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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Raft, George

DATE:

03/21/83



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WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of March 1883

Pleds *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*George Brady*

INDICTMENT.

*Grand Larceny from the Person*

*in second degree*

JOHN McKEON,

22 Mar 27. 1883 District Attorney.

*Pleds guilty*

*House of Refuge*  
A True Bill.

*Geo. Co. Fisher*  
Foreman.

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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

*George Raft*

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

*George Raft*

of the CRIME OF ~~larceny from the person~~ *Grand Larceny in the second degree* committed as follows:

The said *George Raft*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fourteenth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *one pocket book of the value of fifty cents, one silver coin of the United States, of the kind known as dollars, of the value of one dollar, and divers other coins of the United States of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of twenty eight cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Joseph Rosa* on the person of *Emma Rosa* then and there being found, from the person of the said *Emma Rosa* 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 McKEON, 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, \_\_\_\_\_

#2072  
Police Court District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Anna Weiss  
vs. George Raft  
1 George Raft  
2  
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Offence Larceny  
from Person  
Date March 14 1883  
Magistrate  
Genl. O'Brien  
Precinct 20  
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ 200 to answer  
98  
Cmt

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 George Raft

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

Dated March 14 1883 Hugh Cameron 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.

District Police Court.

George Raft 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.

George Raft

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

14 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

419 West 26 Street and about 4 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

sell papers

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 with the boy who stole  
her pocketbook but I did not  
do it myself

George Raft

Taken before me this

day of

March 1887

August Gordon Police Justice.

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2 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 2137 1/2 St 28

Emma Rossa  
aged 29 years a Landlady  
14 day of March 1883

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
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 person of deponent in the day time  
the following property, viz:

A pocket-book containing  
good and lawful money consisting  
of one silver coin of the denomination  
and value of one dollar, and  
currency of divers denominations,  
and values to the amount of  
twenty eight cents in all and  
and a value of one dollar  
and twenty eight cents

the property of

deponent and her husband  
Joseph Rossa

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

George Raff (now known  
from the fact that on the above  
date and at about the hour of  
three o'clock P.M. deponent on 5th  
Avenue looking in a store  
window and at the time the  
said pocket-book containing  
said money was in the pocket  
of the sash or then and then  
worn on the body of deponent

Reported by

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<sup>said</sup>  
That George approached a person  
and inserted his hand in the  
pocket of said person and  
did take and steal the  
said pocket book containing  
said money and ran away  
with the same  
sworn to before me  
this 14 day of March, 1933 } Emma Rossi

Hugh Gurney  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

1933

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Raina, Lottie

DATE:

03/28/83



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Dep't. of Lab  
at a person  
in the district  
before the  
Circuit -

B 277  
Counsel,  
Filed 20<sup>th</sup> March 1883  
Pleads (guilty)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Dottie Bina  
INDICTMENT.  
CLEARLY FROM THE PERSON.  
the record degree.

JOHN McKEON,  
12 Apr 4, 1883 District Attorney,  
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A True Bill.

Geo. D. Fisher  
Foreman.

Wm. L. Yarbrough  
Jury

WITNESSES:

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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

*Lottie Raina*

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

*Lottie Raina*  
of the CRIME OF ~~Grand Larceny~~ *Grand Larceny in the*  
*second degree*  
committed as follows:

The said *Lottie Raina*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-  
said, on the *twenty-fourth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, *one watch of the value*  
*of sixty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Lottie B. Stinson*  
on the person of the said *Lottie B. Stinson* then and there being found,  
from the person of the said *Lottie B. Stinson* 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 McKEON, District Attorney.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Dunlop  
aged 52 years, occupation Police Officer of No.  
29th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Leslie E. Stinson  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 25th  
day of March 1883 } John Dunlop

Hugh Gorman  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

30 District Police Court.

*Lattie Rania* 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 she 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. *Lattie Rania*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Nineteen years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Cuba*

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

Answer. *29th Street, about 2 weeks.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Domestic*

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, I  
did not take the watch out of  
his pocket,*

*Lattie Rania*

Taken before me this 25th

day of March 1889

*Joseph Gorman* Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

of No. *119 East 31 st* Street, *aged 30 years, Billiards*  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *24th* day of *March* 188*3*  
at the *premises 512 6th Avenue* In 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 time with intent to deprive*  
the true *owner thereof*

