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Calhoun, Frank

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Frank Calhoun

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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Degree.
Grand Larceny, Second
(From the Person.
(Sections 623, 54,
Penal Code.)

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

of No. 146 W. O'Connell Street, aged 34 years,
 occupation Keep House being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 21 day of June 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 pocketbook containing gold
and lawful money of the United
States to the amount of Ten
dollars \$ 10.00

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 Frank Callum (witness)
 from the fact that said defendant occupied a furnished room in said premises and deponent entered said room to clean and make the beds. Deponent had said money in the pocket of the dress worn on the person of Deponent. Deponent after leaving said room missed said pocketbook and on returning to said room Deponent found some money ~~with~~ the yellow on said bed and identified part of it as the money that was contained in said pocketbook. Deponent is informed that said pocketbook was thrown from the

Sworn to before me, this 189 day

Justice.

window of the room occupied by said
 defendant. Defendant therefore asks
 that said defendant may be dealt
 with as the law directs.

Shewn to before me this } Mary Lyles
 21st day of June 1893 }
 John K. Moorhead
 Notary Public

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Sec. 198-200.

2^d District Police Court.CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,*Frank Calhoun*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Frank Calhoun

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N. S.

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

Answer.

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Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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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**Frank Calhoun*

Taken before me this

day of

*June 21 1893**John P. Sullivan*

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, June 21 1893 John 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 he to be discharged.

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

Police Court--- 2^d District. 676

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

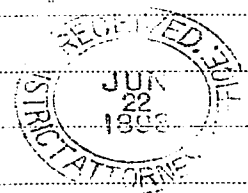
Mary Giles
146. Macdonough
Frank Callahan

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the present

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Dated, June 21. 1893
Voorhis Magistrate.
Stebbins Officer.
15 Precinct.

BAILED,
No. 1, by Eleanor McLinton
Residence 143 Willis Ave. Street.
No. 2, by
Residence Street.
No. 3, by
Residence Street.
No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Witnesses
No. Street.
No. Street.
No. Street.
\$ 5.00 to answer G.B.



Committed 11/2

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frank Calhoun

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

Frank Calhoun
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Frank Calhoun*

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

the sum of ten dollars
in money, - lawful money of the
United States of America, and of
the value of ten dollars, and one
pocketbook of the value of
one dollar

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Mary Giles*
on the person of the said *Mary Giles*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Mary Giles*
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

Frank Calhoun

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

The said

Frank Calhoun

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,

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Mary Giles

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

Mary Giles

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

Frank Calhoun

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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DESCRIPTION:

Capecci, Francisco

DATE:

06/22/93



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Witnesses:
[Signature]

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Counsel,
Filed, *[Signature]* day of June 1893

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Francisco Lopez

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW.
(Illegal Sales Without License).
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 31].

DE LANCEY NICOLL.
District Attorney.

Complaint sent to the Court
of Special Sessions,

Paul H. *[Signature]* 20th 1893
A TRUE BILL.

[Signature]
Foreman.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Francisco Capecci

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

Francisco Capecci

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINE, ALE AND BEER, IN QUANTITIES LESS THAN FIVE GALLONS AT A TIME, WITHOUT HAVING A LICENSE THEREFOR, committed as follows:

The said

Francisco Capecci

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 27th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wine, 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, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to

certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, without having a license granted to him in pursuance of any law of this State permitting him to sell either strong or spirituous liquors, wines, ale or beer, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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Caroso, Tony

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Ed Blum
Tom Caruso
Jon Drank

Counsel,

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Day of June

1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Tom Caruso.

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney

June 11/93

James H. Caruso

51st year.

A TRUE BILL.

James H. Caruso

Foreman.

June 15/93

Mr. Caruso

Mr. Drank

0023

Police Court—5 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York, }of No. 409 E. 112th Street, aged 33 years,
occupation Labourer being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 27 day of May 1893 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Tony Caruso
(now here) who wilfully and
maliciously cut and stabbed deponent
in the left side with a knife he
held in his hand.Deponent further says that such
assault was committedwith 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 assailantWherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be ~~apprehended and~~ bound to answer
for the above assault, etc., and be dealt with according to law.Sworn to before me, this 2nd day }
of June 1893 } Joseph X Polvera
MunkG. E. Sumner Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

Tony Caruso 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. *Tony Caruso*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *409 East 112 St - Two 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*
Tony Caruso
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Taken before me this

day of *June* 189*5*

John J. Connelley
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 5 DISTRICT.

John Eagan
of No. 39th West 100th Street, aged _____ years,
occupation Police Officer, being duly sworn, deposes and says
that on the 28 day of May 1893

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent arrested

Tony Caruso (now here) in complaint
of Joseph Polunna of no 409 E 112th
street who charged the deponent
with having cut and stabbed him
in the side. From the effects of the
said Polunna is now confined in the
Hudson Hospital and unable to appear
in Court.

Wherefore deponent prays the said deponent
may be held to answer result of said injuries.
John Eagan

Sworn to before me, this

of May

1893

29 day

J. J. J. Police Justice.

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Police Court, S District,

Held without bail to await
result of Palmer's injuries.
B.C.

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.
Tony Carro

AFFIDAVIT
as made

Dated May 29 1893

Sumner Magistrate.

Eagan Officer.

Witness, _____

Disposition, _____

The Magistrate presiding
in this case will hear
and determine this case
and take bail if necessary

J. M. Burke
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 A. Smith
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 June 2 189 3 Edwin J. Smith 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, 5 District, 607

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Polunsky
409 E. 112nd
vs.
Tony Caroso

Assault
Offense, Battery

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Dated, June 2, 1893

Sumner Magistrate.

John Eagan Officer.

39 Precinct.

Witnesses Carminie Caroso

No. 409 E. 112nd Street.

Joseph Frank

No. 411 E. 112nd Street.

No. Street.

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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.

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The People } Court of General Sessions. Part I
 Tony Caroso } Before Judge Cowing. June 29. 1893
 Indictment for assault in the first degree.
 I am ^{Joseph Palmera, sworn and examined,} a common laborer and live in
 East 112th street. On the 27th of May 1893 in the
 city of New York did you see the defendant?
 Yes; we live in the same house; it was
 on a Sunday. Did you have any trouble
 with him on that day? No. Did he use
 this knife on you? Yes; he cut me here
 (pointing to the abdomen); he took the
 knife and plunged it into my side;
 he stabbed me for no reason. When he
 stabbed me he said I had to leave that
 house, and I answered, "I do not want
 to leave here because you are not the
 master. Then I addressed his brother and
 told him that he must leave this house
 because otherwise we shall have quar-
 rels with his brother. That became ^{if you}
 after you were stabbed, where did you
 go to? I went to the hospital. I remained
 in the hospital three or four days.
~~Was there~~ ^{Was there} anybody present when he
 stabbed you? There were present the wife
 and the brother of the defendant, Car-
 mina Caroso. Was Joseph Frank
 there? Joseph Frank was the man that

took the knife from his hand.

Cross Examined. Polvera, his brother and his brother's wife they lived in the room. On this Sunday did not his brother and the defendant both tell you you must get out of that room, that they did not want you there any more? No, they did not. Did you not threaten early in the day that you would kill both him and his brother? No, nothing of the kind. Did you not make a bet of five dollars that you would put this man out of the room and you went down stairs to get five dollars? You went down stairs, didn't you, and brought up with you three or four more? No sir. At the time that you got out were you not trying to throw this man out of the window? I was holding him, but I did not want to throw him out of the window. Did the other man who came up stairs with you have a knife in his hand? No, he had nothing. Did he not cut the brother of the defendant with a knife? No. Joseph Frank, sworn and examined.

Where do you live? No. 411 East 112th street. Did you live there on the 27th of May? Yes. Did you see any difficulty between the last witness, the complainant and the

defendant at the bar on the 27th of May? Yes.
 I heard some noise and went near
 these men that were fighting, and the man
 that has received the wound was crying,
 "Take the Knife from his hand, otherwise
 he will kill me". I took the Knife out
 of his hand; the officer came and I
 delivered the Knife to the officer. Did you
 see him stab the man? No. I did not.
 You saw the Knife in the defendant's
 hand? Yes. I did because I took it
 away from his hand. Is this the Knife
 that you took away? (Knife shown) Yes.

Cross Examined. Were you one of the men that
 came up stairs with the complainant?
 Yes. Did you have a Knife in your
 hand? No. Did you not cut a man
 with a Knife in the arm or on the
 thumb? No. What were you doing
 in that room? Because I heard a
 noise and I went up stairs.

John Rogers sworn and examined.
 What precinct are you connected with?
 The 29th - On the 27th of May I arrested
 the defendant at the bar about half
 past ten o'clock Sunday night in the
 house where it was committed. I arrested
 him on the complaint of the complainant.

the man who was cut. Did he come out for you? No; he was sitting down but he had hold of the defendant by his hand when I came up; and when I came up one party handed me a knife and said that the prisoner there was after stabbing a man. Is this the knife (shown) which was handed you? Yes. I think it was Frank handed it to me. I asked him if that was the knife, he was stabbed with? and he said, "yes." Did you notice that the complainant was cut? Yes. Where was he cut? He was cut in the left side in the stomach. Did you take him to the hospital? Yes he was taken to the hospital.

Cross Examined. I arrested him on the top floor of a tenement house; it was either the third or top floor. You found him in the room and the complainant was there? Yes. Not on the street? No, sir. He made no effort to run away? No, because I had hold of him. They were sitting in the room together? The man who was stabbed was sitting and he had hold of this man when I got up to the house. Who else was

The Case for the Defence
 Frank Caruso, sworn and examined
 in his own behalf testified. Where did you
 live on that Sunday? No. 424 East 112th St.
 You remember the Sunday that your
 brother had trouble with Polnera? Yes. I do.
 Were you present then? Yes. Tell these
 gentlemen what took place in your rooms
 on that day. My brother came up stairs
 between nine and half past nine o'clock.
 After my brother arrived Polnera the com-
 plainant came. When he was up there
 he commenced having a quarrel with
 my brother. He says, "This is the house
 of my brother, and if you come up here
 to quarrel I will turn you out of this
 place; and he says, "I will ask my
 brother, and if he wont turn you out
 of here I shall do it. He says, "I will
 bet you five dollars that you will
 not be able to turn me out of this
 place." He went down stairs into the
 saloon and got five dollars, and he
 came up stairs and he says, "Here are
 the five dollars, try to turn me out."
 While they were talking about this bet
 another man arrived with a knife
 in his hand and ran towards my

brother. So I was sitting down and I went towards this man and tried to take the knife out of his hand and whilst I was trying to take the knife from his hand he cut my thumb. After this man was up there nine or ten persons came up with a knife or with a revolver in his hand wanting to kill my brother. My brother seeing such a crowd of armed men against him commenced crying "Help, help, help." If this man had not gone for the five dollars such a thing would not have happened. I did not see my brother stabbing the complainant. I was in the room. You had all you could do to attend to the other men? Yes.

Cross Examined. Did your brother occupy the house in which the complainant lived? I am the keeper. The complainant was boarding with you? Yes. What right had your brother to threaten to put him out as long as he was boarding with you? I did not tell my brother to turn him out. I said, Both of you are boarders; let every man keep his own place. My brother was not drunk. The complainant

had not done anything to your brother before that? No. never. Did not your brother and you have some trouble with him in the early part of the day about beans? No.

Jerry Carosa, sworn and examined through the interpreter. You live at 409 East 112th Street? Yes. Do you speak English? A little bit. You remember you had trouble with Polvera? Yes.

Tell these gentlemen what the trouble was all about, how you came to cut him?

The quarrel commenced down stairs in the yard; then I went up stairs about some sausages and bread which

I had to take with me on the Monday as I was going to work. Then he was there and we asked him to join us and he swore by the Virgin Mary, he says, "I will kill you both;" and he gave me a blow on the side with his fist; then he caught hold of me and wanted to throw me out of the window. He went down stairs to get five dollars to make a bet and he was followed by several people with knives and revolvers in their hands. I was attacked by all these

men, and being afraid of my life there was a knife lying on the table. I took and cut him with it and then he held my hand. What was the complainant doing to him the time he cut him? He caught me by my breast and tried to throw me out of the window. What story was this on? how high up? The fourth floor. If it was not that I defended myself I would have been killed.

