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Thomas, John

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No. 131
SEC. 5. D. C. S.

Filed 10 day of Nov 1881
Pleads not guilty 21

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Thomas
Assault and Battery.—Felony.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.
And Mrs. Dec. 17, 1881
Med. & Charles of law
A True Bill
with sealed to
May 1881
Foreman.

John Thomas
S.P.
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AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

Second District Police Court.

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

James Harris (Colored)
42 years, occupation, *Upholsterer,*
of No. *161*

10, 20th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says
that on the *5th* day of *November* in the year

188*8* at the City of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted ~~and beaten~~ by
John Thomas (Colored) who
discharged a revolving pistol (here shown)
loaded with powder and ball at the
body of this deponent, and the said
Thomas attempted to discharge the said
revolver at deponent's ~~deponent's~~ body a
second time. All this at or about twelve
o'clock at night of the day aforesaid
in front of the premises *161 West 28th*
Street. All

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt
with according to law.

Sworn to before me this *6th* day

of *November* 188*8*

McConnell } *James*
Police Justice.

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Part 2 of Officer's personal notes

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

John Thomas (Colored) 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 Thomas*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Baltimore.*

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

Answer. *11th Coxsawau St.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Porter at the City House*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of firing
I was under the influence
of liquor and he provoked
me by abusive language*

Taken before me, this *6th*

day of *November* 188*8*

John Thomas

Marion O'Brien Police Justice.

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BAILED,

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

Sec. 308, 309, 210 & 212.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Thomas

161 W. 20th St.

John Thomas

Offence, *John Thomas*

Dated

Feb 6th

1881

John Thomas
Magistrate.

John Thomas
Officer.

John Thomas
Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

John Thomas

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 *John Thomas*

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

Dated

Feb. 6th

1881

John Thomas
Police Justice.

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

Dated

188

Police Justice.

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

Dated

188

Police Justice.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Harris
161 W. 20th St.
John Thomas
161 W. 20th St.

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BAILED,

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

Dated *Nov 6 1881*
Altobony Magistrate.
Kavanaugh Officer.
161 Clerk.

Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
Committed

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 admitted to bail in the sum of _____ Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *Nov 6 1881*
James Harris Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1881
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 _____ 1881
Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Thomas

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

John Thomas
of the Crime of Shooting at another with intent to kill, committed as follows:

The said

John Thomas
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *fifth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *James Harris*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *James Harris*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *John Thomas*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *James Harris*

thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
John Thomas
of the Crime of Attempting to Discharge a *pistol* at another with Intent
to Kill, committed as follows:

The said

John Thomas
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, ~~the said~~

James Harris
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *James Harris*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *John Thomas*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *him* the said *James Harris*

thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Thomas* of the Crime of Shooting and Discharging off a *pistol* at another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with intent to injure such other, committed as follows:

The said *John Thomas*

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 *James Harris*

then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *James Harris*

a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

John Thomas in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable or excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said *James Harris*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Thomas* of the Crime of Attempting to Shoot off and Discharge a *pistol* at another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with intent to injure such other, committed as follows:

The said *John Thomas*

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 *James Harris*

then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *James Harris*

a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

John Thomas in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable or excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said *James Harris*

wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Thomas, Mary

DATE:

11/25/81



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No. 210.
Counsel
Filed
Reads
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Potpourri (20)

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Mary Thomas.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

~~ATTORNEY AT LAW~~
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

May 1st 1881
Foreman.

James C. Rollins
Dea. J.

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District Police Court—

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No. 29 East 46th Street,
being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the

at the 19 day of November 1887
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent,

the following property viz.:

One plated Vase of the value of Nine
Dollars. One plated Jewel case of the value
of Twelve Dollars. One pair of opera
glasses of the value of Ten Dollars. One
card case of the value of One Dollar.
and one Chinese Cup of the value of
Nine Dollars. in all of the value of
Thirty three Dollars.

the property of Charles A. Mills. and in do
deponent's charge.

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

That deponent saw her leaving the
premises, followed her and found
said property in her possession.

