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Hart, John

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WITNESSES:

Edw. O'Neill
Off. Sullivan
W. P. [unclear]

Sept. 10, 1886.
The Complainant in this case was
been committed by a Police Justice
as a vagrant & drunk, on the
Complainant's wife. The
Complainant & defendant stand
see to have been notified
Chambers creature - The Officer
seems to think that there is but
little merit in the case & I
respectfully suggest the
~~Complainant's wife~~
defeat on their own
recognition. J. P. Deems
Appl. in City

Counsel,

Filed 13 day of Aug 1886

Pleas, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs. *R*

Charles Vandewater

and *R*

John Hart

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
Sections 928, 929, 930, Penal Code.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dist. Atty.

Recog. for

A True Bill.

Calcutt Kurnah

Foreman.

Sept 10 1886
John Hart
Charles Vandewater

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 128 7th Street Cornelius H. O'Serice Street, aged 28 years,
occupation Printer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 5th day of August 1886 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:

found on a lawful money of the
United States to the amount and
value of three dollars and thirty
Cents, and a silk pocket handkerchief,
and all of the value of four
(4) dollars

the property of deponent

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

John Hart, both now here, for
the reasons following, to wit: That
deponent was drunk but
distinctly remembers having
his property in his possession
and being in the Company of
said defendants when put
deponent sitting on a Stoop
in Liberty Street near Barren
Street. That deponent remembers
they sat down beside deponent
and deponent felt hands in
his pocket and saw said
pocket handkerchief in the
possession of said Vandewater.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1886
at _____
Notary Public

That deponent is now here informed
 by James Henry Johnson that he,
 said Johnson, saw said Vandewater
 take said handwriting out of
 the outside pocket of the coat
 then on deponent's person, and
 heard said Hart say "If we
 could get him (meaning deponent)
 up the alley we could throw
 him down and get all the
 we got"

Signed & sworn to before me this 9th day of August 1886

John H. O'Brien

J. H. Patterson

Notary Public

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 12 years, occupation James Henry Johnson
News Boy of No.

228 Coby Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Cornelius H. O'Keefe

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

Sworn to before me, this 9th
day of August 1885

James H. Johnson

J. W. Patterson
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

3^d District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *Charles*
~~George~~ Vandewater

Question How old are you?

Answer 40 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 159 Allen St., 4 years.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Show-Card Rider

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Charles Vandewater

Taken before me this

day of August 1884

W. P. Williams Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, }^{ss}

John Hart

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 Hart*

Question How old are you?

Answer *36 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *51 Bowery, 2 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Printer*

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 Hart

Taken before me this *9th*

day of *March* 188*8*

W. H. ...

Police Justice.

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Police Court 34 1196 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Cornelius O'Neil
128 Forsyth
Charles Vandewater
John Hunt

Offense: *Barney Jones*
the murder

Dated August 9th 1886

Patterson Magistrate.

Sullivan Officer.

10th Precinct.

Witness James H. Johnson

No. 228 Columbia Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. 1000 _____ Street.

to answer _____

Comed



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

Dated August 9th 1886 *W. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 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 _____ 1886 Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Vandewater and John Stark

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Charles Vandewater and John Stark of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said Charles Vandewater and John Stark, late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 21st day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, in the day time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one hundred and fifty dollars and the value of several cents, and the sum of three dollars and thirty cents in money lawful money of the United States, and of the value of three dollars and thirty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Cornelius W. O'Neil, then and there being found, from the person of the said Cornelius W. O'Neil, 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.

Rudolph B. Martin, District Attorney

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