Cross Examined. He tried to throw you out of the window before ~~he~~ went down stairs to get the five dollars? Yes, he said he did at first and then he let me go and went down stairs to get the five dollars and came up with them to get to throw me out of the window.

Did he not say that he would bet you five dollars that you could not put him out of that house? No, he was the one that prepared the bet. I never did anything of the sort. Did you not say that you would put him out of the house? I did not say such a thing. Did he not tell you you were not master of the house and that you could not put him out? Yes, he said that

and I answered, "It is true, I am not the master. You wanted to put him out didn't you? Yes. Did you say that you are not the master then? He said so because when we quarrelled down below - it is a vile expression he says - What did he say? He says, "I will put my thing into you and your brother," and then that was the reason why I told him I should have him out of the house. Who were those men who came up with the pistols and the knives? The one in the corner (pointing to a man in the Court room, Frank) he came with a big knife about that length (showing), and when the police officers arrived they all ran away. What did you want to stab this man for? I did it because he was pushing me towards the window and he wanted to throw me out of the window. Was the window opened? He opened the window.

By the Court Ask him if he was injured in the least on that occasion in which he stabbed the complainant? I only received two blows on my side with his fist. Ask him if he was hurt? I was hurt.

very much with his fist. He was not thrown out of the window? He had hold of me and if I had not cried for help he would have thrown me out of the window. Nobody shot anybody with a pistol or cut anybody with a knife excepting himself did they? Nobody did anything of the sort but I did it in self defence.

By the Foreman Did he attempt to throw him out of the window previous to his going down stairs? Yes sir.

Joseph Palmera recalled by District Attorney. Did you attempt to throw this man out of the window? No sir. I did not. I only held him just to avoid him stabbing me. Did you go down stairs and bring up four or five or six men with knives and revolvers? No sir.

McMurrell Did you not have some trouble down in the yard? Yes sir.

By District Attorney What was the trouble about down in the yard? I went to buy beans for my own use, and while I was eating these beans the defendant and his brother wanted a portion of them and I refused it. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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Testimony in the
case of
Tony Caroso

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June 1993

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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

Tony Caroso

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

Tony Caroso

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

The said

Tony Caroso

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty seventh day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Joseph Polnera in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and him the said Joseph Polnera with a certain knife

which the said
in his

Tony Caroso

right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and wound,

with intent

him

the said

Joseph Polnera

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

Tony Caroso

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

The said

Tony Caroso

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 Joseph Polnera in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and him the said Joseph Polnera with a certain knife

which the said

Tony Caroso

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

Fony Caroso

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

The said

Fony Caroso

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 *Joseph Polnera* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said

with a certain *knife*

Joseph Polnera

which *he* the said

Fony Caroso

in *his* right hand then and there had and held in and upon the

body

of *him*

the said

Joseph Polnera

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

Joseph Polnera

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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DESCRIPTION:

Casey, William W.

DATE:

06/07/93



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Witnesses:

Wm. G. Gandy
CO

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

Wm. G. Gandy

day of

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

William W. Casey

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Case 3. June 13, 1893

Off. made August 14, 1893

A TRUE BILL.

Ray S. Harrum

Foreman.

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Set down for 3rd Monday
Sept 2. Sept 14, 1893
Tried and acquitted

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged — years, occupation Dennis Grady
Police Officer of No.

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

Sworn to before me, this 22 day } Dennis Grady
of 189 }
189

Arthur C. Perry Police Justice.

May 5/93.
 Mr. & Mrs. S. W. G. Corner: Sir
 Will you please call
 at my office in the
 morning if possible
 answer and delay.
 Wm. H. Robinson
 137 X 276. St.

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Arthur C. Perry
of No. 153 West 23 Street, aged 24 years,
occupation Student being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 25 day of May 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:

One Suit of Clothes
of the value of Fifty Dollars

\$ 50.00

the property of Deponent

and 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 William H. Casey (phonetic)

from the fact that said property was
in a room in the above premises
on said date. Said deponent came &
said premises with a letter ^(attached) and obtained
admission to the room in which said property
was. Deponent is informed by Officer
Louis Brady of the Court Office that he
arrested the said deponent and
that he identifies the signature of
the letter ^{here attached} as the signature
of the said deponent. Wherefore deponent
accuses the said deponent with taking
and carrying away said property.

Arthur C. Perry.

Sworn to before me, this 25 day of May 1893
of Arthur C. Perry
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. William W. Casey

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. N.Y.

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

Answer. 222 West 17 Street. 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Clerk

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 W Casey
222 West 17

Taken before me this

day of

March 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 Admire

two Hundred Dollars, and he be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated, Jan 2 1898 John W. Kelly 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 District. 612

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Arthur C. Perry
103 W. 23rd St.
William M. Baer

Offense Larceny

File

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Dated, June 2 1893

Rock Magistrate.

Grady & Moran Officer.

C. C. Precinct.

Witnesses Chas Steward

No. 144 W. 27th Street.

Lizzie M. ...

No. 153 W. 123 Street.

No. ...

No. ...

\$ 1000 to answer

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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.

Court of General Sessions

The People vs.

Against

William Casey

To

Mr. Lancy Nicole Esq.

District Attorney

Please to take notice
that upon all the proceedings
had herein, we will move
before the Hon. Randolph
Madison, in Part Two of
the General Sessions, on Monday
August 10, 1893 at 11 o'clock in
the forenoon or as soon there-
after as counsel can be
heard for an order discharg-
ing the defendant upon his
own ~~consent~~ recognizance,
dated 7th August 1893

Respectfully

Gurdy McManus

Att'y for Deft

114 & 116 Centre Street

New York City

NY

Warrant of Arrest
Capt. J. M. -

The Rev.

95.

Mr. Casey -

Notice of Removal

Wm. H. Claus.

Edw. H. Hays

N. 116. Cedar St.

Dr. Lacey, Secord
Dr. H. Hays

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 W. Casey

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

William W. Casey

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

The said

William W. Casey

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25th* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one coat of the value of thirty dollars, one vest of the value of eight dollars, one pair of trousers of the value of twelve dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Arthur C. Perry

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 Lancy Nicoll
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Cavanagh, Thomas

DATE:

06/19/93



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FOLDER:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Fagan, Michael

DATE:

06/19/93



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Witnesses:

Battle with the
John Hawkins
off Gorgan

I have examined personally all the witnesses for the prosecution in the within case; and at request of Defts Counsel have also personally examined the witnesses for the defense. I find that the alleged burglary was committed upon an empty room, formerly occupied as a liquor saloon, & when there was no article of value. The witnesses testify that the proprietor of the room instructed defendants to go there. There is only one witness for prosecution & he is of very low mental capacity & does not think a competent witness. Therefore recommend that the defendants be discharged with their own recognizances.

Counsel,

Filed 19 day of June 1893

Pleads, Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Cavanagh
and
Michael Fagan

Burglary in the Third Degree.

[Section 498, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.
July 20/93
Discharged on
their own recognizances

Police Court—

3rd District.City and County
of New York,

ss.:

of No.

occupation

deposes and says, that the premises No.

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a

and which was occupied by deponent as a

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

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

on the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Liquors and other property

the property of the deponent's care and charge as watchman

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

Thomas Karmagh & Michael Fagan
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That at about 2 o'clock P.M. deponent saw that the said premises was securely locked and fastened. That at about 4 o'clock deponent saw the defendants in the said premises and discovered that they had entered as aforesaid.

John H. Hawkins
Watchman

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 13th day of June 1893
Charles J. Hamilton
Notary Public

City and County of New York, ss:

Michael Fagan 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.

Michael Fagan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

13 Monroe St

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
Michael Fagan

Taken before me this

day of *March* 189*3**Charles H. Stanton* Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1882
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Thomas Karanagh 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.

Thomas Karanagh

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

31 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

57. Seamen St

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Steam fitter

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

Karanagh

Taken before me this
day of *July* 189*3*
Charles W. Justice
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 defendants

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, July 12 1893 Charles N. Luntz 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

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Police Court---

652
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Hawkins
H. Hawkins
Thomas Karmark
Michael Fagan

Offense

Drugging

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated, *June 13* 18*93*

Samuel Magistrate.

Emman Officer.

7 Precinct.

Witnesses *Call Officer*

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *7000* to answer *GS*

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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
Thomas Cavanagh
and
Michael Sagan

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

Thomas Cavanagh and Michael Sagan

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

The said

Thomas Cavanagh and Michael Sagan, both

late of the *9th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of one *Bernard Smyth*

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

Bernard Smyth 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.

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Christensen, John J.

DATE:

06/14/93



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Witnesses:

John Conway
W. S. Conway

(Signature)

In this case I solemnly
swear that Petal Lacey
be accepted as the plea
June 22 1893 *Wm. J. W. Lacey*
by the Court

123 *W. J. W. Lacey*
Counsel,
Filed *June 23*
Pleads, *Guilty*

Grand Larceny,
(From the Person,
[Sections 828, 829,
Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John J. Christensen

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Paul S. Lacey
June 22 93 Foreman.
Placed

Pen 6 months
June 26 93

Police Court—

District,

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 26 State Street, aged 40 years,

occupation Machinist being duly sworn,

deposes and says that on the 14th day of June 1893 at the City of New York,

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

person of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

Sworn to before me, this
189 } day

Good and lawful money of the
United States consisting
of a bank note or bill and
pocket coin together of the
value of \$110.00. 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 John Christian (now known)

for the reasons following to wit
about the hour of 5:30 o'clock PM
on the afternoon of said day deponent
had said property in the lower
right hand pantaloons pocket
of the pants he had and was lying
asleep on the right side of
truck in Greenwich Street, and when
he awoke he missed said property
Deponent further says he is informed
by John Corcoran after 120 Greenwich
Street, that he saw said deponent
turn deponent's over from the right
side to the left side and place this

hand in his pocket & take said property
 therefrom and run away with the same
 and caused him to be arrested and depo-
 nent further says he is further informed
 by George B. Shain saw a police
 officer of the 3d precinct that he
 arrested said defendant who
 admitted and confessed to him he
 had taken said property for safe
 keeping and deponent therefore charges
 him with the larceny of goods

Sworn to before me
 this 5th day of June 1893

Frank. H. Morrison

Wm. H. Drake

Police Justice

0066

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 37 years, occupation Electrician of No. 120 Greenwich Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Samuel Korman and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 5 day
of June 1893

John Korman

John W. Burke Police Justice.

0067

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 32 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

34 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Frank Hermann

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 5th day of June 1892

of June 1892

George T. Sheridan
Police Justice.

0068

Sec. 198—200.

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

John Christensen 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. *John Christensen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Denmark*

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

Answer. *514 Grand Street N. Y. 2 mos.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labourer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
John J. Christensen

Taken before me this

day of

1893

Police Justice.

0069

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 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, June 5 1893 _____ 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.

1881

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank Sherman
26th St
John Christensen

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the 641
Offense

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated, *June 5* 189
Burne Magistrate.
Sheridan Officer.
2 Precinct.

Witnesses *John Cornman*
No. *120 Green St*
George T Sheridan
No. *29 Green St*

No. Street
\$ *1000* to answer

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JUL 189

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 J. Christensen

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
John J. Christensen
 of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said

John J. Christensen
 late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth*
 day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
 ninety-*three*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,
 with force and arms,

one promissory note for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United
 States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *one* dollar; *one*
 promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the de-
 nomination and value of *one* dollar; *one* United States Gold Certificate,
 of the denomination and value of *one* dollar; *one* United States
 Silver Certificate, of the denomination and value of *one* dollar;

one nickel coin of the kind called
five cent pieces of the value of *five*
cents

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Frank Hermannson*
 on the person of the said *Frank Hermannson*
 then and there being found, from the person of the said *Frank Hermannson*
 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:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Christopher, Frank

DATE:

06/22/93



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Aug 20 1898

Filed 2/11/20 day of April

Pleads, Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Frank Christopher

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman

Part 3, June 27. 1893

Phoebe Emily Platt Lacey
Pen 3 ms.

2007/11/20

Burglary in the Third Degree.