Geo. J. York

Sworn before me this

25 day of Nov 1887

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Mary Thomas

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Mary Thomas

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty eight years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

In Ireland.

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

Answer.

Refuse to state

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Milliner

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 never took the things out of the
house. or had them in my possession.
The witness who swears to it is
thoroughly mistaken.*

Taken before me, this *20*
day of *November*. 188*8*

Mary Thomas

McWandell Police Justice.

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BAILED,

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

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court

4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George E. Clark
29 vs. 40
Mary Thomas
Yuma County

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Offence, _____

Dated *Nov 20* 188*1*

Wardell Magistrate.

Amundson Officer.
19 and 10 Clerk.

Witnesses

Mary Conant

No. _____ Street, _____

Charles Miller

No. *29 E. 46* Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____



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 *Mary Thomas*

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *100* Hundred Dollars *100* and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *Nov 20* 188*1* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court - 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George E. Spick
29 E 4th

Mary Thomas
Howard & Company

Offence,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated

1881

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

Street,

John A. Miles

No.

Street,

Street,

No.

Street.

9/15-08
C. J. Spick

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 Mary Thomas guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Nov 20 1881

Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 20 1881

Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 20 1881

Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions ~~of the Peace of~~
the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

against

Mary Thomas

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

Mary Thomas

of the crime of

Larceny

committed as follows:

The said

Mary Thomas

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

One vase of the value of five dollars.

One jewel case of the value of twelve dollars.

One pair of opera-glasses of the value of ten dollars.

One card-case of the value of one dollar

One cup of the value of five dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Charles A. Mills

then and

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

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

Mary Thomas
of the CRIME OF *Receiving Stolen Goods*
committed as follows:
The said *Mary Thomas*

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 vase of the value of five dollars
One jewel case of the value of twelve dollars.
One pair of opera-glasses of the value of ten dollars.
One card-case of the value of one dollar.
One cap of the value of five dollars.

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

Charles A. Mills
Grand Jury
by a certain person or persons to the ~~James~~ aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

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

Mary Thomas
taken and carried away
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.

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

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BOX:

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DESCRIPTION:

Tonar, John

DATE:

11/23/81



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Det. 1
No. 169.

Counsel,
Filed 23 day of Nov 1881
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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417 & 24

John J. Conan.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

~~DENY ROLLINS~~

District Attorney.

Part No Nov 23. 1881

pleads & Co.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Conley

Foreman.

S.P. 2 1/2 y ear.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

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42.
The People
vs.
William Percival } Court of General Sessions. Part 7.
Indictment for petty larceny from the person. Before Recorder Smythe. Nov. 28. 1881.

William Albers, sworn and examined, testified:
I am the complainant. I remember the 30th of October, Sunday; on that day I had a watch in my possession; it was a silver watch, double case - a watch and chain and a charm on it; they were worth altogether forty five dollars; the watch was worth \$22.50. I kept it in the left vest pocket and the chain was attached to the button hole. I was at a meeting of my society, I came out and went to a couple of places and afterwards I was in a Second Avenue car, I came down and I was at some place in Christie St. I had my watch between six and twelve o'clock. I cannot tell the particular hour. When I got home I found my watch was gone a little after twelve; the watch and chain was gone. I never saw the prisoner before that night. I slipped off the Second Avenue car and fell down; my coat was all dirty and pants. I cannot tell particularly the place, it was in Christie St. I did not hurt myself. I came to my senses when I got home. I have never received my watch back. I was drunk when I was on the car. I did not

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Annie Carlstrom, sworn and examined. I am 14 years old, I live at 325 Broomie St. I remember Sunday Oct. 30, I saw the complainant that evening and the prisoner. I saw the complainant when he fell from the car - from the back platform; the car was going down through Christie St. towards Grand St. about ten minutes of six; it was a dark cloudy day and it had been raining. I was talking to the prisoner when the car came along and when the complainant fell he was picked up by the prisoner; he took him to the sidewalk and he (the prisoner) put his hand in the left pocket of the complainant's vest and took out his watch. I was standing alongside of him. I spoke to him, I said I did not want him to take it; he nodded his head and said I should go away, and then he went away through the alley. I spoke to the complainant and says that he should wait there and walk with me to the station house. He said, no, he would fix him; then he went away. There was a chain to the watch; the chain was in his vest hanging there; Percival did not take the chain; the alley into which the prisoner went was only three or four steps from the place where we were standing.