*One Gold Hunting Case  
Watch, of the Value of Sixty  
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 *Lattie Peria (now here)*

*from the fact, that deponent in com-  
pany with said Lattie visited a room in  
said premises, and while deponent and said  
Lattie were lying on the bed in said room  
together, said Lattie placed her hand in  
deponent's right hand vest pocket which  
he then had on; and took therefrom the said  
property and suddenly leaving the room  
upon the pretense of pressing a lady *leaving in a few minutes* taking*

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said property with her, <sup>again</sup> and not returning to  
said room. Dependent is informed  
by John Dunlop an officer of the 29th  
Precinct that he arrested the  
said Lattie who confessed and  
admitted the taking of the said property  
and passing said property in a pawn  
office in the Bowery and receiving  
seven dollars there for, and that she  
took the said pawn ticket up there  
it away.

Known to before me  
this 25th day of March 1883  
Joseph E. Stinson  
Judge of Peace

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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said property with her, and <sup>again</sup> not returning to said room. Defendant is informed by John Dunlap an officer of the 29th Police precinct that he arrested the said Lattie who confessed and admitted the taking of the said property and passing said property in a pawn office in the Bowery and receiving seven dollars therefor, and that she tore the said parchment up and threw it away.

Known to before me  
this 25th day of March 1883  
Jesse E. Stinson  
Deputy Sheriff  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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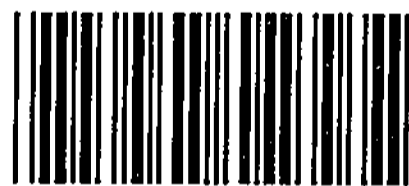
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DESCRIPTION:

Reddington, Thomas

DATE:

03/27/83



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WITNESSES.

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Day of Trial, April  
Counsel, John McKeon  
Filed 27 day of April 1888  
Plend Whitely (28)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Thomas Redding

Plonious Assault and Battery.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Geo. C. Fisher

Foreman.

April 27<sup>th</sup>

Plend Assault and

to do bodily harm

S. P. Fisher

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

Thomas Reddington

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

Thomas Reddington

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

The said Thomas Reddington

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
second day of September 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 Bridget Reddington  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and then the said Bridget Reddington  
with a certain hatchet  
which the said Thomas Reddington

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 then the said Bridget Reddington  
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

Thomas Reddington

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 Thomas Reddington, late of the  
City and County aforesaid

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

Thomas Reddington

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 then the said Bridget Reddington  
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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Police Court—Fourth District.  
STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 128 East 32

on Tuesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

and deposes that she was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Thomas Reddington (nowhere)

Who Willfully and Feloniously  
Struck this deponent Two Violent  
blows on the head With a  
Fatchet cutting and injuring this  
deponent Severely and

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do <sup>her</sup> ~~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 bound to answer  
for the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February 1883

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

*[Signature]*  
Mark

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Form 10.

Police Court—~~Sixth~~ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Lott

vs.

~~Barth~~ Thomas Redding

De'ed

Nov 3

1882

J. K.

Justice.

Officer.

At Feb 21 at 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave

By to court

result of 114

Justice Power or other justice  
residing in district court in my  
absence will please conduct the  
examination in matter case and  
make the necessary disposition  
thereof - J. K. Lott  
Dec 30 1882

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Form 10.

POLICE COURT ~~SIXTH~~ DISTRICT

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

of No.

21 Precinct Police

Street,

that on the

2

day of

November

187

at the City

of New York, in the County of New York,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

deponent arrested Thomas Reddingdon  
(nowhere) on the charge of felonious assaulting  
his wife Bridget Reddingdon who is  
now confined in her Bed at 127 East 32nd  
suffering from a fracture of the skull caused  
by the said Thomas striking her on the  
head with an axe. The said Bridget  
identified the said Thomas in presence  
of this deponent as the one that  
assaulted her with an axe. deponent asks  
that the said Thomas may be committed  
to await the result of the said Bridget's  
injuries.