0073

Police Court—5 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 1558 Third Ave Street, aged 55 years,
occupation Delicatessen store being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 1558 Third Ave Street, Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a five a five story
brick apartment house
and which was occupied by deponent as a store and dwelling
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the
door leading from the landing in the
second floor into deponent's kitchen
on said second floor with a fake key.on the 16 day of June 1897 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:One pen knife of the value
of fifty cents and a locket of
the value of three doll. Together of
the value of three doll. and fifty cents.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 byFrank Christopher (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the door of
4.20 o'clock P.M. said date said
door was locked, and deponent was in
his store on the first floor of said premises
and deponent's apartment being unoccupied
when deponent heard an alarm bell which
deponent has connected with his apartment
deponent ran up, and caught this defendant
in the act of running out of said room, and

when this defendant was searched and
knife and loaded were found in his
possession with a number of things
Wherefore defendant charges this defendant
with Burglarily entering and remain
as aforesaid, and stealing property therefrom

Sworn to before me } Mag. James
this 17th day of June 1893

John H. Burke
Police Justice

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

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

1.
2.
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Offence—BURGLARY.

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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1883

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Frank Christopher being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is *h^{is}* 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 *h^{is}* waiver cannot be used against *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Frank Christopher

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Brooklyn

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

Answer.

105 Second St Five Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bar tender

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
Frank Christopher

Taken before me this

day of

1883

Police Justice.

0077

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

Dependant
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, *June 17* 189 *3* *Amos R. R. R.* 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,

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Hugo Raven
1558 37th St
Frank Christopher

Offense
Burglary

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,

June 17
Burke

189

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

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Witnesses

No.

Street.

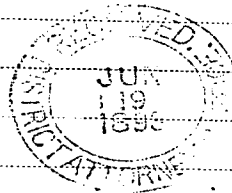
No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 15.00 to answer



Clerk

June 17 1896

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frank Christopher

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

Frank Christopher

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

The said

Frank Christopher

late of the *12th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, with force and arms, in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Hugo Raven

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 *Hugo*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Frank Christopher

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

Frank Christopher

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 *day* - time of said day, with force and arms,

*one knife of the value of fifty
cents and one locket of the value
of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Hugo Raven

in the dwelling house of the said

Hugo Raven

there situate, then and there being found, from the dwelling house aforesaid, then and there felon-
iously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and pro-
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Frank Christopher
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

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

*one knife of the value of
fifty cents and one locket of
the value of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

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

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

Frank Christopher
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:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cicone, Guerino

DATE:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Griffin, Thomas

DATE:

06/19/93



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gill, Thomas

DATE:

06/19/93



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Witnesses:
Oscar Amery
Off. Exch.

Mr. 1. *Cyath. Protea* { *Comm.*
 243 *G. m.*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

1921

aged 59 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

17th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Conrad Kueining

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

12

day

of June 189

Cornelius D. Sully

John Ryan

Police Justice.

0087

Sec. 198—200.

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Thomas Gile 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.

Thomas Gile

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

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

Answer.

131 Mulberry Street 1 month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Truck 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
Thomas Gile

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 189*2*

Police Justice.

0088

Sec. 198—200.

1882
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Joseph Cacchiio being duly examined before the undersigned according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is h^{is} right to make a statement in relation to the charge against h^{is}; that the statement is designed to enable h^{is}, if he see fit, to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h^{is} that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h^{is} waiver cannot be used against h^{is} 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
Guerino, Eccone,

Taken before me this

day of

1893

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

1882
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Thomas Griffin

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188*9**John Ryan*
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.....

Defendants
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, *June 12* 189*3* *John 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 he to be discharged.

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

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Police Court---

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Conrad Kucinski
179 Grand
Joseph Pacheco
2. Thomas Griffith
3. Thomas Griffith
4.

Offense

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated,

June 12

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Magistrate.

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

\$

to answer

Committed

Police Court—First District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 149 Grand Street, aged 46 years,occupation Dealer in Brass Cocks being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 179 Grand Street, 14 Wardin the City and County aforesaid the said being a fine stone brickbuilding
and which was occupied by deponent as a warehouse with ground
floor and basement
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

breaking an
iron bar, which led from a stairway
into the basement of the premises
and broke the door open leading
into the basement.on the 7 day of June 1898 in the night time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away viz:

A quantity of brass cocks
of the value of about twenty
five dollars
\$25.00

the property of

Depment and deponent's partner
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

Joseph Cacchino, Thomas
Paul Thomas, John Gull, John Gull, John Gull,
in concert. That at about the hour
for the reasons following, to wit:of 530 o'clock P.M. on the 6th day of
June deponent locked and secured
fastened the doors and windows leading
into the premises. That at that time
the property was in the premises. That
at about the hour of 7 o'clock on the 7th
day of June deponent came back to the
premises and found that they had been
entirely removed and the said property
taken. That deponent is informed

by Cornelius L. Scully of the 10 Precinct
that he, Scully, arrested the defendant
Cochius on information received that
Cochius had part of the stolen property
in his possession and was trying to dispose
of the same. That he, Cochius, told the
officer that he Cochius saw the defendant
Gill gang through Mulberry Street on the
morning of the 7 of June. with him, Gill
had a number of boxes in his possession
which had been taken from the Jew-
ries. That when arrested the defendant
Gill told the officer that defendant
Giffin had the property and sold the
same. That he the officer arrested Giffin
and found the property in the possession
of Benjamin J. Bright a hardware dealer
who bought the property from the
defendant Giffin and his wife from
man. Deputy further says that he has since
seen the property and identified the same as his
and says that the defendant he dealt with
is William Giffin.

Police Justice

Dated 1889

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

Police Justice

Dated 1889

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

Police Justice

Dated 1889

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

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

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
vs.	
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Offense—BURGLARY.	
Dated	1889
Magistrate.	Officer.
Clerk.	
Witness,	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	to answer General Sessions.
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Court of Gen. Sessions

The People
v
Joseph Caccino
et alREPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.No. 297 FOURTH AVENUE,
(Corner East 23d Street.)New York, June 15th 1893CASE NO. 73163 OFFICER Puller
DATE OF ARREST June 10th
CHARGE BurglaryAGE OF CHILD 15 years
RELIGION Catholic
FATHER Casimiro Linguna
MOTHER Rita

RESIDENCE 146 Mulberry st,

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

Society

has no record of the boy having
been arrested before. Parents appear
to be respectable and have a
fair home.

All which is respectfully submitted,

Go

Count of
Gen. Sessions

The People	PENAL CODE, § <i>130.10</i>
V	
Joseph Cackino	
et al	

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

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,
No. 297 Fourth Avenue,
Corner East 23d Street,
NEW YORK CITY.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against
Guerino Bicone, Thomas
Griffin and Thomas Gill

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

Guerino Bicone, Thomas
Griffin and Thomas Gill

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

The said

Guerino Bicone, Thomas
Griffin and Thomas Gill, all

late of the 14th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
seventh day of *June* 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 building of
one

Conrad Kniering

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

Conrad Kniering in the said *building*
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

Guerrino Ciccone, Thomas Griffin and Thomas Gill

of the CRIME OF *Retit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*Guerrino Ciccone, Thomas Griffin
and Thomas Gill, all —*

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,

*twenty-five brasscocks of
the value of one dollar each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Conrad Kniering

in the

building

of the said

Conrad Kniering

there situate, then and there being found, in the *building* 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
Guerrino Ciccone, Thomas Griffin and Thomas Gill
 of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Guerrino Ciccone, Thomas Griffin*
and Thomas Gill, all
 late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year afore-
 said, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

twenty five brass cocks of the
value of one dollar each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Conrad Kneering*

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before felon-
 iously stolen from the said *Conrad Kneering*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have: (the said *Guerrino*
Ciccone, Thomas Griffin and Thomas Gill
 then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been felon-
 iously 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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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Coakley, Joseph

DATE:

06/27/93



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Witnesses

Jacob Cohen
Off. Carson

Counsel,

Filed by

June 13
day of

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Conkley

Grand Larceny, *second* Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 828, 829, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray S. Harris
Foreman.

August 1/93

Heads of Jury

S.P. 2 1/2 yrs.

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 11 Huntington Street, aged 46 years,
occupation Sailor

being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 9th day of June 1898 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:

One silver case watch
of five dollars

the property of deponent

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

from the fact that the defendant
approached deponent, searched
the watch from his pocket
and ran away with the same
that deponent caused his arrest
and found the property in
the possession of the defendant

Joseph Roark
deponent

Sworn to before me, this

1898

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Joseph Coakley

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 Edward

Five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail

Dated, June 11 189 John Ryan Police Justice.

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

Dated, June 11 189 John Ryan Police Justice.

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

Dated, June 11 189 John Ryan Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jacob Cohen
Joseph Coakley

Officer
General

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 *June 21* 189

E. Ryan Magistrate.

Parson Officer.

10 Precinct.

Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *500* to answer *Edw*

Committee

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 Coakley

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

Joseph Coakley
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said

Joseph Coakley

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

*one watch of the
value of ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Jacob Cohen*
on the person of the said *Jacob Cohen*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Jacob Cohen*
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 Ricoll,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cohen, Abraham

DATE:

06/27/93



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Witnesses:

Joseph Huston
Off Keenan

Counsel,

Filed

day of

Pleads,

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Abraham Cohen

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray S. Erwin
Foreman.

Part 2. July 6/93
Tried and convicted

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Burglary in the Third Degree. [Section 498, 502, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 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]

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

T H E P E O P L E,

-against-

ABRAHAM COHEN.

"

Before

"

"

HON.FREDERICK SMYTH,

"

"

and a Jury.

TRIED, NEW YORK, JULY 6TH, 1893.

INDICTED FOR BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE.

INDICTMENT FILED JUNE 27TH, 1893.

APPEARANCES:

BARTOW S.WEEKS, ESQ.,

For THE PEOPLE.

ABRAHAM LEVY, ESQ.,

For THE DEFENSE.

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JOSEPH WEINSTEIN, the complainant, testified that he lived on the second floor, front, of 45 Eldridge Street, and was a cloak maker. On June 21st, 1893, he left for his work at 7 o'clock in the morning. There is a door leading from the hall into the room referred to. The complainant had a key to the door of his room and of his closet. That morning when he went out, he left his clothing in the closet and locked the door of the closet and of the room. He left there one Prince Albert coat an overcoat and two pairs of trousers and two vests, worth in all, \$80. He returned to his room at 7 o'clock in the evening, and his clothing was gone, and officer Kiernan showed them to him at the station house, and they were the same clothing that he left in the closet in the morning.

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(None.)

The complainant did not know the defendant. When he, the complainant returned home at 7 o'clock in the evening he found his door opened and Mrs. Rachel standing at the door waiting for him. No one, as far as he knew, had a key to his room besides himself. When he is at home Mrs. Rachel Luska cleans up his room for him. He paid more than \$80. for the clothing above mentioned.

RACHEL LUSKA testified that she lived at 45 Eldridge Street.

She keeps four rooms and rented one room, with a door leading into the hallway, to the complainant. On June 21st, of this year, between 12 and 1 o'clock of that day, the witness saw the defendant "in the front room that Joe Weinstein keeps. I asked him what he is doing in this room, and he said, 'a man sent me here with some things.' When the witness went into the room she saw the things on a bed wrapped up in the bed sheet. There were two suits and an overcoat, but she did not remember every piece that

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was there. She asked the defendant, "How did you get into the room?" The defendant said, "The man opened the door and left me in the room. He opened the door for me". The housekeeper went for a policeman and the defendant was arrested. In

C r o s s - E x a m i n a t i o n .

the witness testified that when she went into the room she found the defendant sitting on the bed, and after she returned, ten minutes later, he was still sitting there, alone.

JAMES J. KIERNAN testified that he was an officer of the Municipal Police, attached to the 11th precinct. He was called to 45 Eldridge Street about 1 o'clock, and went to the room occupied by Joseph Weinstein, and there found the defendant sitting on the bed with a lot of clothes rolled up in a sheet or envelope, and the same clothes were afterwards identified, at the station house, by Mr. Weinstein as his pro-

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perty. The witness asked the defendant how he came into that room and he said he was sent up there by another man, but he could not tell who the other man was but he said he had never before seen him and did not know anything about him. He arrested the defendant and searched him at the station-house and found 8 or 10 keys in his possession. In

C r o s s - E x a m i n a t i o n

the witness testified that he examined the door and it did not appear to have been pried open, but must have been opened by keys.

THE DEFENSE.