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I don't know where Percival lives. I saw him around our neighborhood since the 4th of July and then I spoke to him. Emily Hauck was with me when I was speaking to the prisoner that night; she was in Court. The prisoner took the watch with him and I told the complainant about it; I noticed the complainant did not walk quite steady I met a policeman and I told him right away afterwards. Cross Examined. I could not say whether the complainant was shoved off the car or fell off. I should think there was just as good an opportunity to take the watch as the chain. I saw Percival put his hand into the man's pocket and take the watch out. I was alongside of the prisoner when he picked the complainant up but I did not go to the middle of the street. I spoke to Emily Hauck about this; she did not tell me what to say when I came to Court. I did not rehearse my story with her. When she had been Friday to the Essex Court I had to go there with her on Saturday. I asked her what she had to do there; she told me, but she did not ask me what I was going to say or do. There was a young man standing by the door of the alleyway and when Percival saw he could not get me away he spoke to him; but at the time the watch

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Annie Carlstrom, sworn and examined. I am 14 years old, I live at 325 Broome St. I remember Sunday Oct. 30, I saw the complainant that evening and the prisoner. I saw the complainant when he fell from the car - from the back platform; the car was going down through Christie St. towards Grand St. about ten minutes of six; it was a dark cloudy day and it had been raining. I was talking to the prisoner when the car came along and when the complainant fell he was picked up by the prisoner; he took him to the sidewalk and he (the prisoner) put his hand in the left pocket of the complainant's vest and took out his watch. I was standing alongside of him. I spoke to him, I said I did not want him to take it; he nodded his head and said I should go away, and then he went away through the alley. I spoke to the complainant and says that he should wait there and walk with me to the station house. He said, no, he would fix him; then he went away. There was a chain to the watch; the chain was in his vest hanging there; Percival did not take the chain; the alley into which the prisoner went was only three or four steps from the place where we were standing.

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I don't know where Percival lives. I saw him around our neighborhood since the 4th of July and then I spoke to him. Emily Hauck was with me when I was speaking to the prisoner that night; she was in Court. The prisoner took the watch with him and I told the complainant about it; I noticed the complainant did not walk quite steady I met a policeman and I told him right away afterwards. Cross Examined. I could not say whether the complainant was shoved off the car or fell off. I should think there was just as good an opportunity to take the chain as the watch. I saw Percival put his hand into the man's pocket and take the watch out. I was alongside of the prisoner when he picked the complainant up but I did not go to the middle of the street. I spoke to Emily Hauck about this; she did not tell me what to say when I came to Court. I did not rehearse my story with her. When she had been Friday to the Essex Court I had to go there with her on Saturday. I asked her what she had to do there; she told me, but she did not ask me what I was going to say or do. There was a young man standing by the door of the alleyway and when Percival saw he could not get me away he spoke to him; but at the time the watch

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was taken there was nobody near except Emily Hauck. Emily Hauck was sworn and examined. Her testimony confirmed the statement of the previous witness Percival ran over and picked the man up who fell off the car and put his hand in his (the complainant's) pocket, nodded his head and told us to go off about our business. In the mean time Percival ran up the alley way and disappeared.

William Percival, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified. I was arrested once for fighting but never was arrested for stealing. I live with my wife 101 Allen St. I worked for Wm Hall & Son, hardwood door and cash and blind makers. Three or four men shoved the complainant off the platform of the car. I was talking to those girls. I went over and raised the gentleman from the middle of the street. I took him up and led him towards the sidewalk. I brushed him off and he says, "I am much obliged to you." The man was not drunk; he walked away. I did not take his watch. I did not see his chain hanging down. This was on Sunday and I was arrested on the Friday following.

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Mary Percival, the wife of the prisoner, testified that on the Friday he was arrested he was at home, he was out off and on, but he was in the neighborhood the whole of the week. Adam Benjamin sworn I reside in the same house as the prisoner; he was around the house the whole of the week.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of petty larceny.

