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DESCRIPTION:

Thompson, John W.

DATE:

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May 18th 1882

I advise the
discharge of the defect
on his own recognizance
for reasons given within
by the Plaintiff

J.P. Adams
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Geoffell
1 Champion

Filed 12-day of May 1882
Pleads Not guilty (15)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John W. Thompson
P.

Assault and Battery—Felony.

John McKeon
DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Lee
May 16th 1882

Discharged by Court
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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 W. Thompson

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
John W. Thompson
of the Crime of Shooting at another with intent to kill, committed as follows:

The said *John W. Thompson*
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *seventh* day of *May* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas Adcock*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *Thomas Adcock*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *John W. Thompson*
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 *Thomas Adcock*

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
of the Crime of Attempting to Discharge a *at another with Intent*
to Kill, committed as follows:
The said

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

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 the said
a certain then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said

in 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 the said

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

~~THIRD~~ COUNT.

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

John W. Thompson
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 W. Thompson*

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 *Thomas Adeock* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *him*, the said *Thomas Adeock* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *he* the said

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 *Thomas Adeock*

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.

John McKeon
District attorney

FOURTH COUNT.

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

of the Crime of Attempting to Shoot off and Discharge a at another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with intent to injure such other, committed as follows:

The said

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 then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an assault and to, at and against the said a certain then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said

in 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 the said

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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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE,
City and County of New York }

District Attorney's Office,

New York, May 16 1882

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Adcock }
John W. Thompson } For Fel Assault & Bat
Fire arms

The defendant having been indicted by a Grand Jury of this Court,
on the 12th day of May 1882, for the offense
of Fel Assault & Bat upon a charge preferred
by me against him, and having since fully compensated me for all
injury and damage which I sustained thereby.

I do therefore hereby acknowledge to the Court that I have received
full and complete satisfaction for the injuries and damages so sustained
by me, and request that no further proceedings be had on said indictment,
and that the defendant be discharged therefrom.

Tom Adcock
Complainant.

City and County of } ss.
New York,

Thomas Adcock, the said complainant,
being duly sworn, says, that the foregoing instrument by him subscribed
is true of his own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of 16th May 1882.

Tom Adcock
Complainant.

John W. Brennan
Notary Public 284
N.Y. City

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Complainant's name
by Josephine Holbach.
No 103 West 32nd Street

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.

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Police Court, Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
OF THE COMPLAINANT OF

Thomas Holbach
Name of Defendant
John W. Thompson

Offence, Delinquency
H. B. P. H. H.

Dated May 8, 1882

J. Henry Bond Magistrate.
George B. Holbach Officer.
Clerk.

Witnesses
George B. Holbach
No. 29 West 32nd Street.

Thomas Holbach
Complainant's name
No. 103 West 32nd Street
in default of \$500 bail to
testify

No. _____
Complainant's name
\$1000 to be
Street



If 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 W. Thompson

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.

Dated May 8, 1882

J. Henry Bond 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. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY,
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Second DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

John W. Thompson 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 W. Thompson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York.

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

Answer.

#105 Madison Street: 7 months.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bar-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 of the charge.

J W Thompson

Taken before me, this

day of

May 188*4*

J. Henry Ford

Police Justice.

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Police Court—2nd District.

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

of No.

103 West 32

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on

Sunday

the

7th

day of

May

in the year 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John W. Thompson

(now here) who wilfully and maliciously did discharge the contents of two chambers of a revolving pistol loaded with powder and ball, at the person of this deponent, which said pistol was then and there had and held in the right hand of him said Thompson. This deponent further says that one of the balls so fired from the said pistol by said Thompson struck deponent on the left ear, wounding the same.

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him bodily harm; and with out 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

day

of

May

1882

Thomas Adcock

J. Henry Bird

POLICE JUSTICE.

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BURGLARY—First Degree, and
Grand Larceny.

us.

P.
Harry C. Townsend

John McKeon
DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

A True Bill.
James H. Leveaux
Mayor of New Orleans
Wm. J. Foreman.
Charles Jung Brley

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

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J. H. G.

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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

Harry C. Townsend

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

of the CRIME OF *Burglary in the second degree*

committed as follows:

The said *Harry C. Townsend*

late of the *twenty first* Ward, of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *twenty eighth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, about the hour of *three* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of *William Haigh*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of *forcibly breaking open an outer door thereof* whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one

within the said dwelling-house, he, the said

Harry C. Townsend

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of *William Haigh*

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.

