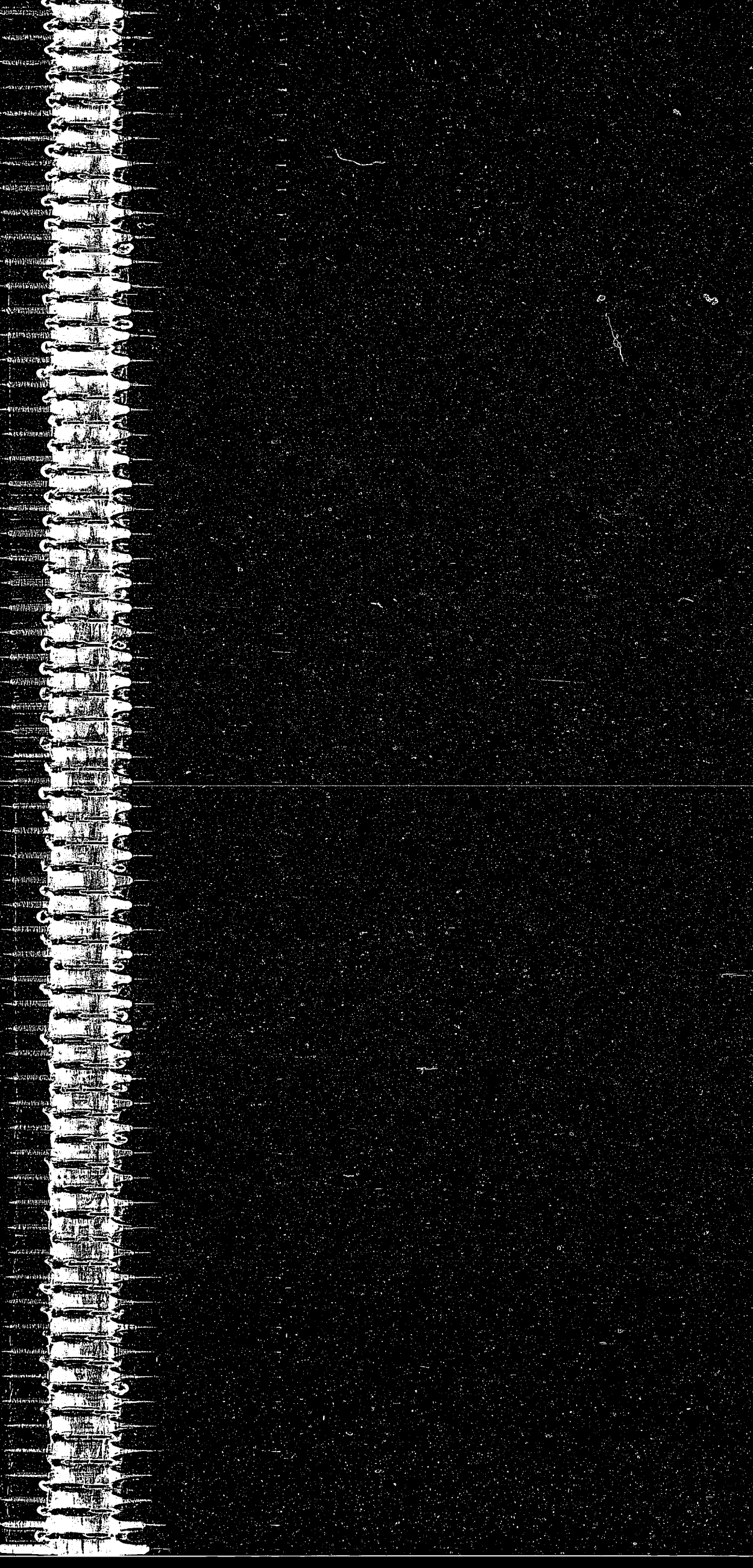
Sworn to before me this

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Notary Public

of 8 o'clock P.M. of said date, said defendant came into his place of business and asked him if he wanted to buy a Horse, and that he then went out in the street for the purpose of looking at said horse offered for sale by said defendant, and on defendant looking at said horse he saw the aforesaid collar with the initials, J. H. D. on, and on said Heinrichs informing the defendant that he was not buying horses, at night, said defendant then went away with said horse and collar in his possession, and that said Heinrichs then accompanied the defendant to a Livery Stable at No 281 East 10 Street for the purpose of enabling defendant to procure lodgings for said horse, and that about the hour of 1.30 o'clock P.M. of the 24 day of January 1893, said defendant again came to said Heinrichs and asked him if he would buy said horse, and on said Heinrichs asking defendant what he wanted for said horse, he stated to said Heinrichs he wanted one hundred and twenty five dollars for said horse, and that defendant further says that about the hour of 9 o'clock A.M. of the 24 day of January 1893 said Ernest Heinrichs came to his place of business, and informed him that a horse with a collar having the initials J. H. D. on - had been offered for sale to him - and that said horse was on Livery in Stable No 281 East 10 Street - and that defendant has seen said horse and said collar and recognizes the same as his property - and as the property which was delivered to said defendant on said defendant's demand ~~therefore~~ asks that the defendant may be held to answer -