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Testimony in the case
of Percival
filed Nov. 1892.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ssof No. 244 William Street, Henry Frickebeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 31 day of October 1881
at the _____ City of New York,in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, Henry G. Uhlig + Copartners
the following property, viz:say about fifteen yards of cloth of
the value of sixty dollarsthe property of Henry G. Uhlig + Carl Uhlig ⁴⁴ William
Busing copartners in the case of deponent who
is 24 years and a clerk by occupationand 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 Tonar (now here)that deponent found said cloth in the possession
of said Tonar in Chamber Street in said
City & he having & where it found
in front of 244 William StreetHenry Fricke

Sworn before me this

1st day of September 1881

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

John Tonar 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 Tonar

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

44 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

417 E 24th St for 12 years

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

Taken before me, this

day of

Nov

1st
1881

John ^{his} Tonar
mark

Brady

Police Justice.

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

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court, 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward Fuelle
244 St. William
John Torar

Offence, Grand Larceny

Dated Nov 1 1881

7304 3rd St. Magistrate.
Housley H. Officer.
Clerk.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street.

Committed

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 John Torar

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of ten Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Nov 1 1881

B. W. Brighy Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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Sec. 208, 210 & 212.

Police Court-- 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Facke
244 33 William
John Toman

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Offence, Grand Larceny

Dated Nov 1 1881

7304 Buxby Magistrate.

Housley 4 Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

RECEIVED
NOV 1 1881
CLERK
Garrison, H. H.

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street,

No. 2, by
Residence Street,

No. 3, by
Residence Street,

No. 4, by
Residence Street,

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 John Toman guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of ten Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison, until he give such bail.

Dated Nov 1 1881

B. H. Housley
Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1881

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 _____ 1881

Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace of
the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

John Jonas against
The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse

committed as follows

The said

John Jonas
of the crime of
Larceny

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

*Fifteen yards of cloth of the value of
four dollars each yard*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Henry G. Uhlig

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

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

of the CRIME OF

committed as follows:

The said

John Donar
Receiving Stolen Goods
John Donar

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,

*Fifteen yards of cloth of the value of
four dollars each yard*

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

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

Henry G. Ahlig
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

John Donar
taken and carried away
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.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
~~BENJ. K. PIERCES~~, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Tucker, Patrick

DATE:

11/25/81



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Case No. 178

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 25 day of

1881

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.
H. H. Seale
Headwounded
Patrick Tucker

BURGLARY—THIRD DEGREE.
NOTHING STOLEN.

James C. Collins
COUNSEL

Part Two Mr 25. 1881

A True Bill.

Alceda guilty
(King, Cully)

Foreman.

Emora Ref

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POLICE COURT—First DISTRICT.City and County }
of New York, } ss:Bernard Isaacsof No. 134 Leonard Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says that the premises No. 134 Leonard
Street 6th Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a ~~Store~~ Storeand which was occupied by deponent as a Store for the sale of liquors
beer and cigars were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of forcibly breaking a pane of glass in
the fan light and forcibly breaking off an iron
bar that was attached and fastened on the inside
of the rear window of a store leading into said premises
on the night of the 19 day of November 1881
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:with the felonious intent to take and carry
away therefrom the following property, viz
Say about six boxes containing cigars
of the value of Twelve dollarsthe property of deponent who is 37 years and is a Liquor dealer
by occupation 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 Patrick Tucker (now here) ^{attempted to be}for the reasons following, to wit; That deponent is informed
by officer Sullivan that he found said
Tucker in said premisesB. J. HALL
City and County of New York ss
Michael Sullivan of the 14th Precinct being duly sworn says
that on the night of the 19th day of November 1881 he found
Patrick Tucker in the premises described in the above
affidavit of Bernard IsaacsMichael Sullivan

Sincerely sworn to before me this

20th day of November 1881

P. M. M. M.

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

First DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick Tucker 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. *Patrick Tucker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *494 Pearl St for 8 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Lead 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 guilty*

Taken before me, this *20*
day of *Nov* 188*1*

Patrick Tucker

B. M. Rydz

Police Justice.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward Leach
134 Newark St
Patrick Tucker

Offence, Burglary

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated

November 20 188 1

73 04 3rd Magistrate.