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

of the CRIME OF *Grand Larceny in a dwelling house*

committed as follows:

The said *Harry C. Townsend*

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, about the hour of *three* o'clock in the *day* time of said day, ~~the said~~

*Two coats of the value of fifteen dollars each
three other coats of the value of ten dollars each
one cloak of the value of ten dollars one vest of the
value of three dollars one pair of shoes of the value of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of *William Haigh* in the said dwelling house of one

then and there being found in 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.

John McIlroy
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Harry C. Townsend 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.

Harry C. Townsend

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.

I have not resided anywhere particularly

Question. What is your business or profession?

I have only been in town about
two weeks.

Answer.

Salesman

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

May

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Merrill W. [Signature]
Police Justice.

Harry C. Townsend

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Form 9.

Sixth District Police Court.

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

of No.

street,

that on the

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

day of

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

were found keys which fit the
lock to said door, and by which
keys said lock may be opened
or locked. William Haugh
knows to before me this
first day of May 1871

Moreen O'Donoghue
Police Justice

City and County of New York for
James R. Cosgrove of No. 491. Third
Avenue, being duly sworn says his age
is 38 years, and he is a Court officer
in Court of General Sessions, that he
has heard read the foregoing affidavit
and is familiar with its contents, and
that portion thereof referring to him
is true upon his own knowledge.
Knows to before me this
first day of May 1871

Moreen O'Donoghue James R. Cosgrove
Police Justice

City and County of New York for
Officer John Dickey of 21. Precinct
Police being duly sworn says he has
heard read the foregoing affidavit
and is familiar with its contents
and that portion thereof referring
to him is true upon his own
knowledge. John Dickey
Knows to before me
this first day of May 1871

Moreen O'Donoghue
Police Justice

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County
of New York,

ss. William Faigh; aged 23 years

of No. 491 Third Avenue, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 491 Third Avenue

Street, 2nd Ward in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling room

entered by means of false keys, **BURGLARIOUSLY**

on the afternoon of the 28th day of April 1887
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

Two Coats of the value of thirty dollars
the property of deponent, and three
coats and one cloak, and one vest
and one pair of shoes together of
the value of twenty dollars, the property
of James Faigh and then in charge
of deponent, in all property of the
value of one hundred dollars

the property of deponent respectively. Said James Faigh
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 Harry C. Townsend

for the reasons following, to wit: that on said day at about
seven o'clock in the morning deponent left
said room which is on the second floor of said
house No 491 - 3rd Avenue, after securely closing
and locking the door leading into and from
said room; that then said property was
carried away in said room; that when de-
ponent

returned in the evening of said day, he was informed by James R. Cosgrove here present; that on said day at about half past three o'clock in the afternoon he saw said defendant leaving said house with a bundle under his arm, that when said Cosgrove followed said defendant, said defendant ran, and was arrested by John Dickey an officer of 21st Precinct Police; Dependent further

was informed by said Cosgrove, that when said Townsend was pursued, he threw away a bundle which afterwards was found to contain one overcoat, one cloak and pair of shoes and one vest, which articles were identified by dependent as the property of said James Haigh already mentioned, that upon said defendant's person when arrested was found as dependent is informed by said officer Dickey one coat and one overcoat, which dependent identified as his property also mentioned above. That said Cosgrove also informed dependent that after said Townsend had been arrested, he said Cosgrove saw that said cloak, which dependent had looked at his leaving as above ^{was open} ~~was open~~ that upon the person of said defendant

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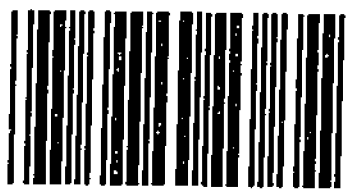
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Tracey, Michael

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Day of Trial,
Counsel,
Filed day of May 1888
Pleads Fitzgully (26)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Michael Tracey
P.
BURGLARY—Third Degree,
NOTHING STOLEN.

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.
P. 21 New York 1888
A True Bill.
Foreman.