Charles Lott

Sworn to, this  
before me,

Police Justice.

day of November 187

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*Martin-Burke-H.D.*

*Office Hours  
8 to 9 A.M.  
11 to 12  
6 to 8 P.M.*

*141 Livingston Ave.*

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Head low still coming from the  
riding two's head. Still weak and nervous.  
Easily excited to alarming extent. Throbbles.  
my of course to admit correct  
Morton Bunde m-h

Feb 14/83

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HENRY DIEDEL'S PHARMACY,

NO. 375 THIRD AVENUE,

*Cor. of 27th Street,*

*New York.*

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probably depressing  
internal pulse. No  
signs of compression.  
The bleed was profuse  
but was possibly controlled  
by pressure. The shock  
was at no time very great.  
No pupils were out of  
the integument. Foreign  
body. Sanguis = Meningitis  
or abscess.  
A. S. G. Bullen Martin Bunker

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HENRY DIEDEL'S PHARMACY,

No. 375 THIRD AVENUE,

*Cor. of 27th Street,*

*New York.*

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Am 4/10/22

Dr. C. H. Hies et al  
Mrs. Margaret Redington  
for no 12. 12. 22. 22.  
and no 12. 12. 22. 22.  
compound fracture of left  
femur bone which  
fracture is  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches  
long. 12. 12. 22. 22.  
external table.

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HENRY DIEDEL'S PHARMACY,

NO. 375 THIRD AVENUE,

*Cor. of 27th Street,*

*New York.*

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R  
People  
Thomas Kingston

17.5.82

Patient improving  
Very little fever  
Wound doing nicely

Mat. Gunt

17.5.82

03 14

Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 1882

I her certifies that Mrs Redington  
will <sup>not</sup> in my opinion be able with  
safety to go to court, for trial  
weeks or longer.

Matthew Burke M.D.

141 Lexington Ave.

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Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 82.

Judge Westbrook

Dear Sir  
Mrs

Redington is still too ill to  
leave her house. Her doctor  
two weeks will see her well  
enough to leave her home. Had  
one condensation to come from the  
head.

Sincerely

Christina Perkins.

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INFORMATION CUT  
OFF AT BOTTOM  
EDGE

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Jan. 29<sup>th</sup>/83

This certifies that  
Mrs. Redington is still  
too ill to appear in  
Court. In fact she  
can't leave the house  
as yet.

Martin Redington  
144 Lexington St.

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. 21

New York, Nov 2d 1882

This is to certify that I  
have this day at 11 P.M.  
examined Mrs. Bridget  
Beddingto of 122 East  
82d St & find her suffer-  
ing from a severe  
wound on the right  
side of the head caused,  
as I am informed, by  
assault with an ax.  
I regard her condition  
as very critical.

P. F. Decker Ins.  
Inspector of Police

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Mrs. Redington's condition  
continues to improve. She  
is well & is now out of  
all danger.

Most truly, Yours

Wm. H. H. H. H.

141 Dec 20

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

New York, Nov 21 1882

Proctor

Washington

The prisoner in this  
case is a threat to me as a dangerous  
man. He is now in prison at St. Louis  
but he is nearly killed his wife &  
I know that he has the intention of trying  
to escape he will attempt again to  
escape me & to be a threat to the  
I wish you would give me notice  
under the Code.

I advise you in this  
subject & I am sure you will be successful.  
Sincerely

Mr Justice Girty

Very respectfully,  
John A. McKim  
Dist Atty

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

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Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Reddington  
128 E 32nd St  
1 Emma Reddington  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence, Assault

Dated February 21 1883

William H. Mumma Magistrate.

Charles East Officer.  
21 Barrow

Clerk.

Witnesses, Ellen Russell

No. 2 36 5 - 13th Street,  
Haines Russell

No. 3 5 - 10th Ave  
Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street,  
to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
RECEIVED  
MAR 1 1883  
J. J. J.

24 24 9 am

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 Thomas Reddington

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

Dated Mar 24 1883 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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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_

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Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Charles Reddington  
Pl 12.8 & 321  
1 Thomas Reddington  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence, Felony Assault

Dated February 21 1883

Thomas H. Munn  
Magistrate.

Charles Tott  
Officer.