Sullivan 14 Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses Michael Sullivan

No. 14 Decatur Street,

No. 12 Adm Street,

No. 12 Adm Street,

Committee

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 Patrick Tucker

guilty thereof, I order that he held to answer the same and he be be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 Hundred Dollars and he committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Nov 20 188 1

B. W. Bugh Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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Rev. 208, 309, 210 & 212.

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Barnard Seacocks
134 Leonard St
Patrick Tucker

Offence, *Burglary*
2
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Dated *November 20* 188*1*

73 24 Bayly Magistrate.

Sullivan Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses *Michael Sullivan*

14 Chancery Street,

No. *13* Street,

No. *13* Street.

Committed

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

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 *Patrick Tucker*

had to answer the same and he has admitted to being in the sum of
of the City Prison, with the sum of
guilty thereof, I order that he be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison, with the sum of _____ and the com-

Dated *Nov 20* 188*1* Police Justice.

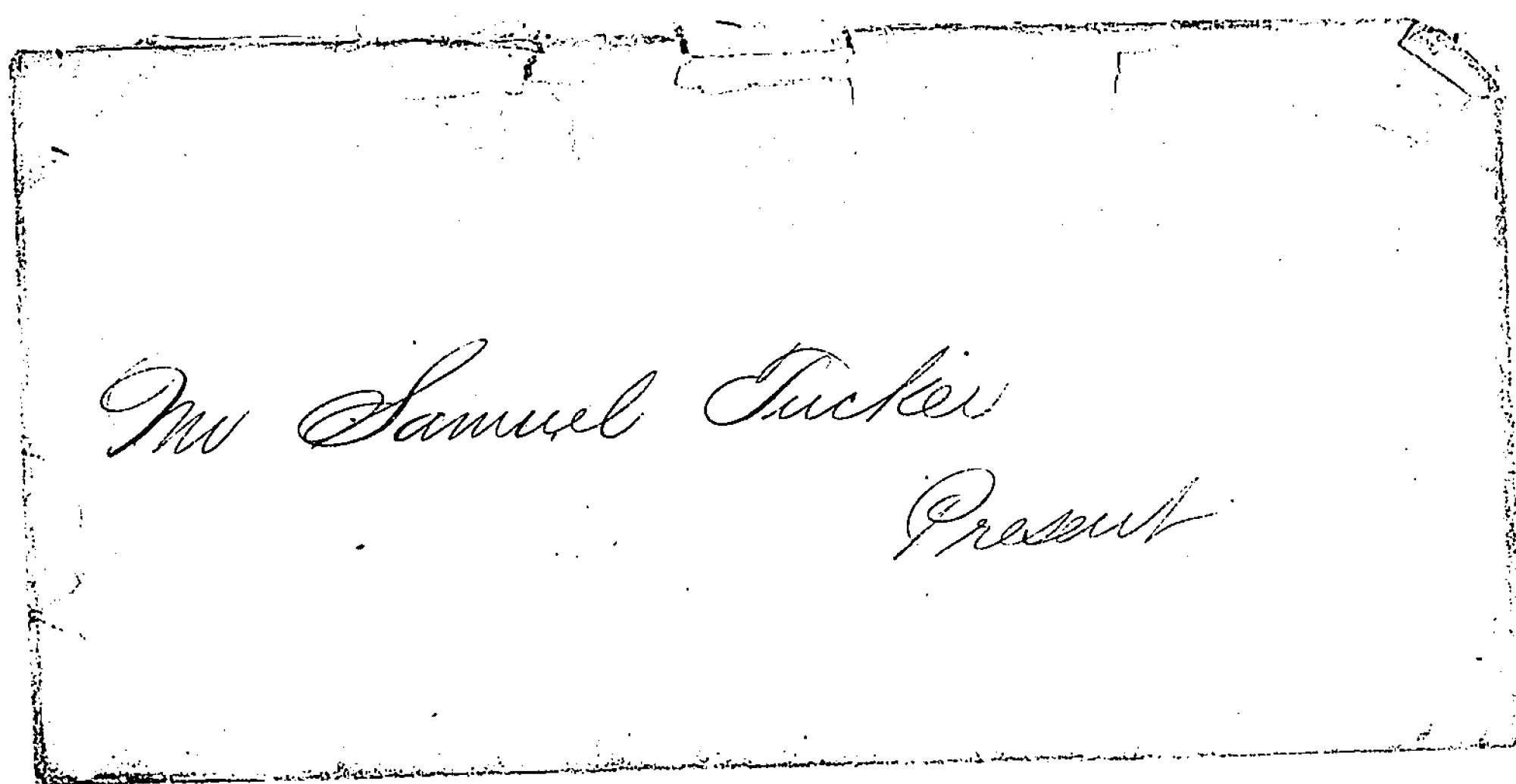
I have admitted the above named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 Police Justice.