I sworn to before me this } Eugene Burge  
 24 day of January 1893 }  
 John P. Woodley }  
 Police Justice



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hughes, Edward

**DATE:**

01/30/93



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Witnesses:

Erasmus Bergen  
John McGeer

Attest by me  
John Dairford  
Esq. Clerk of Court  
Thurs. 31/93

(Seal) M. Adkins  
Counsel,  
Filed by day of June 1893  
Plead, M. Adkins

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code.]  
(Check and return)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Hughes

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. C. Catron  
Foreman.  
June 31/93  
H. J. Zoley  
J. P. D. A. M.  
Feb. 10/93

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:  
of New York.

of No.

40 Greenwich

Occupation

Livery Stable

Street, aged 46 years,

deposes and says, that on the 23 day of January 1893 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:

The living animal viz Horse - with  
a horse collar - with initials J. H. D  
on. of the amount and value of  
three Hundred dollars

the property of

Isaac H. Dohleman and in

deponent's care and custody

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

Edward Hughes (now here)

from the following facts to wit: That about the hour of seven o'clock P. M. of said date, the defendant came into deponent's place of business at the above mentioned address, and stated to deponent that he had been sent by one John Mc Gee for a Horse, and that deponent believing the representations of the defendant that he had been sent by said Mc Gee for said Horse, did then and there give and hand to the defendant the aforesaid Horse with said Collar on, and that said defendant then left deponent's place of business with said property in his possession, and that deponent is informed by Ernest Bernhardt of No 401 East 11<sup>th</sup> St., that about the hour

Sworn to before me this 1893

Police Justice

of 8 o'clock P.M. of said date, said defendant came into his place of business, and asked him if he wanted to buy a Horse, and that he then went out in the street, for the purpose of looking at said horse offered for sale by said defendant, and on defendant looking at said horse he saw the aforesaid Collar with the initials, J. H. D. on, and on said Heinrichs informing the defendant that he was not buying Horses, at night, said defendant then went away with said Horse and Collar in his possession, and that said Heinrichs then accompanied the defendant to a Livery Stable at No 281 East 10 Street, for the purpose of enabling defendant to procure lodgings for said Horse, and that about the hour of 1.30 o'clock P.M. of the 24 day of January 1893, said defendant again came to said Heinrichs and asked him if he would buy said Horse, and on said Heinrichs asking defendant what he wanted for said Horse, he stated to said Heinrichs he wanted one hundred and twenty five dollars for said Horse, and that defendant further says that about the hour of 9 o'clock A.M. of the 24 day of January 1893 said Ernest Heinrichs came to his place of business, and informed him that a Horse with a Collar having the initials J. H. D. on - had been offered for sale to him - and that said Horse was on Livery in Stable No 281 East 10 Street - and that defendant has seen said Horse and said Collar and recognizes the same as his property - and as the property which was delivered to said defendant on said defendant's demand ~~therefore~~ asks that the defendant may be held to answer -

Sworn to before me this } Eugene Burzard  
 24 day of January 1893 }  
 John P. Woodhull }  
 Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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aged 23 years, occupation Truck Driver of No. 401 East 11<sup>th</sup>

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Eugene Bergen and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of January 1892 } Ernest Heinrichs

John McBoochie Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1882  
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Edward Hughes being duly examined before the undersigned 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. Edward Hughes

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 year

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 323 West 26 Street - 3 Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Brickman

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  
next day

Taken before me this

day of

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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 Defendants

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, 20th May 1893

Give such only.

John W. Bourke's Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

*Dated,.....189.....* *Police Justice.*

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Police Court--- District. 108

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Eugene Berger  
Edo Grunwald  
Edward Ruyres

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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,

Jan 24 1893  
Bridenbach & Brennan

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

John M. Lee  
No. 56 St near 11 Ave

No.

Street.

No.

\$ 1000 to answer

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Edward Hughes*

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

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

The said

*Edward Hughes*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-third*  
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one horse of the value of two  
hundred and seventy-five dollars,  
and one horse collar of the value  
of twenty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Isaac W. Dahlman*

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

*De Linney Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4637

**DESCRIPTION:**

Hughes, Michael

**DATE:**

01/23/93



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Witnesses:

Officer Hogan

Surfor.