ABRAHAM COHEN, the defendant, testified that he is 16 years old, and was born in Russia. He has been in this country 14 years. He works in a cigar business, but cut his finger, and could not work at the cigar business, so he sold papers for a living. After getting done selling his papers, he, the defendant, was walking through Eldridge Street and a man asked him whether he wanted to make a few cents, and he said yes, and asked how, and the man said, "carry a package for me." And the defendant went with him, and the man opened the door and told him to wait for him 15 minutes, and if he did not come to take the bundle to Chrystie and Canal Street, "and so I waited there and this lady came, and she asked me what I was doing there, and I told her the story, and she went out, and about 10 minutes after she said I was trying to rob her. And then she had a policeman arrest me." The defendant said that he did not unlock the door and did not try to steal the clothing,

and was never before in trouble. The defendant said that the strange man gave him the keys but did not give him any money. The strange man took the defendant to the room and unlocked the door for him, the defendant, and said, "Take that bundle down to Chrystie and Canal Streets, if I dont come back in 15 minutes." The defendant was to wait for the man 15 minutes, and if he did not come back he was to take the clothing to Chrystie and Canal Street as directed.

BETSEY COHEN testified that she is the mother of the defendant, and lived at 77 Munroe Street a month and her son did not know that she had moved there, as he went away to work and she did not know it. The defendant went to work on Monday, and she moved that day from 70 Norfolk Street to 77 Munroe Street. The defendant is 16 years old, and is a good boy, and gave his mother his earnings, and lived at home. In

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the witness testified that he left home on Monday,
and on Friday she was informed that he had been
arrested.

(The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty of
(Grand Larceny in the second degree.)

Police Court— Third District.

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

of No. 45 Eldridge Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Coat-Maker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 45 Eldridge Street, 10th Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a six story brick
tenement building, the third floor of
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~
which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling apartment

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly opening the door
leading to said apartment by means of
false keys

on the 21 day of June 1887 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two pairs of trousers & three vests,
three coats, the 'whole of the value
of Eighty' Dollars,

\$80.00
Too

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

Abraham Cohen (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That, on the aforesaid date at
7 A.M. deponent left said apartment and
locked the door thereof: that said property
was in the room at the said time. That
deponent is informed by one Rachel Liska
of the same address that about 12³⁰ P.M.
on the said date she saw defendant coming
out of the aforesaid apartment having the
above-named property in his possession.

That defendant had no right to sail property and deponent prays that he may be dealt with according to law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this } Joe Weinstein
23rd day of June 1893 }
[Signature]
Police Justice

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Hundred Dollars _____ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

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

committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, _____ District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated _____ 188 _____

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ _____ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 26 years, occupation Housewife of No. 45- Eldridge Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Joseph Weinstein and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 23 day }
of June 1893 } John A. Karpis

Chas. Karpis Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

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1882
District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Abraham Cohen 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. Abraham Cohen

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Russia

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

Answer. To home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Peddler

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

Abraham Cohen
Cohen

Taken before me this

day of

189

James A. [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 Alfred Smith

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 June 25 189 5 Shufeldt 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--- ³ District. ⁶⁸⁵

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Weinstein
45 Eldridge
Abraham Cohen

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3 _____
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Brooklyn
Offense

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated, *June 23* 189 *3*

Koch Magistrate.

Kerman Officer.

11 Precinct.

Witnesses _____

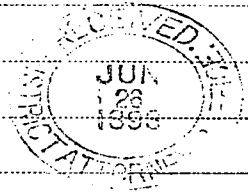
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *G.S.*

Can *Barry*



Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Abraham Cohen

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

Abraham Cohen

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

The said

Abraham Cohen

late of the *10th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-first* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, with force and arms, in the *day*-time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Joseph Weinstein

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Abraham Cohen

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

The said *Abraham Cohen*

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 *day* time of said day, with force and arms,

*two pairs of trousers of the value
of eight dollars each pair, three
vests of the value of seven dollars
each, and three coats of the
value of sixteen dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Joseph Weinstein

in the dwelling house of the said

Joseph Weinstein

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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Abraham Cohen

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

The said *Abraham Cohen*

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 pairs of trousers of the value of eight dollars each pair, three coat vests of the value of seven dollars each and three coats of the value of sixteen dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

Joseph Weinstein

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

Joseph Weinstein

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

Abraham Cohen

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:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Cohen, Samuel

DATE:

06/16/93



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Witnesses:
off Houghtaling

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Counsel,
Filed 16 day of June 1893
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Samuel Cohen
Grand Juror,
[Sections 628, 631,
Degree, Penal Code.]
DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.
Jury Foreman.
August 19, 1893
Hans J. P.
Homer of Refuge

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Louis Spero

of No. 1199 Broadway Street, aged 12 years.occupation Merchant Tailor being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 19 day of June 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:Two pairs of trousers of the value
of twenty six dollars \$26the 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 Samuel Cohen nowhere. Defendant came to deponent's store
on an errand, and while there the defendant
was seen by Newman Leary, now here, who
as deponent is informed by the said Leary, while
the defendant was in the act of secreting the
said property in a bag, and defendant took said
stolen property out of said store, and was arrested
immediately with said stolen goods in his possession.

Louis Spero

Sworn to before me, this

19 day

of June 1893

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1877

Newman Levy
aged 31 years, occupation Cutter of No. 1193 Broadway Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Louis Spero and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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me 1893

Newman Levy

W. H. Brady
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Samuel Cohen*

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. *95 East Broadway 8 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Errand boy*

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

Answer. *I am guilty**Samuel Cohen.*

Taken before me this

day of

*June**1897**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

Samuel Coker

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

Dated, June 1 1897

W. J. H. H. 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---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Speer
1193 10th St
Samuel Chen

Offense *Larceny*

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Dated,

June 13

1897

Grady

Magistrate.

Hospitality

Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

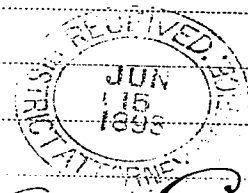
Street.

No.

Street.

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to answer



G. S.

BAILED,

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

Samuel Cohen

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

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

The said

Samuel Cohen

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

*two pairs of trousers of the
value of thirteen dollars
each pair*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Louis Spero

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:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Collins, John H.

DATE:

06/24/93



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Witnesses:

Off Mr. Cohen

Counsel,

Filed,

189

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

CONCEALED WEAPON.

(Section 410, Penal Code.)

John H. Collins

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Henry S. Harman

Part of June 26 1893

Read: Justice

Elmira Ref. B.B.

Police Court, 1 District.

(1353)

City and County } ss
of New York,

of No.

occupation

that on the

York, in the County of New York

District.

Street, aged

years,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

1893 at the City of New

one John L. Collins, now here,
deliberately and feloniously
and with the intent to use, carry
on his person a certain dangerous
weapon, to wit a dirk or dagger
knife, in violation of Section
410 of the Penal Code of the
State of New York. In the fol-
lowing reasons. That at about
the hour of 10 o'clock P.M. on said
date, the defendant in company
with a number of others was en-
gaged in fight in Baxter Street.
That the defendant had the
aforesaid knife or dirk in
the sleeve of his coat. That the
said knife or dirk was open.
Therefore I swear that
the defendant is guilty with
guarantee to him.

Sworn to before me this 11th day of June 1893

John H. Ryan
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.
John Henry Collins

Taken before me this

day of

189

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 _____

_____ *James J. Ryan* _____
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 Kceper of
the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, *James J. Ryan* 189 _____ 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

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Police Court---

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District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amos H. Robinson
vs.
John A. Williams
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Wm. C. Williams
Prosecutor

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated, *June 11* 189

Wm. C. Williams
Magistrate.
Wm. C. Williams
Officer.
6 Precinct.

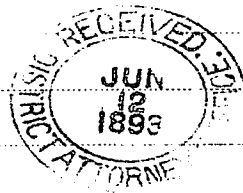
Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

500 to answer *gc*



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 W. Collins

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

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

The said

John W. Collins
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth*
day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did furtively
carry, concealed on his person, a certain ~~instrument and weapon of the kind commonly known as~~
dirk, dagger and dangerous knife with intent then and there
feloniously to use the same against some person or persons 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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

The said

John W. Collins
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, feloniously did possess a certain ~~instrument and~~
~~weapon of the kind commonly known as~~ *dirk, dagger and dangerous knife*
by him then and there concealed, and furtively carried on his person, with intent then and there
feloniously to use the same against some person or persons 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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FOLDER:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Comiskey, James

DATE:

06/13/93



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Comiskey, Charles

DATE:

06/13/93



4769

Witnesses:

John Murphy

Off Horan

Arthur [unclear]

In this case I don't think
People can commit in view
of the withdrawal of com-
plaint what it be at the
present. I say just they be de-
charged upon their own recog-
nition. I am 1900 July 14
not not at all

#916201

Counsel,
Filed 13 June 1893
Pleads, July 14

THE PEOPLE

vs. R.

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Wm. [unclear]

A TRUE BILL.

Henry O. Barron
July 14/93 Foreman.

John [unclear]
I pledged on their
own recognizance

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,

VERSUS

James Cumiskey }
 Charles Cumiskey }

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself.

Since making the complaint herein, I learn that both the defendants are honest and working facts and have a good reputation in the community where they reside, and have a honest living and the means of supporting their wives and two children and further it is my belief that the defendant never intended to do me any bodily harm - and what happened was, more in the nature of an accident than otherwise. The only damage done was that my clothing was cut in one place - I also learn and which I believe to be true that the defendants were never before charged with the commission of any crime.

Dated New York June 20th 1873.

John Murphy

309 - Ave. A.

formerly of 312 Ave. A.

Police Court—Hth Dist. District.

1931

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

of No. 312 Avenue C Street, aged 29 years,
 occupation Laborer being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 11th day of June 1893 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by
James Commiskey and Charles Commiskey
both now here; the said James cutting
deponent in the back with a knife
while the said Charles held and kicked
deponent; deponent further says
this 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 be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 11th day }
 of June 1893 } John Murphy
Commissioner Police Justice.

0145

Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss:
OF NEW YORK,

James Cohninsky 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.

James Cohninsky

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

20 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

New York

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

Answer.

325 E 23 St. 2 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Straw filler

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 -
James Cohninsky

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

Charles Commiskey

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.

Charles Commiskey

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

New York

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

Answer.

325 E 23 St. 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Carriage business.

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 -**Ch. Commiskey*

Taken before me this

day of

189

Wm. J. McCall

Police Justice.

0147

It appearing to me by the within allegations 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 each answer the same, and each 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, June 11 1883 Chas. J. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court---

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Murphy
312 Cec. St.
James Connors Key
Charles Connors Key

Offense
Assault

BAILED,

No. 1, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 2, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 3, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 4, by.....

Residence..... Street.

Dated, June 11- 189 3

Meads Magistrate.

Horan Officer.

18th Precinct.

Call Officer.

Robt Reilly

380. 1st St.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 1000 each 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

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

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

The said

late of the City and County of New York, on the _____ day of _____
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and _____
ninety- _____, 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

with a certain _____ which _____ the said

in _____ 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, _____, the said
_____ 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

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

The said

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

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault; and the said the said with a certain

which the said

in right hand, then and there had and held, in and upon the of the said 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 to the great damage of the said 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:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Connet, Allen L.

DATE:

06/09/93



4769

Witnesses:

[Signature]

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of

189

9 June 1893

THE PEOPLE

4 in equity

47 years past.

Allen L. Conner

[Section 498, 506, 524, 543]
Burglary in the Third Degree,
Howell

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

[Signature]
Foreman.

Part 3. June 15/93.

Pleads Atty. Gen. 1893

Den 1/28/93

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Police Court—2 District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:

James Hooty
of No. 33 & 35 South 5th Ave ~~Street~~, aged 51 years,
occupation Superintendent being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No 33 South 5th Avenue ~~Street~~,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Store and warehouse
and workshop
and which was occupied by Gillis & Geoghegan
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the
store door leading from the street with
a false key

on the 6th day of June 1893 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Eighty pounds of Brass of the
value of Ten dollars

the property of Charles J. Gillis & Stephen J. Geoghegan Copartners
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
Allen L. Cornet (narrow)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent says that said firm
has been missing property for some time and
he has been watching from an opposite
house in said street that about 10 1/2
A. M. on said date
defendant open the aforesaid
door and go in said premises and he
called the assistance of officer Peter J.
Blanch and found said property in
a bag near where defendant was standing
James Hooty

Sworn to before me this
7th day of June 1893
Judge of Peace

0154

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Allen L Connet

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

42 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

U. S.

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

Answer.

47 9' rich Ave 5 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Steamfitter helper

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
Allen L. Connet*Taken before me this
day of *June* 1883*7*

Police Justice.