Witnesses, Ellen Russell  
No. 236 5-13 3d Avenue Street,  
Thomas Russell  
No. 26 5-10 Ave Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
RECEIVED  
FEB 24 1883  
COMMUNIST  
Ed 24 at 9 am

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 Thomas Reddington

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

Dated Mar 24 1883 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. 151.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York. GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Samuel Telomovsky of No. 122 E 32 Street, that on the 2 day of November 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

he was violently Assaulted and Beaten by Thomas Reddington

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to answer the said complaint.

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 4 DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 21 day of February 1883

[Signature]  
POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-A. & B.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Det. Officer.  
21 Feb. 83.

The Defendant

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Officer

Dated

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This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, March 23

Thomas Reddington

Native of

Age 48 - Irish

Age,

Res 125 St + 10 Ave

Sex

Complexion,

Color

Profession,

Married

Single,

Real,

Write,

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Thomas Reddington*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *48 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Delaware*

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

Answer. *126 St 9th 10 (Wm) month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *No Business*

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

Answer. *I have nothing to say at present*

*Thomas Reddington*  
Mark

Taken before me this

24

day of *March*

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Reilly, Charles

DATE:

03/07/83



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First appeal  
Place he came  
F.C.

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 7 day of March 1883

Reads *Not guilty - 12*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

*Spencer Reiss*

*334 East 36 St*

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

Pass 2 April 13, 1883

*W.P. Guilty*

*of Carl H. P. 12*

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Charles Reilly*

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

of the CRIME of *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License*, committed as follows :

The said *Charles Reilly*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *20* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, without having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Police Court, <sup>4</sup>~~Fifth~~ District.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. the 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Hugh Burton aged 50 years

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day

of February 1893 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at

No. 334 East 26<sup>th</sup> Street Charles Reilly (now present)

did then and there sell, and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Charles Reilly may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day }  
of February 1893 }

Hugh Burton  
[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.



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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Charles Reilly* 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 Reilly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*324 East 26<sup>th</sup> St. about a month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*a bar tender*

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

Answer.

*I am bar tender, and did not know that the proprietor had no license*

*Charles Reilly*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice

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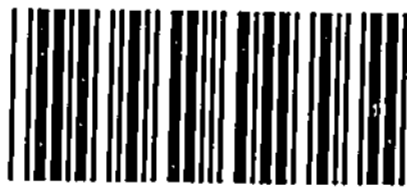
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DESCRIPTION:

Reilly, John M.

DATE:

03/15/83



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Sept. has already  
been a. team  
in law for Lucy  
for 2426 bar.  
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Counsel, D.K. 1914  
Filed 15 day of March 1883  
Plends not guilty.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James R. Sisson

H. D.

John McKeon,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Geo. F. Fisher  
Foreman.  
March 20/83.

Frank J. Conner  
Sgt. 106 m. 110  
F. L.

WITNESSES:

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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

*John A. Bailey*

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

*John A. Bailey*  
of the CRIME OF ~~Robbery from the person~~ *Grand Larceny in*  
*the second degree*  
committed as follows:

The said *John A. Bailey*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-  
said, on the *seventh* day of *March* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, *two promissory notes*

*for the payment of money, the same*  
*being then and there due and*  
*unsatisfied, of the kind known*  
*as United States Treasury notes, of*  
*the denomination and of the*  
*value of five dollars each, and*  
*two other promissory notes for*  
*the payment of money, the same*  
*being then and there due and*  
*unsatisfied, of the kind known*  
*as Bank notes, of the denom-*  
*ination and of the value of*  
*five dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Paul Smith*  
on the person of the said *Paul Smith* then and there being found,  
from the person of the said *Paul Smith* 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 McKEON, District Attorney.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

*James Scanlan* 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 Scanlan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*13 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*37 King St & about three years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*I work on board ships*

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 was coming from work and jumped from a car. Seeing a crowd on the sidewalk. The complainant inquired of me where the nearest telegraph office was. As I was informing him he took hold of me & said I want you. I remained there till an officer came up and went with him to the station house. That is all I know about the case.*

*James Scanlan*

Taken before me this

day of

*March 1883*

*W. M. Sullivan*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

John Reilly 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.