Wm. T. McCarty

255 W. 39th St.

and for office

*[Signature]*

Get Secy. Leidy  
to investigate  
ch of man with  
Ch. Perryman  
New hi'kenes  
Ray

Counsel,

Filed 23

Pleads,

day of May 1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Hughes

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*[Signature]*  
May 23/93 Foreman.

*[Signature]*  
Plends Perry 3 day

24/36 Woodson

May 10, 1893, PM

Burglary in the Third Degree  
[Section 498, no. 6, 1893]

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Police Court—2<sup>nd</sup> District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 304 - 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, aged 32 years,occupation Shoe Dealer being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 304 - 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a fire story and  
basement brick building  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Shoe Store~~and in which there were at the time a person being, by name~~were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking  
the locks, and opening a door leading  
from the street into the basement  
of said premiseson the 16 day of January 1893 in the Night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:five pair of shoes - of the amount and  
value of ten dollars - two pair of rubber  
boots - of the amount and value of five  
dollars - in all of the amount and  
value of fifteen dollars (15<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>)the property of deponentand 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 byMichael Hughes (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent is in the  
shoe business, and carries on the said  
business, in the basement of the above  
mentioned premises - and that about the hour  
of six o'clock P.M. of the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January  
1893 - deponent securely locked and fastened  
said basement and after locking the door  
leading from the street into said basement  
went away - and that deponent is informed

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by Officer Peter Morgan of the 20th Precinct  
Police that about the hour of two o'clock  
A.M. of the aforesaid date, he discovered the  
said door open, and the defendant standing  
in said basement, with a pair of said  
rubber boots on his feet, defendant  
therefore asks that the defendant may  
be held to answer.

I solemnly swear  
this 17th day of January, 1893.  
John J. Schwanitz

Max H. Schwartz

Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Burglary  
Degree

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 26 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 26

Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Max Schwarz

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

Sworn to before me, this 17 day } Peter Hogan  
of New York 189 3 }

John P. Wood Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:  
*Michael Hughes*

being duly examined before the undersigned 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.

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.

*Michael Hughes*

Taken before me this

day of *March*189*3**John W. McArthur*  
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 Wendell

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 2500 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, Aug 17 189 John P. Leach Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court---

84 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Max Schwartz  
304 - 7 Ave  
vs. Michael Hughes

Officer  
Junglay

BAILED,

No. 1, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 2, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 3, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 4, by.....

Residence..... Street.

Dated,

Jan 17 1893

Magistrate.

Officer.

Pre-sinct.

Witnesses

No. 470-7-avenue Street.

No. 311-1st Ave Street.

No.

\$ 1000 to answer

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Hon. Frederick Smyth,  
Recorder.

Sir:-

In reference to Michael Hughes, who plead guilty before you, I respectfully submit the following report:

His right name is Frank Kempf and his parents are dead. On Jan'y 27th 1878 his mother had him committed to St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum. On Sept. 5th 1885 he was given back to his mother. On March 5th 1888, he was committed by Judge White to the Catholic Proptectory, charged by his sister with truancy. He was discharged on May 16th 1890. Since he has been out he has been living in Newsboys Lodging Houses. Mr. Tice, Superintendent of the West Side Lodging House said that he lived there for almost a year and then he was forbidden to stop there any more. He had the reputation there of being a thief who would steal lead pipe or anything he could lay his hands on. At the time of his arrest he was stopping at the Olive Tree Inn Lodging House. Th. watchman of that place has been arrested for receiving part of the proceeds of his burglaries. He burglarized four shoe stores on Seventh Avenue as follows

January 1st--388 Seventh Ave--	20 pairs new shoes
	15 pairs of old shoes
January 13--366 Seventh Ave.--	20 pairs new shoes
January 15th--374 Seventh Ave.--	96 pairs shoes, coat and umbrella
January 16th--304 Seventh Ave.--	5 pairs shoes, 1 pair rubbers.

He has admitted burglarizing these stores, and part of the proceeds have been recovered through his information furnished to the officers.

Respectfully submitted

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Michael Hughes*

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

*Michael Hughes*

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

The said

*Michael Hughes*

late of the 20th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*sixteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one  
 thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three* in the *right* time of the same day, at the  
 Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of  
 one *Max Schwarty*

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 *Max*  
*Schwarty* in the said *store*  
 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.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

*Michael Hughes*

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*Michael Hughes*

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,

*ten shoes of the value of one  
dollar each, and four rubber  
boots of the value of one dollar  
and twenty-five cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Max Schwartz*

in the

*store*

of the said

*Max Schwartz*

there situate, then and there being found, in the *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.

*De Lancey Nicoll,  
District Attorney.*

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