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M. J. Sutton
A. L. Baldwin



M. J. SUTTON,
SUCCESSOR TO

M. J. Sutton & Co.
Manufacturing & Importing
Chemists and Perfumers
299 & 301 Broadway
New York, Nov 22 1881

Patrick Tucker has been in
my employ about three years
and I have always found
him honest, faithful and industrious, he has had my
confidence fully. His only fault that I could complain
of, being his intemperance at times.

I regret to learn that Patrick is in trouble
and cannot believe that it is from an intentional
wrong doing

Geo. F. Sutton
Manager for M. J. Sutton

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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}
Patrick Zucker
The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse

Patrick Zucker
of the crime of
Burglary
committed as follows:
The said *Patrick Zucker*

late of the *sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid,
on the *eighteenth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty-one* with force and arms,
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *store* of

Bernard Isaacs
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, the said *store*
being then and there a building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things
were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit; the same being the goods, chattels,
and personal property of

Bernard Isaacs

goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *store* with intent the said
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.

Daniel G. Rollins
~~BENJ. K. WHEELER~~, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Ward, James

DATE:

11/17/81



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No. 92.

Nov 27 1881

Counsel, 110
Filed 17 day of Nov 1881
Pleads *Merrill*

of Larceny and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*3d.
Admiral
Counsel*

P.
James H. Ward.

DANIEL CROLLINS,

~~ATTORNEY AT LAW~~

District Attorney.

Part Nov 22. 1881

Pleads *G. L.*

A True Bill.

Wm. J. C. Crollins

Foreman.

S. P. one year.

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FORM 893.

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

Police Court--Second District.

Living Street. *William M. Este*, 50 years, occupation
of No. *39*, W. *26*th Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *10th* day of *November*, 188*1*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent, *and the person in the night time,*

the following property, to wit: *one gold watch and chain*

of the value of *three hundred* Dollars,
the property of *the deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *James H. Ward* now

here / for the reason that deponent was in the act
of leaving the *Morton House* at 14th Broadway ^{at or about eleven to twelve o'clock} when
he was joined by the accused, deponent has no recollection
of having been in the company of the accused. And
never saw him before the last night, that he entered
the cab which deponent took for the purpose of
going to his residence, deponent was under the
influence of liquor. That deponent deponent is
informed by Officers Tobias and Duane that they
arrested the accused in the act of running from
deponent's cab, that they found in his possession,
the watch and chain here shown which said
watch ^{and chain} deponent identifies as his property taken and
stolen from his person by the accused. *W M Este*

Sworn to before me, this *11th* day

of *November*, 188*1*

W. L. Morgan Police Justice.

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State and County of New York } S.S.
City of New York

James Lyons, Cabman, 156. W. 18th Street
being duly sworn deposes and says ^{he} identifies James
H. Ward the accused as the man who approached
his cab at 14th Street & Union Square at or about seven
and a half o'clock p.m. after the 10th inst. leading
the Complainant who was intoxicated that they
entered together defendant's cab, that Ward ordered
defendant to go to East 26th Street. That defendant
drove on and when near 16th Street & Broadway, the said
Ward opened the door of the cab and ran away.