I am not guilty of the  
charge and I never saw the  
Complainant till the Officer  
confronted me with him.  
John H. Reilly

Taken before me this

day of March 1883

Alfred J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

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2 District Police Court. Affidavit—Larceny.  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss. Paul Smith  
of House of Detention Street. 35 years old. Farmer  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 1st day of March 188 3  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent from his person in the day time  
the following property, viz:

Good and lawful  
Money Consisting of two several  
bills of the denomination of  
five dollars each all of the  
value of ten dollars United  
States issue

the property of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and carried away by John Reilly & James Sculley

Acting in concert & collusion and both  
now present. That deponent was  
passing along Canal Street about 24  
O'clock P.M. on said day when the  
defendants followed and accosted  
deponent. That said Reilly then  
grasped deponent upon the front part  
of his coat & held him while said  
Sculley thrust his hand into a pocket of  
deponent's vest and took therefrom the  
above described property when they both  
ran away  
Paul Smith

Police Justice.

Subscribed before me this

day of

March 1883

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Testimony in the  
Case of  
John H. Reilly  
filed

March

1883.

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The People

vs. John H. Reilly

Court of General Sessions, Part II  
Before Recorder Smyth, March 20, 1883.  
Indictment for grand larceny in the second degree.

Paul Smith, sworn and examined, testified:

On the 7<sup>th</sup> of March I was passing along Canal St. in the afternoon. I had two five dollar bills in my left breast pocket and about 75 cents in silver in the pocket of my overcoat in a purse where I always keep it, the inside right coat pocket. The prisoner Reilly grabbed me. As I was walking along I had my hands in my pantaloons pocket; my watch was hanging down. I was walking along and my head up looking around. I never was in this city before in my life. All at once some one came and gave me a shove and caught me, and he gave me a ring and took my neck tie off. As the hand dropped it caught my chain. I had my watch in there so as to keep my money down. He grabbed that and took part of the chain and part of it is in my pocket. I paid \$1.65 for the chain; it belonged to me. The money was in the same pocket with my watch. I did not lose my watch; he did not get it; he took the money out of my pocket book. I came from Newark. I had been to work out there. After the prisoner

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did all this he started and ran; the next time I saw him was in the station house that evening; it was dark, after 7 o'clock, it must be near 8 o'clock. I was not drinking ~~that~~ <sup>that</sup> day, only a glass of lager when I got off the steamboat. I arrived in New York from Newark about three o'clock. The prisoner started and ran, I kept hallooing, "my money is gone," as he ran I could see the officer catch him. I saw the officer arrest him. Cross Examined. I am a farmer. I never was in this city before except when I came from Long Island, my native home, I came with the man that brought me over, that hired me. I crossed over Cortland St. ferry. I had thirteen dollars when I started from Newark. I lost ten dollars. I did not see anybody with the prisoner. There was a whole crowd of people ahead of me. I ran and grabbed a little boy and he pulled away. He said, "it is not me;" he kept crying and said, "I did not do it, Mister." I did not know his name. I do not know anyone here in New York; that boy was arrested. I could not tell what became of him. All I saw of the prisoner was a passing glance the moment he assaulted me. As soon as he grabbed

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me he gave me one wing and went off very quickly. I did not state in the station house that I lost fifteen dollars. I am sure. Michael McGinley sworn. On the 7<sup>th</sup> of March about 4 o'clock in the afternoon I was standing on the corner of Spring and Greenwich Sts. I saw the prisoner; he was walking up Spring St. Kind of out of breath the same as though he had been chased. I was talking to a brother officer on the corner. As the prisoner crossed the street he started on a run and I gave chase to him and I caught him in Remwick St. between Spring and Canal Sts. I did not see the complainant until I got around to Canal St. I was in doubt what the prisoner had done and could not find anybody to tell me and I walked down and enquired on the way and where I got to Washington and Canal Sts. I saw the complainant holding another young man and an officer running to him, and when I got within a distance of about twenty feet, the complainant turned around and said, "That is the man has got my money." I took him to the station house and on searching him I found two five dollar bills and a loaded.

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revolver they are in the property clerk's office. The two five dollar bills were brought to court the next morning but were not shown to this man. Cross Examined. I did not say in the police court that the complainant was drunk; he might have been drinking. The complainant recognized the prisoner as the party who took his money, and I brought him to the station house. I took the two five dollar bills from the prisoner, and he told the Captain that he got them from his mother to pay a bill that she owed to Mr. Martens corner of Varick and Charles Sts.