Sever 26 for
this day June 10
J.P. 24-121
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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

Michael Tracey

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

Michael Tracey

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

The said Michael Tracey

late of the Ninth Ward 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 eighty two with force and arms, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, the Restaurant of Frederick Retunnel

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter the said Restaurant
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 Frederick Retunnel

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE & C.,
OF THE COUNTY OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated May 16 1882

Magistrate.

Officer
Pellegrini

Witnesses

No. 1st French

No. 29 6th Ave.



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 Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated May 15 1882

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. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

Michael Tracy 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.

Michael Tracy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

30 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

71 King Street 8 Months

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 was Intrigued and had no intention of committing any offense I wish there to get something to eat.

Taken before me, this

16th

day of

May

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Michael Tracy
man

Solomon Smith

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

City and County
of New York.

Richard Gibbons, 19 years old, cook,
of No. *125 West Third* Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that the premises No. *29 South Avenue*
Street, *9th* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *brick building*
and which was occupied by *Fred Reymond* as a *restaurant*

attempted to be
were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of *breaching* ~~of~~ a pane of glass
and a wooden panel in the door of
the basement of said building opening from
South Avenue into said restaurant, in the night time,
on the *Morning* of the *16th* day of *May* 18*82*
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: *beef,*
veal, mutton ~~from~~ and provisions
in all of the value of *Twenty*
dollars

the property of *Fred Reymond* and in the
care and custody of *his 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 *Michael Tracy*

for the reasons following, to wit: *Deponent* was sleeping
in said Restaurant, and at about 2 O'clock
on said morning his attention was attracted
by talking outside said door and immediately
afterward said door was broken open.
Deponent went to the door and seeing
two men running down the street, of
whom said *Michael Tracy* was one,
pursued them and at the corner of 3^d
Street and 6th Avenue overtook said *Tracy*
and held him until the arrival of Officer

Another of the 9th Precinct Police, by whom said Tracy was arrested. Dependent further says that at about half past twelve o'clock in said night he saw said Fred Rethmuel close up said restaurant and fasten said basement door.

Sworn to before me this } Richard Gibbons
16th day of May 1882 }
~~John R. Smith~~
Police Justice

City and County of New York do.

of William G. Gibbons, 14 years old, gentleman,
No. 29 Sixth Avenue, New York City,
being duly sworn says that he is
employed in the restaurant No 29 Sixth
Avenue, that he was in company with
Richard Gibbons at the time and place
stated in the foregoing affidavit, saw the door
of said restaurant broken open and saw
Michael Tracy pursued and arrested as
described in the foregoing affidavit of said
Gibbons, which dependent has heard read.

Sworn to before me this } William ^{his} Gibbons
16th day of May 1882 }
~~John R. Smith~~
Police Justice

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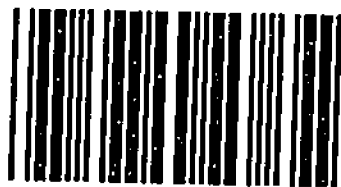
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Tully, James

DATE:

05/03/82



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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

James Tully

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

James Tully
of the CRIME OF LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

James Tully

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

Divers promissory notes for the payment of money there and there due and unsatisfied and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes of the value of fifty dollars. Divers promissory notes for the payment of money there and there due and unsatisfied and of the kind known as bank notes, of the value of fifty dollars. One watch of the value of one hundred and twenty dollars. One chain of the value of five dollars. Three studs of the value of one dollar each. One coat of the value of twenty dollars. One handkerchief of the value of five cents. One overcoat of the value of twenty dollars. One other watch of the value of fifteen dollars. One chain of the value of one dollar. One watch of the value of five cents. One comb of the value of ten cents. One spoon of the value of five cents and one pipe of tobacco of the value of five cents

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Arthur Quinn

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.

John M. Sem
District Attorney

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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, 209, 210 & 212.

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Police Court

1st District.

THE PEOPLE &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Arthur Dennis
vs. James J. Jolly

Offence, Larceny

Dated

April 27, 1882

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Magistrate.

John Smith
Officer.

Charles H. C.
Clerk.

Witnesses

William Graham

No.