0155

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, June 7 1893

Wm. H. Brady 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---

621
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James H. Coey
338 25 S. 5th Ave.
Allan L. Gonnert

Offense: Burglary

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated, June 7 1893

Grady _____ Magistrate.
Peter J. Blanch _____ Officer.

15 Precinct.
Witnesses: Peter Schrank

No. 127 S. 5th Avenue Street.

Officer Blanch
Thomas J. Moran Street
33 S. 5th Ave.

No. _____
\$ 10.00 to answer G.S.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against

Allen L. Cornet

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

Allen L. Cornet

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

The said *Allen L. Cornet*

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
sixth day of *June* 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 J. Gillis*

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 J. Gillis 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

Allen L. Connet

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

Allen L. Connet

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,

*eighty pounds of brass of
the value of twelve cents each
found*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Charles J. Gillis

in the

store

of the said

Charles J. Gillis

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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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cook, Andrew

DATE:

06/27/93



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Witnesses:

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off Prod (23)

251. *Grubbs*
27
Counsel,
Filed, *27 June* 1893
Pleds, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F

Andrew Cook

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RG

THEFT LARCENY,
(MISAPPROPRIATION)
(Sections 528 and 532 of the Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. S. Gorman
August 18/93 Foreman
Please guilty
Pen 6 months

Police Court—6th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

August G. Krauer
of No. 821 Amsterdam Ave Street, aged 23 years,
occupation Fruit Dealer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 21 day of June 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:

One living horse, wagon & harness
together of the value of one hundred
& fifty dollars - and a quantity
of straw berries of the value of
fifteen dollars - in all of the
value of one hundred & sixty-five
dollars

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Andrew Cook (now here) from the
fact that deponent instructed the
above described property in deponent's
care and charge, for the purpose of
selling same berries and returning the
money for the same, and said horse
wagon & harness to deponent - which he
the said deponent failed to do - That
the said deponent sold same berries -
and from said horse wagon & harness
at the 34th Precinct Police Station in
a damaged condition, deponent therefore
charges deponent with stealing same
property & prays that he may be dealt
with according to law

August G. Krauer

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day
of June 1893

W. S. Linn
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

1882

6th District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Andrum Cook 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. Andrum Cook

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 50 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 405 Mills ave; 3 years -

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Moulder

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

Answer. I am not guilty of the charge
Andrum Cook

Taken before me this 22nd day of March 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 Defendant

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

Dated June 22nd 1893 CE. Dinning Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court -- 6th District. 678

THE PEOPLE
OF THE COMPLAIN OF

August G. Krummer
821 Courtland
Ave.
1 Andrew Cork

2

3

4

Peter J. Lacey
Offence - Larceny
1
Peterson

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street

Dated June 22nd 1893

Simms - Magistrate.

Edward Flood Officer.

33rd Precinct.

Witnesses Andrew Cork

33rd Precinct Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$1000 to answer G. S.



Cork #15.- collected
Peter Lacey ending

GRAND JURY ROOM.

PEOPLE

vs.

Andrew Cook

In this case the
defendant was
employed by complainant
& entrusted with a
horse, wagon & load
of strawberries, to sell
the berries & return
the horse & wagon &
proceeds of sales to
complainant.

He sold the berries,
collected about \$15.-
& abandoned the horse
& wagon - converting
the money to his own
use.

Inasmuch as he did
not attempt in any
way to dispose of the
horse & wagon there
is no evidence of
an intent to steal them
or to deprive complainant
permanently of them, and,
the only offense for
which he can be
indicted is that of
embezzling the proceeds of
the sales just found.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Andrew Rosta

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Andrew Rosta
of the CRIME OF *Pelix* LARCENY, — committed
as follows:

The said *Andrew Rosta*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *21st*
day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, being then and there the *servant*
and agent of *one August F. Kramer*.

and as such *servant and agent* then and there having in his
possession, custody and control certain goods, chattels and personal property of the said

August F. Kramer.

the true owner thereof, to wit: *the sum of fifteen*
dollars in money: lawful money
of the United States of America,
and of the value of fifteen
dollars.

the said *Andrew Rosta*, — afterwards, to wit:
on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
did feloniously appropriate the said *sum of money* —

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said

August F. Kramer —

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same goods, chattels and personal
property of the said *August F. Kramer*.

did then and there and thereby feloniously steal, 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:

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DESCRIPTION:

Coombs, Carrie

DATE:

06/07/93



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4769

DESCRIPTION:

Shephard, Jennie

DATE:

06/07/93



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Witnesses:

[Signature]

Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,
Mandy

1893

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

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Carrie Coombe

and

Jennie Shoppers

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL,

[Signature]
June 14/93 Foreman.

[Signature]
I paid & pay charges
\$10 for charges
Discharged on their
own recognizance

In view of the fact
of the jury in this case
I don't believe the Dea-
ple can convict I
suggest that they be
discharged upon their
own recognizance
June 14/93
When I was
with the district atty

THE PEOPLE,

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART 1.

vs.

BEFORE JUDGE COWING.

CARRIE COOMBS,
and
JENNIE SHEPARD.

New York, Wednesday, June 14th, 1893.

Indictment for ROBBERY, in the FIRST DEGREE.

A Jury was empanelled and sworn.

ANNIE ENNIS, sworn, and examined by Mr. McIntyre, testified:

- | | |
|---|--|
| Q. Where do you reside, Annie? | A. No. 20 Morton street. |
| Q. In the city of New York? | A. Yes, sir; we moved now
to No. 39 Bedford street. |
| Q. Where did you live on the first day of June? | A. In 20 Morton street. |
| Q. Had you been to Jersey on the 1st of June? | A. Yes, sir; the 1st of June. |
| Q. What time did you go to Jersey City on that day? | A. About 12 o'clock. |
| Q. When did you start from Jersey, to go home? | A. I started about half-past 6 o'clock. |

By the Court:

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| Q. In the afternoon? | A. In the evening. |
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By Mr. McIntyre:

- | | |
|--|--------------------------------|
| Q. What ferry did you come over? | A. Desbrosses street. |
| Q. Did you leave at half-past 6 on the other side? | A. Yes, sir. |
| Q. You got on the New York side what time? | A. About 7 o'clock. |
| Q. Then through what street did you go? | A. I came through West street. |

- Q. To what street? I was just going to turn up to Charlton.
- Q. Did you go into Charlton street? A. No, sir.
- Q. What street were you on, when you were about to turn up to Charlton? A. On West street.
- Q. Did you see anybody when you were about turning into Charlton? A. I saw them two colored girls.
- Q. The prisoners, these two colored girls? A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Where were they? A. They were running after me.
- Q. What did you have with you?
A. A basket, and \$3.25.
- Q. On your person? A. Yes, sir.
- Q. What was in the basket? A. A pair of pants, and some underclothing.
- Q. Belonging to whom? A. Belonging to my mother.
- Q. Were you taking it home? A. Yes, sir.
- Q. You got it in Jersey; did you? A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Were those girls behind you, or before you?
A. They were behind me.
- Q. Running after you? A. Yes, sir.
- Q. When you saw them running after you, what did you do?
A. I didn't think they were running after me.
- Q. Did you see them running after you? A. Yes, sir.
- Q. What did you do? A. I didn't do anything; they got hold of my throat.
- Q. Which one of the two? A. The two of them did.
- Q. The two caught you by the throat?
A. Yes, sir; and pushed my head into a glass window.
- Q. Where was the glass window; in a store? A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Whose store was it; do you know? A. No, sir.
- Q. What sort of a store was it? A. A barber shop.

Q. They thrust your head into the window; did it break the window?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. When they had their hands on your throat, pushing your head through the window, did they attempt to do anything?

A. They attempted to steal the money and the basket.

Q. Where did they put their hands?

A. They took hold of my hand; I had the money in my hand.

Q. Did they try to open your hand?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Which one of the two, or both?

A. Both of them.

Q. Tried to force your hand open, still keeping their hands on your throat?

A. Yes, sir; one of them had hold of my throat.

Q. Did they say anything while they were doing this?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did you say a word to them?

A. No, sir; they ran away.

Q. Did they open the basket?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did they take the basket?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did they get it off your arm?

A. No; they were pulling it from me.

Q. Were they pulling the basket from your arm?

A. Yes, sir.

By the Court:

Q. What made them run away?

A. There was some man running; they seen a man, I guess.

By Mr. McIntyre:

Q. Did you scream?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Loud, and cry for help?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And they didn't say anything at all?

A. No, sir.

Q. When they came up and caught you by the throat, they didn't

say a word?

A. No, sir.

Q. They didn't say a word when they attempted to open your hand?

A. No, sir.

Q. Nor when they attempted to open the basket?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did you say anything?

A. No, sir; I couldn't speak.

Q. Because their hands were upon your throat?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You are sure these are the two girls?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ever see them before?

A. No, sir.

Q. Were you there when they were arrested?

A. Yes, sir; the policeman arrested them.

Q. Where did he arrest them?

A. He ran after them and caught them.

Q. Were they running away?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you come up to them when the policeman had them?

A. No, sir, I went home.

Q. Didn't you go there when the policeman got hold of them, when he got them?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Didn't you say something to the officer, in their presence; didn't you tell the officer anything there?

A. No, sir.

Q. You kept your lips sealed, you didn't say a word -- why didn't you talk to the officer?

A. I told the officer all about it; I told him two colored girls ran after me and got hold of my throat and pushed me into the glass window.

Q. They were there when you said that?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did they say?

A. They said they didn't do it.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. Berlinger:

Q. What time did you leave Jersey that day?

A. About half-past 6.

Q. And what time were you on your way back from Jersey?

A. I left at half-past 6.

Q. What time did you get to Jersey, that day, from New York?

A. About 12 o'clock.

Q. You went over to get your clothes you had in the basket, you tell us?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And the money, too?

A. Yes, sir; I had the money with me when I was going.

Q. You had the money with you when you went over?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did you take the money to Jersey for?

A. For my sister.

Q. Did you take it to your sister's, or from your sister's, or what?

A. To my sister's.

Q. What did you bring it back for?

A. I brought it back because she was not home.

Q. Where did you get the clothes?

A. I had the clothes bringing with me in the basket, too; she was moving that day; I brought the basket home with me again.

Q. Had you seen these little girls before you saw them in Jersey that day?

A. I never saw them; I saw them when I was paying my ferry money, coming across.

Q. Didn't you see them on the boat?

A. Only when I was paying my ferry.

Q. Didn't you go into the cabin, where they were, coming across?

A. Yes, sir, I didn't see them in the cabin.

Q. Did you see them on the front of the boat, coming over, when they were looking down into the water?

A. No, sir.

Q. You came out to them and called them "coon"?

A. No, sir.

Q. That didn't happen, either?

A. No, sir; I didn't call them any names at all, for I didn't see them.

Q. You didn't see them at all; did you?

A. No, sir; only when I was paying my ferry money.

Q. How far had you got from the ferry before you was struck, or before the girls came up to you?

A. About Charlton street.

Q. About how many blocks is that, do you know? What ferry did you come over?

A. Desbrosses street.

Q. Do you know how many blocks Desbrosses street is from Charlton street, where these girls came up to you?

A. No, sir.

Q. Which one of these girls took hold of you first, do you know?

A. The girl with the red hat on.

The Court: What is her name?

Mr. Berlinger: Carrie Coombs.

Q. What did she say at the time she took hold of you?

A. She didn't say anything at all.

Q. Nothing at all?

A. No, sir.

Q. She just took hold of you?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did they put your head through this pane of glass, through the window?

A. Yes, sir; it was a long pane

of glass.

Q. Does it look anything like that picture? (Showing picture to the witness) and the policeman running around the corner there; does that look like it?

A. At this side it does.

By the Court:

Q. They took your head and jammed it right through the window pane; did they? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did it cut you any?

A. No, sir; my arm was all black and blue.

By Mr. Berlinger:

Q. Then that picture is not correct, about your head going through the window?

(No answer)

Q. You say they put your head through the window; is that right? A. Yes, sir.

THOMAS J. CRYSTAL, sworn, and examined by Mr. McIntyre, testified:

Q. Officer, what precinct are you connected with?

A. The Eighth.

Q. Did you arrest these defendants at the bar?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. When did you arrest them?

A. On the night of the alleged robbery.

Q. Where did you arrest them?

A. I got one of the girls, that second girl, I got her up at her home.

By the Court:

7 Q. The one with the red hat on? A. No, sir; the

other one with the light dress on, Shepard; I arrested her at her home.