John H. Reilly sworn and examined in his own behalf. I am 20 years old, I work in a laundry with my mother at 132 Varick St. I remember the day of my arrest, I did not steal \$10 from the complainant. I got it from my mother to pay a bill that morning at 9 o'clock. I went down to look for a job and did not pay it; afterwards the officer arrested me. Mary Reilly the mother and Mary Reilly the daughter both testified that the mother gave the prisoner two five dollar bills to pay a bill which she owed to Mr. Marten between 8 and 9 o'clock in the morning.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree. He was sent to the State prison for three years and six months.

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DESCRIPTION:

Reilly, John

DATE:

03/22/83



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Counsel,

Filed 22 day of March 1883

Pleads

*Wm. H. H. H.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*  
*John H. H.*

*W. H. H.*

*W. H. H.*

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Geo. C. Fisher*  
Foreman.

*W. H. H.*

*Henry H. H.*

*W. H. H.*

*W. H. H.*

WITNESSES:

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INDICTMENT.  
Grand Larceny  
the second degree.

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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

*John Reilly*

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

*John Reilly*  
of the CRIME OF ~~felony~~ *Grand Larceny in the*  
*Second degree*  
committed as follows:

The said *John Reilly*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-  
said, on the *nineteenth* day of *March* — in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty — *three* — at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, *one hat of the value of*  
*forty cents, of the goods, chattels*  
*and personal property of one*  
*Herman Klein, and one coat of*  
*bread of the value of ten cents,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Samuel Gundersheimer*  
on the person of the said *Herman Klein* then and there being found,  
from the person of the said *Herman Klein* 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 McKEON, 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Harman Klein

vs. John Reilly

John Reilly

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Offence Larceny from the person

Dated March 15 188 3

Magistrate.

Andrew Reilly Officer.

11 " Precinct.

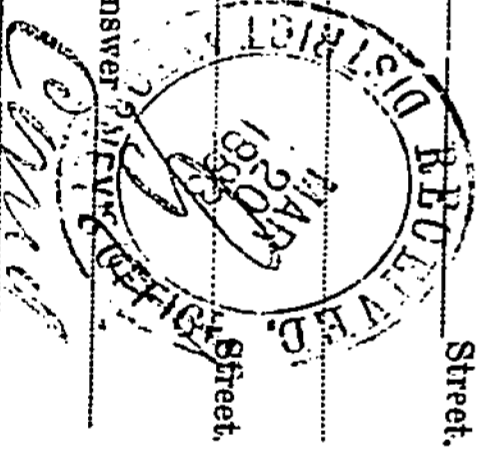
Witnesses Andrew Reilly

No. 11 " Precinct.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ 1000 to answer in five days



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 Reilly

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

Dated March 15 188 3 J. W. Patterson 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.

*J* District Police Court.

*John Reilly*  
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. *John Reilly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Canada*

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

Answer. *547 West 15th St. for 3 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I was drunk and did not know what I was doing.*

*John X Reilly*  
*Witness*

Take before me this

*19*

*March 1883*

*Alfred Pittman*  
Police Justice.

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3<sup>rd</sup>

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Herman Klein, aged 17 years,*  
of No. *66 Avenue C. Street Buxton Club,*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 188 *3*

at the *day time in 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*

the following property, viz:

*one felt hat and a bag of bread,*  
*together of the value of fifty cents,*  
*the bag of bread being the property*  
*of deponent's employer, Samuel*  
*Gundersheimer, and the hat*  
*being*

the property of *deponent*

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen and carried away by *John Reilly, now here,*

*from the fact that while deponent*  
*was walking in East 43<sup>rd</sup> Street*  
*the said defendant approached deponent*  
*and snatched said hat from*  
*deponent's head and the bread*  
*from deponent's basket and ran*  
*away with the same in his*  
*possession.*

*Herman Klein*

Sworn before me this *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 188 *3*  
*John M. Dittman*

Police Justice.