874 11 Avenue Street,

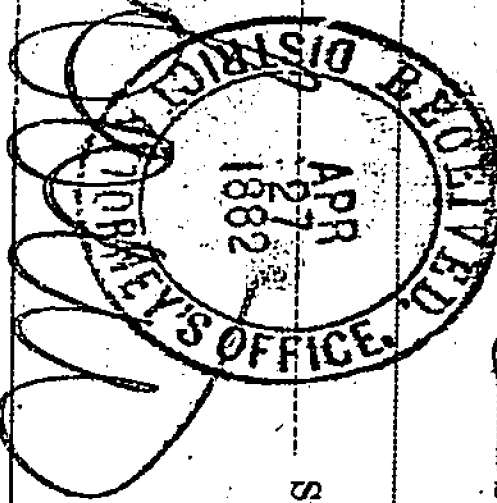
and William Hastings

No.

1529 Duval 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 James Jolly

be held to answer that he 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.

Dated

April 27, 1882

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Solomon Smith
Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated

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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

1882

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

James J. Tully 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 I don't know anything about it

Taken before me, this

day of

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James J. Tully
Robert Smith
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No.

874-11 Ave

Street,

Arthur Quinn 31 years Fireman

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

25

day of

April

1882

at the

City of New York,

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

the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money consisting of bills of different denominations and of the value of fifty dollars. One gold watch and silver chain attached of the value of one hundred and twenty five dollars. Three gold studs of the value of two ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ dollars. One frock coat of the value of twenty dollars. One linen Handkerchief of the value of five cents. One over coat of the value of twelve dollars. One silver watch and silver chain attached of the value of fifteen dollars. One watch key of the value of five cents. One comb of the value of five cents. One spool of Black Cotton of the value of five cents and one Plug of tobacco of the value of five cents in all of the value of two hundred and twenty four dollars and eighty cents the property of deponent and William Gahan

Sworn before me this

day of

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 Tully (now here) from

the fact that on said day while deponent was passing along Canal Street said defendant came up to deponent and William Gahan who was in deponents company and asked them if they wanted a boarding house deponent said yes said defendant then took deponent and William Gahan to the Sheridan House No 159 Canal Street and secured a room for which said Gahan paid for. then

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deponent said Baham and said defendant went to said room and while in said room defendant mended deponent pantaloons which had been torn then deponent and said Baham went to sleep and when deponent awoke in the following morning defendant was gone and the aforesaid property was missing and deponent did not see said defendant until the 26 instant when deponent caused his arrest and deponent saw said defendant searched in the station house and saw a portion of the aforesaid property on his said defendant person

Sworn to before me this 4th day of April 1882 by Arthur ^{his D} Quinn
 John S. Smith
 Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witnesses:

DISPOSITION

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

763

DESCRIPTION:

Twyford, John

DATE:

05/04/82



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Witnesses :

The Prosecution in this
Case who is the wife
of Defendant. Preys in
Open Court that the
off in the discharge
in her own recognition
So noted by the Court.

W. H. H. H.
May 8-82

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 4th day of May 1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R.

John T. J. J.

John M. H. H.
DANIEL C. ROLLINS

District Attorney.

Felony Assault and Battery.

A True Bill.

John H. H.
Foreman.
May 8-82
Decided by Court

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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 Dayford

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

John Dayford
of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another with a deadly weapon with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said

John Dayford
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~twenty first~~ day of ~~April~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Bridget Dayford* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ~~her~~ the said *Bridget Dayford* with a certain *knife* which the said

John Dayford
in ~~his~~ right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent ~~her~~ the said *Bridget Dayford* 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 Dayford
of the CRIME OF "Assault upon another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with a sharp, dangerous weapon, with intent to do bodily harm," committed as follows:

The said

John Dayford
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~ with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Bridget Dayford* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and ~~her~~ the said *Bridget Dayford* with a certain *knife* which the said

John Dayford
in ~~his~~ right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously do bodily harm unto ~~her~~ the said *Bridget Dayford* 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.

John W. Keon
District Attorney

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

John Wyford 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.

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.

Taken before me this

26

day of

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John. Wyford

Blough Gurner Police Justice

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Police Court—Fourth District.

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

of No.

551

Bridget Purford aged 48 years
First Avenue

on Tuesday the 25th day of April being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
in the year 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

and feloniously
she was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by her husband

John Purford (now here)
who cut and stabbed
deponent on the face
with a pocket-knife then
and there held in the hand
of the said John Purford

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do ~~her~~ ^{her} 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, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this

26

day

of

April

1882

Bridget Purford
Mark

Hugh Gorman Police Justice.