By Mr. McIntyre:

Q. Where? A. I haven't my book with me -- yes, "Shepard, 16 1/2 Downing street."

Q. The other girl, where did you arrest her?

A. I didn't arrest her; she was brought to me by an officer stationed at the Desbrosses street ferry; after the assault of this other girl, they ran away through Charlton street; I saw them running, but I didn't know what had happened at the time.

By the Court:

Q. These two? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You are positive of the identity?

A. Oh, yes, sir; I knew them; after they were arrested they had the same dresses on. I then went down to the Desbrosses street ferry, and informed the officer there of anybody answering that description going back to Jersey, , to arrest them and notify me. I was only about three blocks from the ferry; about 9 or 9:30 he came back with the one with the red hat; he came up West street with her, to me, Carrie Coombs; and then she told me where the other girl lived. So, one the next morning, about half-past 6, I went to Shepard's house, and arrested her.

By Mr. McIntyre:

Q. What did they say to you, when you arrested them?

A. They both denied all knowledge; the first one, she denied all knowledge of it, and then in the morning, going to court, one officer brought the Shepard girl and I brought Carrie Coombs there. I told the Coombs girl that Shepard's

mother had said that she was all the cause of the trouble to her daughter; she said, "No, it was the girl Shepard that done it." She knew what she was arrested for; the complainant identified them in the station house.

Q. Then what did they say at the identification in the station house, what did the girl charge her with having done?

A. She said that she had attempted to steal her money and her basket; she told me that, when I met her on West street.

By the Court:

Q. You are positive that these two prisoners are the ones you saw running away?

A. Yes, sir.

Mr. Berlinger: There is no question of the identity, your Honor.

By Mr. McIntyre:

Q. Was anything else said, Officer, or done, on that occasion, by either of these defendants?

A. No, sir.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

Q. What did the complainant accuse her of, let us get that question, Officer CChrystal; what did the complainant accuse these girls of doing?

A. She said that they tried to take her basket and money from her; she said she had drove her head through the window; she was standing up there afterwards; when I went up, she was going away from there.

By the Court:

Q. Was the window broken?

A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. Berlinger:

Q. Wasn't it an attempt to steal the money, to try to take the money away; wasn't that after that?

A. I saw one or two men talking to her; she was crying,

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I walked up to her.

Q. Is that a correct cut of you running? (Showing picture)

A. Oh, no; I didn't see any of this at all.

Q. Didn't she claim that she was assaulted first, and then speak about the money that she lost after?

A. She had her hand to her mouth; I asked her what was the matter and she said that those girls had choked her and put her head through the window and tried to steal her basket and her money.

By the Court:

Q. The window was broken?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How large a window was it?

A. It was about half the size of one of those; there was about eight panes, in a small barber shop; very thin glass.

Q. You mean the pane that was broken was about half the size of that (pointing to the window)?

A. They were about the same size as those.

By Mr. McIntyre:

Q. Charlton street and West, in the city of New York -- what ward is that in?

A. The Eighth ward.

Mr. McIntyre: The People rest.

THE CASE FOR THE DEFENCE.

JENNIE SHEPARD, sworn, and examined by Mr. Berlinger, testified:

Q. Tell us when you first saw that girl that day, and where?

A. When I was coming across the ferry, I went outside-- I was coming to New York, and she (the complainant) came out; I came in again and I sat down in the ferry-boat; she

sat one seat away from me; she looked at me, I didn't say a word; I dropped a piece of candy, and she picked it up, with a laugh; I said, "Oh, you dirty thing; you are picking up that candy, after I dropped it." We came out, and that girl came behind us. I said, "Carrie, come on through Desbrosses street." She said, "No, I want to go through West street and Morton street." I says, "All right." Annie Ennis was behind; we waited, and while we were going across the street her boat came in; this girl, Annie Ennis, walked ahead of us; she turned around, and she says, "What are you following me for?" We said, "We ain't following you." She said, "Yes, you are; if you don't go away from me, you coon, I will hit you with the basket."

Q. Go on, what happened next? A. So then the car came past and the car-driver hallooed; so she struck Carrie three or four times with the basket; I didn't lay my hands on her.

Q. Have you ever been arrested for highway robbery?

A. No, sir.

Q. You are not a highway robber?

A. No, sir.

Q. Tell me the truth, if you are?

A. No, sir.

Q. You didn't try to steal this girl's money; did you?

A. No, sir.

Q. What you tell us here, that is just the way it happened?

A. Yes, sir.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

Q. What were you doing over in Jersey City?

A. I went over to see about a lady mana wanted to see, and she went away.

Q. Whose house did you go to?

A. Corner of 4th and

Monmouth streets; Stella Lee.

Q. How did you come to meet the Coombs girl?

A. She was going over to Jersey City; I knew her here in New York; she lives in Jersey City; she came over to her aunt's, No. 215 Sullivan street, New York.

Q. What time did you leave Jersey City?

A. It was about half-past 6; I got over here about 7.

Q. What time did you meet Carrie over in Jersey City?

A. I met her just as soon as I got over there; she was coming back in the train, and showed me where Monmouth street was.

Q. What time did you go to Jersey City that day?

A. I don't know what time it was.

Q. Was it early in the afternoon?

A. Yes, sir; she came over, and she took me to her mother's; her mother did not live there, and she showed me where her mother used to live.

Q. Who did she live with?

A. She lived with her aunt.

Q. Was she looking for her mother?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. She asked you to find her mother, to show you where her mother lived?

A. I says, "Tell me where Monmouth street is?" She said, "All right, Jennie, I will take you to Monmouth street, 462." She took me there; the lady didn't live there; I asked her where she lived, and she showed me. We came back again, and Annie Ennis was on the boat; the Coombs girl said she lived corner of 4th and Monmouth streets.

Q. Did you hear her say, in the Police Court, she lived in Second street?

A. She said her mother lived in Second street, but she didn't know the number.

Q. Did she live with her aunt?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you know Annie Ennis?

A. No, sir; I never seen her before; I was eating candy in the cabin of the ferry-boat, and she picked up what I dropped; she sat one seat away from me; she looked at me, and I walked outside.

Q. Did you see any money in her hands?

A. No, sir; I saw a basket on her arm; I didn't know what was in it.

Q. Did she say anything to you, in West street?

A. She said, "You little girls, don't you be following me, or I will hit you with this basket;" we were not running after her; we were walking slow, and she was walking slow. She said, "You must not follow me;" she had hit her with the basket, she hit her three or four times with the basket, right on the side of the face.

Q. How was it you got your hands around her throat?

A. I didn't touch her; she was the one who touched her; she slapped her on the face, and walked away.

Q. Did she throw her through the window?

A. I don't know; I heard the window pane break, but I didn't see what she was doing to her; I said, "Carrie, come on, and leave that girl alone; if you don't, you will get yourself in trouble." Then I walked away, and she walked away.

Q. You didn't run away?

A. No, sir.

Q. The police officer says he saw you running?

A. I wasn't running at all.

Q. The officer is wrong?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How about Carrie; was she running?

A. No, sir; Carrie

was walking, too. We kept on up through Charlton street until we got to Hudson; we went across Hudson to Varick, and we went down Downing street, where I live, and I wanted to go home; I thought Charlton street was the nearest way to my home. I went straight through Charlton, and then I went to Hudson, and I turned and I went right to Downing street.

Q. Where did she go that night?

A. I don't know, sir.

Q. The night of the trouble, when you were arrested?

A. I was arrested on Friday, the 2nd.

Q. This trouble took place on June 1st?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did she go with you to your home that night?

A. She came to the door with me that night; she said, "Good-night;" I don't know where she went.

Q. When was she arrested?

A. She was arrested the same night she saw the girl.

Q. You don't know where she went to?

A. No, sir.

Q. And then, the next day, you were arrested?

A. Yes, sir.

By a juror:

Q. Were you in the Sixth avenue elevated railway train last Sunday evening?

A. No, sir.

BY MR. BERLINGER:

Q. You have been locked up in the Society's headquarters, 23rd street and Third avenue, since this window breaking?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. They haven't taken you on an excursion on the elevated train, up as far as Morris Park?

A. No, sir; I went on the street car; the gentleman brought me on a street car.

Q. Were you there last Sunday night?

A. I was in Gerry's society.

CARRIE COOMBS, sworn, and examined by Mr. Berlinger, testified:

Q. Carrie, did you try to steal any money from Annie?

A. No, sir.

Q. Are you a highway robber?

A. No, sir.

Q. Were you ever arrested for highway robbery, or anything?

A. No, sir.

Q. You told this girl, in Jersey City, some thing about your mama living -- at what street was it?

A. I told Jennie Shepard my mother used to live in 4th street and Monmouth street; she went from there to Second street. I says, "I don't know my mama's number." I wanted to take her to my mother's house, on Second street.

Q. You tell us about Miss Ennis; where did you meet her that day

A. I met her right on the Desbrosses street ferry-boat; we came outside on the deck and were standing outside on the deck; so Jennie says it is too cold out there, and she will go and sit down on the inside; Jennie was sitting here, and Annie came over and sat one seat away from Jennie Shepard; Jennie dropped a piece of candy, and Annie picked it up and came out on the deck; we were laughing and talking, and that Annie Ennis got off the deck, too. I says, "Look, Jennie," and so Jennie stopped and looked; so Annie Ennis walked in the front; she says, "Stop, you coon; don't you follow me." Me and Jennie said, "We ain't following you." She said, "If you don't, I will hit you in the head with the basket." I walked ahead and didn't say nothing, and, afterwards, she hit me once, and I walked ahead and left; she hit me, too; I thought may be she is picking a fight; I said, "Stop hitting me; I haven't done nothing." She hit me right on the

face with the basket; I grabbed her and slapped her, and walked away; the window went up like that (illustrating).

Q. She said her head went through the window; what part of her body was it?

A. The window was like this (illustrating), and she was standing like that (illustrating), and part of her went through the window.

Q? Did you try to steal any money from her?

A. No, sir; I didn't know she had any money, I wasn't thinking of any money.

Q. Nor her basket?

A. No, she threw her basket on the side-walk, beside her.

Q. The window was broken?

A. Yes, sir.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. McIntyre:

Q. Where do you live?

A. Second street.

Q. What were you coming over to New York for?

A. My aunt lives in Sullivan street; I was going to stop with my aunt. Jenny said, "I will go with you to the ferry." She didn't know much about the ferry; I said, "I guess I have a ticket, and I will go over."

Q. Did you stay out all night?

A. No, sir.

Q. Are you a bad girl?

A. No, sir.

Q. You have never been arrested for anything, in all your life?

A. No, sir.

Q. Were you eating candy coming over that day?

A. Yes, sir; Jennie Shepard had some, and she gave me a piece.

Q. Didn't you pick up any on the floor?

A. She dropped it, and the other girl picked it up.

Q. This girl called you a "coon"? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did you want to throw her through the window for?

A. She hit me; she got close up to the window, and I shoved her, her back was to it.

Q. Where did you catch her, by the throat?

A. I couldn't tell you where; we didn't run, we both walked, neither one of us didn't run at all; I went up with her to Downing street.

Q. Where did you go that night? A. I went home.

Q. You went home to Jersey City? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where were you arrested? A. On this side.

Q. What were you doing in New York the next day?

A. I didn't go over that night.

Q. You were arrested that night? A. Yes, sir.

Q. They were watching for you?

A. Yes, sir, I was arrested on the boat; I was sitting next to the policeman, he came in and called me out, I didn't know what he wanted, and I went out to him.

PRISCILLA RUSSELL, sworn, and examined by Mr. Berlinger, testified:

Q. Is this your daughter (pointing to the Shepard girl)?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. By a former husband, is that right, her name is Shepard?

A. Yes, sir; Shepard.

Q. Is she a good girl? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Has she ever been arrested? A. Never before.

Q. Lives home with you?

A. Oh, certainly, sir.

Q. You never heard of her being arrested? A. No, sir,

never was arrested since she has been home.

Q. Do you know the aunt of this other girl?

A. Yes, sir; she lives in Sullivan street.

Q. You know her?

A. Yes, sir; slightly.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. Mylntyre:

Q. What did you want to tell the officer that your daughter knew nothing of this trouble for, and that you and your husband were with her on that night until half-past 10?

