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Bergen, James

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Thompson, Robert

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Counsel,

Filed 13 day of Feb 1880.

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Pleads guilty  
to the charge  
of Larceny  
and Receiving  
Stolen Goods.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*James Thompson  
James Reizen*

*Larceny and Receiving Stolen Goods.*

*Att.*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*J. M. Conant*

Foreman.

Part 2. Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 1880

Both Pleas P.L. persons  
in 1. State Reformatory Building  
No. 10

No. 2. Pen: Free number.

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Form 112.

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

Police Court - First District.

of No. Henry Richardson  
98 Canal Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1890

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 from deponent's person

two coats And  
the following property, viz: Good and Lawful Money  
consisting of one bill of the denomination  
And value of five dollars And Nine  
Several bills of the value of one  
dollar each which were contained  
in a bank book and carried in an  
inside breast pocket of the coat then  
worn by deponent in all

of the value of fourteen 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 Robert Thompson

And James Bergin acting in concert  
together and both now present for the  
reasons following - to wit - that deponent  
went into the liquor store on 104<sup>th</sup>  
Street and having taken a drink became  
stupid and unconscious. that the  
persons were in the liquor store at  
the time and after deponent had  
become unconscious they were seen by  
one Marks leading ~~him~~ through a  
street with the coats taken from the  
person of deponent in the possession of

Sworn to, before me, this

18

day

Police Justice

Said Thompson. as deponent is informed by said Marks and deponent believes the same to be true that deponent is further informed by said Marks that he followed the prisoners and caused their arrest and that upon being searched in the Station house the money and bank book was found in a pocket of one of said coats which the prisoner Thompson had then in his possession and upon his person all of which deponent believes to be true that deponent identifies the coats and bankbook here shown and which were taken from said Thompsons possession as the property so taken stolen and carried away from the possession and person of deponent after he became unconscious in the manner stated within

Henry Richardson

City and County of New York

Michael Marks of N.Y.

being sworn says that at about seven o'clock P.M. on the day in question he saw the prisoners leading the complainant who was unconscious throughatham street that one of them had two coats upon his arm and the complainant was cattered that after they had proceeded some distance they laid complainant down upon the sidewalk and walked away that deponent followed them caused their arrest and in the Station house saw the property taken from a coat in the possession of the prisoners

Michael Marks

Sworn to before me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1892  
J. W. M. [Signature]  
Justice

Sworn to before me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1892  
J. W. M. [Signature]  
Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*James Bergin*

being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*James Bergin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Murray*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*44 St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Physician*

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

Answer.

*I went up to the station house to make inquiries & they arrested me. I was not with Thompson when the coats were taken.*  
*James Bergin*

Taken before me, this

*9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1888*

*Robert M. Thompson*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

*Robert Thompson*

being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Robert Thompson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer,

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer

*Mott St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Writer*

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

Answer.

*I didn't take the coats. I wanted to put them on his back.*

Taken before me, this

*9<sup>th</sup>*

*day of February*

*1899*

Police Justice.

*J. W. McArthur*

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Witness Mark's states  
that he has no  
permanent home,  
that he is stopping  
at 11 Rowing  
only. That he  
follows the sea &  
is liable to leave  
the City at any  
moment.

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,  
Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,  
Address,

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Richardson  
98 Canal St.

vs.  
Robert Thompson  
James Beigin

A Fraudulent Larceny from

Dated February 9<sup>th</sup> 1880

James McLaughlin  
14<sup>th</sup> Clerk

Witnesses  
Call the Officer  
Michael Marks 11 Bowdoy

1077 Committed

to answer  
at General Sessions  
Received at Dist. Atty's office

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That Robert Thompson and James Bergen each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*Eight* day of *February* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *Eighty* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms,

~~One~~ ~~Dime~~ Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of a ~~number~~  
*denomination of five dollars and of the value of five dollars*  
~~and denomination to be inserted in said unknown and a more accurate description of~~  
~~which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

~~One~~ ~~Dime~~ Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a ~~number and denomination~~  
*of five dollars and of the value of five dollars.*

~~Nine~~ ~~Dime~~ Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of ~~a number~~  
*denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar*  
~~and denomination to be inserted in said unknown and a more accurate description of~~  
~~each~~  
~~which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

~~Nine~~ ~~Dime~~ Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a ~~number and denomination~~  
*of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each*  
~~and denomination to be inserted in said unknown and a more accurate description of~~

*Two coats of the value of Ten dollars each  
of the goods, chattels, and personal property  
of one Henry Richardson on the person  
of the said Henry Richardson then and  
then being found, from the person of  
the said Henry Richardson*

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

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.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

Robert Thompson and John Bergeu -  
each -

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

One promissory note for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied and of the kind known as a United States Treasury note of the denomination of five dollars and of the value of five dollars -

One promissory note for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied and of the kind known as a Bank note of the denomination of five dollars and of the value of five dollars -

Nine promissory notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes of the denomination of one dollar and of the value of one dollar each -

Nine promissory notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank notes of the denomination of one dollar and of the value of one dollar each

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

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

Henry Richardson

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

Robert Thompson and John Bergeu 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.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.