Defendant having reason to suspect that there was some-
thing wrong called the attention of the officers who
arrested him.

James Lyons

Sworn to before me this
11th day of November 1881

Albion Morgan
Police Justice

State and County of New York } S.S.

City of New York } S.S. Michael J. Duane
of the Central Park Police being duly sworn deposes
and says that he arrested the accused James H. Ward
in the act of running through Union Square followed by cries
of Stop him! That defendant found upon his person
the watch and chain here shown.

Sworn to before me this
11th day of November 1881

Michael J. Duane

Albion Morgan
Police Justice

0482

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.2²
DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

James H. Ward 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. *James H. Ward*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty four years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Massachusetts*

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

Answer. *New York city in the Battery. ten days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *climbing*

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 was drinking with the complainant*
I got a cab for him at his request to take him home he asked me to go with him. I got into the cab with him. He then proposed that I should suck his prick and to ok off the watch and chain and I put it into my left coat pocket. I told him that I was not that kind of a man & jumped out of the cab. I am not guilty

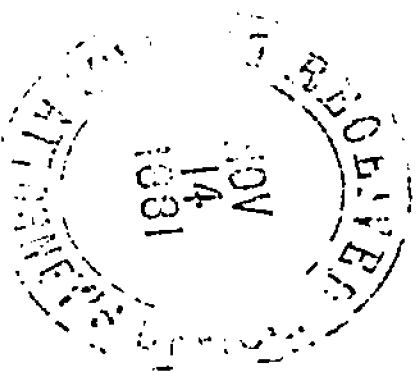
Taken before me, this *11th*

day of *November* 188*8*

James H. Ward

B. L. Morgan Police Justice.

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BAILED,

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

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William de Bate
39 2d St 26 9-45

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James H. Ward

Offence, *Larceny from the person*

Dated *October 11th* 1881

W. Morgan Magistrate.

James H. Ward Officer.

William de Bate Clerk.

Witnesses *James H. Ward*

No. *156 W 18th* Street.

Alfred J. Brane

No. *Culture Park Place* Street.

No. *156 W 18th* Street.

James H. Ward

William de Bate

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 H. Ward*

guilty thereof, I order that he *be admitted to bail in the sum of* *100* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail

Dated *October 11th* 1881 *W. Morgan* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1881 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1881 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court--

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William C. Eche
39 W 26 St
James H. Ward

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated

November 11

188

Magistrate.

Morgan

Officer.

Duane & Tobias

Cedeno Park 179th Street

Clerk.

Grace

Witnesses

James Lym

No.

156 W. 18th

Street,

Michael J. Duane

No.

Antone Frank Place

Street,

No.

Stand to G. 1st Ave

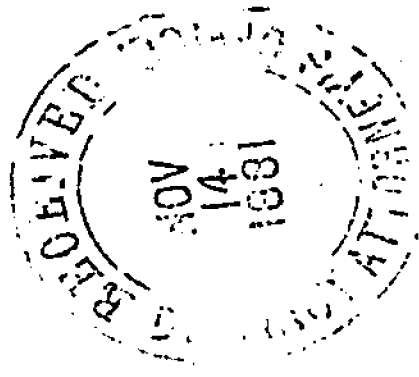
Street.

Witness

Nov. 15

Court

Committed



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 admitted to bail in the sum of One Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail

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

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

0485

Court of General Sessions ~~of the Peace~~ of
the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

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

committed as follows:

The said

James H. Ward
^{against}

James H. Ward

of the crime of

Carrying from the person

James H. Ward

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

One watch of the value of two hundred dollars
One chain of the value of one hundred dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property
of one William M. Este, on the person of the said
William M. Este, then and there being found

~~of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one~~

William M. Este

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

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

James H. Ward
of the CRIME OF *Receiving Stolen Goods*
committed as follows:
The said *James H. Ward*

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

One watch of the value of two hundred dollars
One chain of the value of one ^{hundred} dollar

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

William M. Este
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

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

James H. Ward
taken and carried away 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.

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