A. No, sir; I didn't tell the officer that; I told the officer -- he said it was done at half-past 7; I told him at half-past 7 or a quarter to 8 I was sitting down on the wharf, waiting for the boat to come in, and she went down with me.

Q. That is not true?

A. I don't know.

Q. What did you want to say that she went down there with you for?

A. She did go down with me; I thought it was that time, as near as I could get at it.

Q. Who are you referring to, Jennie or Carrie?

A. Jennie.

Q. What did she go down with you for?

A. She went down as company, a quarter to 8, to see my husband, to meet him when the boat comes in.

By Mr. Berlinger:

Q. Did she come home from Jersey City or where she had been--- you took the daughter down to meet your husband; that is true?

A. Yes, sir; that is true, in the sight of God.

ANNIE ENNIS, recalled by Mr. McIntyre, testified:

Q. What did you want to call these girls names for?

A. I didn't call them any names at all, I didn't have a chance, I didn't see them.

Q. Did you see them on the boat?

A. Yes, sir, only just when I was paying my ferry money; I didn't see them until they got hold of me.

Q. They caught you by the throat?

A. Yes, sir; they were running after me, but I was walking slow.

Q. Did you strike the girl in the face four or five times?

A. No, sir, I didn't see them at all.

Q. You didn't call these girls a coon?

A. No, sir; I didn't call them any names at all.

Q. You never saw them before?

A. No, sir.

By Mr. Berlinger:

Q. Didn't you tell me, when you were on the stand a few moments ago, that you didn't see them before you went to Charlton street?

A. No, sir; I said I seen them running after me.

By the Court:

Q. One of these girls says you picked up candy and ate it?

A. I didn't see them inside on the boat at all.

The Jury DISAGREED.

Testimony in the
 case of
 Carrie Coombs
 Jennie Shepard

filed

June

1913

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Count of
General Sessions
The People
v.
Carrie Coombes

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

100 EAST 28D STREET,

New York June 5 1893

CASE NO. 72945-
DATE OF ARREST June 3
CHARGE

OFFICER Gormley

AGE OF CHILD
RELIGION
FATHER

Attempted Robbery

14 years

Protestants

George

MOTHER

RESIDENCE

66 - Linden 2nd St. Jersey City

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

The girl
has not been arrested before
she lives with her adopted parents
in a fair home. The parents
are respectable people and
the girl is well spoken of.

All which is respectfully submitted

Edwards Leuker
Supt

To the District

Court of

General Sessions

The People
vs.

Carrie Corbitt

Attorney at Law
PENAL CODE

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

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

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Court
General Session
The people
Junior Shepherd

100 EAST 23^D STREET,

New York, June 3, 1893

AGE OF CHILD 14 years
RELIGION Protestant
FATHER Nathan Dean
MOTHER Precilla
RESIDENCE 16 1/2 Downing St

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT the girl has not been arrested before. She lives with her parents in a good home. They are respectable people, and the girl is well spoken of.

All which is respectfully submitted,

To Dist. Atty.

respectively submitted,
E. Helms Barker
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Court of

General Sessions

The People

vs.

Jimmie Stephens

Attacks on England

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

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

0194

Police Court 2 District.CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Annie Ennis

of No. 20 Morton Street, Aged 15 YearsOccupation Artificial Flower Maker being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the1st day of June 1893, at the 8th Ward of the City of New York,
an attempt was made to steal
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 basket of clothing and other articles
of the value of three dollars and twenty-
five cents.

\$3.25

of the value of _____ DOLLARS,
the property of Deponent's sister Mrs. Margaret Harding, and
in deponent's charge, charge charge
and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was
feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid byCarrie Coombs and Jennie Sheppard,
both now here. Deponent was carrying
the said property through Morton Street,
when deponent lived, about the hour
of 7.30 O'clock, p.m., when the de-
fendant accosted deponent, and took
hold of deponent and pulled the
said basket, attempting to take it
away; and they throttled deponent
and they only desisted from such
attempt when deponent called for
assistance and Pohemen Cristof of the
8th Precinct came to deponent's assistance.

Annie Ennis

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____ 1893

J. M. W. C. 1893
Police Justice.

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Came Coonh

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

14 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N. S.

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

Answer.

Jerry City Second St. Port Kew N. Y.

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. Oh

hit me twice before I hit her.

and I did not try to take

her basket.

*Le
Came Coonh
Heard*

Taken before me this

July 1st 1893

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Jennie Shepherd*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *14 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *167 Downing*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Paper flower*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. I*
did not touch her at all.

Jennie Shepherd

Taken before me this

day of *June*

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

Garne Cornish and James Stephen
(1000) *Guilty* thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *One* Hundred Dollars. and it appearing that he is under the age of sixteen years, that he be committed to the custody of the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, until he give such bail.

Dated, *June 2* 189*3*

Thos. L. Kelly
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.

0198

Police Court--- 2 District. 609

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Annie Ennis
20 Morton St.
Carrie Coombs
Jennie Shepherd

at
Robbery
Offense

Date, *June 2* 189 *3*
Koch Magistrate.
Crystal Officer.
S Precinct.

Witnesses *Call officer*
No. *Edward V. Gormley* Street.
297-4 Ave
No. *1000* to answer *S.S.*

No. *1000* to answer *S.S.*

Com. to S. P. C. O.



BAILED.

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
Carrie Coombs
and
Jennie Shepherd

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Carrie Coombs and Jennie Shepherd
of the crime of attempting to commit
the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said Carrie Coombs and Jennie Shepherd, both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the first
day of June 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, in and upon one Annie Ennis
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault; and
one basket of the value of one dollar,
and divers articles of clothing and
wearing apparel, of a number and
description to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of
three dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Annie Ennis
from the person of the said Annie Ennis against the will
and by violence to the person of the said Annie Ennis
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away;
the said Carrie Coombs and Jennie Shepherd
and each of them being then and
there aided by an accomplice actually
present, to wit: each by the other.

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.

Wm. Lawrence Nicoll
District Attorney.

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Cotinello, Marco

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Cotinello, John

DATE:

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Bail fixed at \$2000
for each

Witnesses:

John Sage
Rosa Ferrera

Both Bailed June 12/93

by John Belcher
297 E. 10th St.

Counsel

Filed

day of June 1893

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Marco Cotinello

and

John Cotinello

DE LANCEY NICOLI,

District Attorney.

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

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. J. Ferrera
Foreman.

Part 2 July 10/93.

Both tried and acquitted

0202

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Marco Rotinella and
John Rotinella

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

The said *Marco and John, both* —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixteenth*
day of *May* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*three*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon
the body of one *Rocco Summa*, in the peace of the said People
then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and *threw* the said *Rocco*, —
with a certain *knife* —

which the said *Marco and John* —
in *their* right hands 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 *thru* the said *Rocco*, —
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

Marco Rotinella and John Rotinella
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Marco and John, both* —

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
Rocco Summa — in the peace of the said
People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault,
and *threw* the said *Rocco*, —

with a certain *knife* —

which the said *Marco and John* —
in *their* right hands 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.

Edward J. McCall,
Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Coughlin, Thomas

DATE:

06/27/93



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Witnesses,

Albert Warner

Counsel,

Filed

27th day of June 189

Pleads,

Allegedly July

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Coughlin

Grand Larceny, (From the Person), Degree.
(Sections 228, 229, 230, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Henry S. Warner

Foreman.

*on which affidavit of indictment
presenting deft. Coughlin
his own recog. R.B.M.*

Sub 2-Aug 23/92

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,of No. 99 Nassau Street, aged 34 years.occupation Lawyer being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 23^d day of June 1893 at the City of New

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

person of deponent, in night time, the following property, viz:

One Diamond Stud
of the value of
One hundred 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 Thomas Connelley (Crawley)

for the reasons following to wit: about
 the hour of 12.45 o'clock on the
 morning of said day deponent
 had said Stud in his shirt front
 and was standing on the elevated
 station at South Ferry when defendant
 who was standing in front of
 deponent placed his hand on said
 Stud and with the other hand caught
 hold of said Stud and attempted to take
 the same when deponent caught
 defendant and caused him to be
 arrested and charged him attempting
 to take said Stud and carry away said property

A. J. Warner

Sworn to before me this

23^d day ofJune 1893
 Police Justice

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not Guilty

Thomas Laughlin

Taken before me this

21st

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Police Justice.

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

Defendant
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *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, *June 23* 189 *3* *William Martin* 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

Robert A. Ward
99 Nassau
James Cunningham

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to d.
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to d.
to d.

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

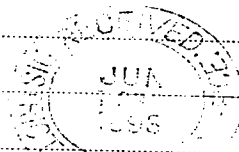
Dated, *June 23^d* 189
Grant Magistrate.
J. J. Jones Officer.
104 Precinct.

Witnesses
No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.
to answer

Committee



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PART II.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.
 If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
 Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To Albert S. Warnerof No. 99 Nassau Street,

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, on the 23rd day of **AUGUST** 1893 at the hour of 11 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Thomas Connelley

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of
 in the year of our Lord, 1893

AUGUSTDE LANCEY NICOLL, *District Attorney.*

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Connelin

City and County of New York, ss:

Cornelius Leary

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *27 North Moore*

Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney

of the City and County of New York. On the *22nd* day of *Aug.* 189*3*

I called at *99 Nassau Str.*

the alleged *residence* of *office* *Albert S. Warner*

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

the typewriter who had charge of the office, that the said Albert S. Warner, was out of the city, and could not tell when he would return, or where he was at the present time. Other inquiries were made and similar answers given.

Sworn to before me, this *23* day of *Aug* 189*3*

Cornelius Leary
Subpoena Server.

Henry Warner
Attorney

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the complaint of

Albert S. Warner

vs.

Thomas Connelley

Offense

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Cornelius Leary

Subpoena Server.

FAILURE TO FIND WITNESS.

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Court of General Sessions.

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 The People :
 vs :
 Thomas Coughlin :
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Sir:-

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I will move in Part Two of
 the Court of General Sessions for the discharge of the
 above named defendant, under Section 836 of the Code of
 Criminal Procedure on Wednesday August 23rd. 1893.
 Dated New York August 21st. 1893.

Yours respectfully

James W. McLaughlin

Counsel for Defendant

280 Broadway

New York City

New York.

To

DeLancey Nicoll Esq.

District Attorney New York County.

Court of Guano

The People

vs

Thomas Laughlin

copy

Notice of Motion

James M. Laughlin
Def'to's atty

280 Broadway
nyc City

To
Debraury Wyckoff
District atty

32 Chambers St
nyc City

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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

Thomas Coughlin

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

Thomas Coughlin
attempting to commit the crime of
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said

Thomas Coughlin

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty third day of June, 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,

*one stud of the
value of one hundred dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Albert S. Warner*
on the person of the said *Albert S. Warner*
then and there being found from the person of the said *Albert S. Warner*
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 Ricoll
District Attorney*

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DESCRIPTION:

Crosby, Mary

DATE:

06/01/93



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Lynch, Eliza

DATE:

06/01/93



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Kate Kelly

Filed
day of

~~THE PEOPLE~~

22
5 Carleton's off.

Mary Crockett
and P. 50/9 Albany
Oliver Lynch!

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
1117 1/2 Broadway,
N.Y.C.

No 2. 60 days CP.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Moore

Part 2 - June 4, 1893.

Both tried

Mr. 1 Enrolled assy 2nd Dec
Mr. 2 " " 3rd Dec

Both recommended to Enberg

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

DE LANCEY, NICOLL.

Dispositive Attorney.

J. P. A. Auerbach,

No 2. 60 days CP.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. J. Moore

Part 2 - June 4, 1893.

Both tried

Mr. 1 Enrolled assy 2nd Dec
Mr. 2 " " 3rd Dec

Both recommended to Enberg

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Dated Albany N.Y. 5

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New York

We will have Robert Crosby at your office

Wednesday morning at ten o'clock wouldn't it be

well to have his father there David Crosby

James C. Stout

Agent & Warden

filed June 1993

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

THE PEOPLE	"	BEFORE
	"	
VS.	"	HON. FREDERICK SMYTH,
	"	
MARY CROSBY and ELIZA LYNCH	"	AND A JURY.
	"	

TRIED, NEW YORK, JUNE 6TH, 1893.

INDICTED FOR ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE.
INDICTMENT FILED JUNE 1ST, 1893.

APPEARANCES:

ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY HARRY W. MACDONA,	
	For THE PEOPLE.
C.J. O'CALLAGHAN, ESQ.,	
	For THE DEFENSE.

KATE KELLY testified that she lives at 26 Albany Street, in this City, and lived there on the 25th of May last. She knew the defendants. About 11 o'clock in the evening of May 25th, she was standing on the sidewalk about No. 21 Albany Street, talking with two young women, one named Mrs. Thysman, when the defendant, Eliza Lynch, began to quarrel with her, the complainant. The defendant, Lynch, abused the complainant, saying that she was a common drunkard, and did not know how to take care of her children and home. She, the complainant, said that the co-defendant, Lynch, was, "a bum and she up with her hand and hit me a smash in the face, and I struck her and she fell down, and then got up and went around the corner, and I did not know where she went. And about 10 minutes after, her and her daughter came around and the two of them got at me." Her daughter's name is Mary Crosby, the co-defendant. The witness, continuing, testified, "and the two of them rush-

ed at me, and got at me together, and I had my baby in my arms, and I gave it to a young woman, and I tried to protect myself with my hands, and she caught me by the sleeve, and it is all tore, and as the daughter had hold of me the mother rushed over and struck me three times with a bottle, right over my eye, and then the daughter made a crack at me with a knife, and she called me a bad name. It was a table knife, such as you use for cutting bread or eating. Mary Crosby, the co-defendant, struck me under the left eye, and cut me. And I had to go into 21 hallway, and I fell in a weakness, and they said I was drunk, and I sent for my husband, and he had to take me home in an unconscious condition. I did not know anything after I was struck." She had Dr. Merrill dress her wounds, and then made a complaint at the Tombs Police Court. In

C r o s s E x a m i n a t i o n

The witness testified that the co-defendant,

Lynch, lived in 19 Albany Street. She denied that Mrs. Lynch remonstrated with her for giving drink to her, Mrs. Lynch's daughter. She denied that she had Mrs. Lynch down in the hallway. She was never arrested or convicted. She struck Mrs. Lynch when Mrs. Lynch struck her, the complainant. She never before spoke to the defendants

HENRY HAHN testified that he was a special officer, attached to the 2nd precinct. On May 26th, he had a conversation with the defendants in the Tombs Police Court. Mary Crosby said that she did not strike the complainant with a knife but with her hand, and Mrs. Lynch said that she did not strike her at all. She said that the fight occurred because her sister went into Mrs. Kelly's house. The complainant had two cuts on her forehead and one cut on her left cheek. He said that Mrs. Kelly said that Mrs. Lynch struck her with a bottle and Mrs. Crosby with a white handle

table knife. Both the defendants admitted being at the fight. The witness saw Mrs. THysman in the Police Court.

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(None)

JOSEPHINE THYSMAN testified that she lived at 21 Albany Street. She lived there 7 years in October. She was turning off the gas in the house on the night of May 25th, and closing the door, and Mrs. Kelly was sitting at the door, and the witness said, "'Mrs. Kelly is not living in our building". And Mrs. Kelly rushed into the hall, and had her face cut and her head bleeding. And she dropped in our hall, she fainted in our hall, and then the gentleman went and called her husband, her husband came home, and all the hall was covered with blood, and when the gentleman came and fetched the husband, her husband came and fetched my

husband. She got the cuts from Mrs. Crosby and the other lady. I saw Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Crosby there when they got entangled in the fight, when they struck her with the knife and the bottle. Mrs. Crosby had the knife. She saw the fight and the complainant's face cut, and the blood around the hall, , "And she got three handkerchiefs from me, when she got it covered with blood." She saw her strike the complainant in the face with the knife. In

C r o s s E x a m i n a t i o n

the witness testified that she saw a knife in Mrs. Crosby's hand, and saw her strike Mrs. Kelly. She did not see what she did with the knife, after the cutting, because it was so dark. She, the witness, had trouble with Mrs. Lynch's daughter, who was at one o'clock in the hallway, with a young man from the liquor store, and she, the witness, came down and put her out of the hall, and she got a summons out

against the witness, compelling her to go to court, but she did not appear there against the witness, and nothing was done to her, the witness. She did not threaten that she would get satisfaction out of the defendants.

THE DEFENSE

ELIZA LYNCH testified that she lived at 19 Albany Street. She lived there nearly a year, and, prior to that, she lived at 26 Albany Street---Mrs. Kelly's place. She is 50 years of age, and never before was in trouble. She denied that she struck the complainant. She, the defendant, went to work every day, for a living where she worked 14 years, leaving "Annie" aged 16, at home, and she caught her, one day, coming out of a saloon with a pint of beer and a bottle of sarsaparilla, for Mrs. Kelly, and she told her never to do it

again, and never to go to her place again. Then she, the defendant, went to Mrs. Kelly's house and said, "Please, Mrs. Kelly, don't send Annie for any more beer. I don't like it." And she came over to my house, on Tuesday evening, and got drunk in my building, with one of the tenants, and she said, 'I am sorry I did not throw that old woman downstairs and break her neck for coming up the stairs. What do I care for her Annie. I said, 'I don't want her to carry beer and Whiskey, because I never drink any myself, and I am 50 years old.' and she caught a-hold of my arm, and threw me down, and in between the two doors and my lips is all bandaged up from her kicking. I am all kicked and injured for life and Dr. Coffey bandaged me and gave me a plaster". In

C r o s s E x a m i n a t i o n

the witness testified that she was not angry with Mrs. Kelly on the night that she met her. She

did not speak to her for years, but once, and that was when she told her that she did not want her to send Annie for beer. On the night of May 25th, at about half-past 10 o'clock, the defendant came downstairs to look for Annie to send her for a cake of yeast. Mrs. Kelly and another woman were sitting on a keg of beer. The defendant said to the woman, "Did you see Annie?" and Mrs. Kelly said, "What the hell do we care for you? What do we care for you or Annie. I will gouge your eye out, if you look over this way". Then the defendant continued, "She came over to stick her finger in my eye, and I said, 'No; you wont.' I shall come over, and I put my hand over to push her away, and she had a hold of me and threw me. on the broad of my back into the liquor store, and kicked me until I was unconscious, until a man by the name of Charlie Woods said, 'What do you want to kill that woman for?'" Her, the witness's daughter was at that time in her room at 15 Carlisle Street, "and word went around to her that Mrs. Kelly was beating her mother. Her house

was one block away. The fight was going on sometime, and there was time for the defendant to send around for her daughter. Two boys went. The defendant did not know their names. They said the defendant was badly beaten. Her daughter came around to where she, the defendant was, and Mrs. Kelly was doing nothing then, and the defendant was sitting in the hall, on the first steps unable to do anything. Mrs. Kelly was sitting on a lager beer keg, at the door, after beating the defendant. The defendant's daughter came up to Mrs. Kelly and said, "What did you beat my mother for? My mother must have said something to you, because I know you have a glass of beer down or you would not beat my mother." Mrs. Kelly said, "I will do the same to you. I will give you just the same," and she walked up and hit Mrs. Crosby, and her, the defendant's daughter pulled Mrs. Kelly away from the door, and knocked her hat off and struck her. When she, the defendant, left Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Kelly got through pounding her, the defendant, and gave her a fainting spell, for 15 minutes, she was not bloody. Mrs.

Kelly had a scratch from the week before, where her husband or her mother hit her in the face with a plate. She was arrested a week before by her husband. She, the defendant, did not see the complainant's mother strike the complainant with a plate; the neighbors told her about that. She did not have any blood on her when she, the defendant, saw her, the complainant. A girl named Mamie Petty carried Mrs. Kelly's baby upstairs, after Mrs. Kelly "threw it in the street"--threw it down on the flags to fight. The baby was two years old and could walk.

MARY CROSBY, one of the defendants, testified that she lived at No. 5 Carlisle Street. She denied that she used a knife on the complainant. She testified as to the trouble, "I was going to bed with my baby. It was then a quarter to 11, when two young men knocked at my door, and they said, 'Mrs. Crosby, Mrs. Kelly has your mother near killed, between the

doors of Tommy Evans' saloon'. And I went over and Mrs. Kelly was about to hit my mother with a beer keg, and I asked why she done it for, and she said, 'it is none of your business.' and she called me every name that you could think of, in front of all the young men. And I said to my mother, 'Go upstairs. She has a glass of beer on,' and then she said, 'I am not drunk,' and she hit me in the face with her fist, and I said, 'What did you do that for Katey Kelly?' and she struck at me again, and I pulled her from the door, and I gave it to her, hard as I could. And I had no knife. I was only in my wrapper, and no stockings on." The witness denied giving her, the complainant, marks on her face. She testified that the complainant's husband hit her, the complainant. She did not see the husband hit the woman, but only heard it. The defendant was never before in trouble or arrested. She will be 22 in June, 1893. She did not strike the complainant in the face with a knife.

R E B U T T A L

KATE KELLY, being recalled, by the District Attorney, testified that, before the fight began, she did not see Mrs. Lynch and her daughter together, but that Mrs. Lynch was alone, and struck her, the complainant first, and, about five minutes afterwards, Mrs. Crosby came. When her mother got up she went around herself for her. After the first struggle, Mrs. Lynch got up and went around to Carlisle Street and they both came back and rushed at the complainant. She, the complainant, did not lift up a beer keg and try to hit Mrs. Lynch with it; and she did not throw her child out into the street, but she handed it to a young woman named Mary Petty. She had her child back in her arms when they came at her. The first assault was made by Mrs. Lynch. She put her child into somebody's arms to defend herself, and then Mrs. Lynch went around to Carlisle Street, and she thought the fight was all over, and took the child in her arms again, and then they came around

and assaulted her, the complainant, with a knife and bottle. Mrs. Lynch had nothing before she went around to Carlisle Street, but merely struck the complainant with her hands. While the daughter held the complainant, the mother hit her.

ELIZA LYNCH, being recalled by counsel for the defense, testified that she did not go around to Carlisle Street for her daughter. She did not know the names of the two young men who went around, but they lived in the neighborhood and her daughter knew them.

Police Court— District.

1931

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

Kate Kelly
 of No. *26 Albany* Street, aged *24* years,
 occupation *Housekeeper* being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the *25* day of *May* 189*3* at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Mary Crosby and Eliza Lynch
 (both now here) acting in concert —

Said *Mary Crosby* cut and stabbed deponent
 on the left cheek with a knife which she

Mary Crosby then and there held in her hand —

The defendant *Eliza Lynch* struck deponent
 several violent blows on the forehead with a
 bottle which she ~~has~~ *Eliza Lynch* then and there
 held in her hand cutting deponent's forehead
 in three places

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

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

Sworn to before me, this *26* day
 of *May* 189*3*,

Kate Kelly

[Signature] Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Mary Crosby

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 a 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.

Mary Crosby

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

5 Carlisle St - one month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Housekeeper

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 -
Mae Crosby.

Taken before me this

*26*day of *June* 188*5*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Eliza Lynch 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 a 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.

Eliza Lynch

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

50 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

19 Albany St - 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

House Keeper

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

Answer.

I am - not guilty -
I Eliza X Lynch
made

Taken before me this

day of

1891

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 _____
_____ 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 25 1893 _____ 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

Kate Kelly
26 Albany
Mary Crosby
2 Eliza Lynch
3
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Felony
Offense

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated, May 26 1893
Martin Magistrate.
Hahn, Officer.
2 Precinct.

Witnesses Mrs. J. Edgeman
No. 21 Albany Street.
No. Street.

No. 500 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

Mary Crosby and
Eliza Lynch

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

The said Mary Crosby and Eliza Lynch, late
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty fifth
day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-three, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon
the body of one Kate Kelly in the peace of the said People
then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and her the said
also with a certain bottle with a certain knife and
which the said Mary Crosby and Eliza Lynch
in their right hands 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 - her - the said Kate Kelly
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
Mary Crosby and Eliza Lynch
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Mary Crosby and Eliza Lynch
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
Kate Kelly in the peace of the said
People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault,
and her the said Kate Kelly
with a certain knife and also with a certain
which the said Mary Crosby and Eliza Lynch
in their right hands 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

May Crosby and Eliza Syuck

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

The said—*May Crosby and Eliza Syuck* both

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 *Kate Kelly* 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 and also with a certain*

which *they* the said *May Crosby and Eliza Syuck* in *their* right hands then and there had and held, in and upon the *head and face* of *her* the said *Kate Kelly*

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

Kate Kelly

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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