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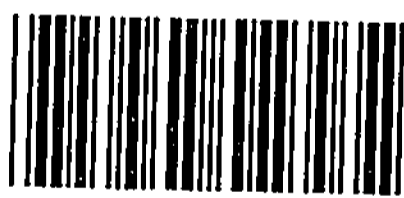
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DESCRIPTION:

Reinach, Bernard

DATE:

03/30/83



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\$ 750  
Counsel,  
Filed 30 day of March 1883  
Reads  
not guilty. April 16

THE PEOPLE  
vs. J. J. Jones.  
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Demand Remains  
Grand Larceny, 1st degree.

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.  
A True Bill.  
P. 2. May 29/83  
Filed & returned to J. J. Jones  
properly returned  
Geo. C. Miller  
Foreman

Let the rest of the  
community know  
City Prison

that  
Dated by George J. Miller  
No 321 E. 153 Street  
Bancroft & Co. 153  
\$1500. 7.0  
advised 10/83

Edward Long  
No 15 1st St.  
John & Betty 124 E 56  
Geo. C. Miller  
146 Orchard St.  
Carsten & Miller  
196 or 190 West St.

George Nader.  
Prospect Garden near  
Shirley of all  
A. Hughes' Greenhouse Garden  
32 E 54 bet 6 & 7. St.

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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*

*Bernard Reinach*

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

*Bernard Reinach*  
of the crime of GRAND LARCENY, in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Bernard Reinach*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the *sixth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty *three* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,  
#632. three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one  
thousand dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value  
of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars,  
and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars,  
and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the  
value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value  
of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and  
of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars  
each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each:  
one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each:  
one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, 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: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due  
and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind  
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value  
of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), be-  
ing then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money  
(and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatis-  
fied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as  
bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value  
of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the  
jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as  
double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the  
value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each:  
fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold  
coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the  
kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors  
unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver  
coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually  
known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as  
quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes),  
of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five  
cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver  
coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value  
of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins  
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *John F. Berry*  
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 McKEON, District Attorney

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Fourth District Police Court

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John F. Kelly, vs.

Recovery of the property  
and assets of the firm  
of Braun & Kelly -  
Complainant

— against —  
Bernard Remach  
Defendant

Complaint

1147 on appeal ✓  
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Wm. F. Kelly  
Wm. F. Kelly

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~~Police Court in the City of New York.~~  
~~For the South Judicial District.~~

John F. Betz, as  
Receiver of the property,<sup>and</sup>  
assets of the firm of Baur  
and Betz  
Complainant  
— against —  
Bernard Remach  
Defendant

City and County of New York ss:  
Nathan Spier  
being duly sworn deposes and says, that  
I am the general manager and  
superintendent in the business con-  
ducted by John F. Betz as Receiver  
of the property and assets of the  
firm of Baur and Betz and reside  
at 144 East 58<sup>th</sup> Street in the  
City of New York.

The defendant Bernard Remach  
is an employe and agent of the  
said John F. Betz, engages and  
employs in collecting the money  
due to the firm for goods sold  
and delivered by the said Receiver.  
He is not an apprentice, nor

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within the age of eighteen years.

That on or about the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1883, the said defendant collected from Edward Langheing <sup>\$134<sup>35</sup></sup>, from Walter <sup>\$632<sup>7</sup></sup>, and from H. Hughes <sup>\$120<sup>00</sup></sup>, all of which sums were due to the said John F. Betz, as Receiver, and were collected by said defendant as the <sup>servant, agent,</sup> collector, and <sup>trusted agent</sup> of the said John F. Betz.

That on or about said 6<sup>th</sup> day of March the said defendant had the aforesaid sums, belonging to John F. Betz, in his possession, custody and control as such servant, agent, collector and trusted ~~agent~~ and as the person authorized to take the possession, custody and control of said moneys.

That on or about the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1883 the said defendant having the like authority from John F. Betz, as the owner thereof, collected and has in his possession, custody and control, as the servant, agent, collector and trusted for the said John F.

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Betz, as Receiver, the following  
sums of money which he had  
collected on behalf of the  
said John F. Betz, as Receiver,  
from the following named persons:

George Miller	45 <sup>50</sup>
Edward Langhewy	112 <sup>13</sup>
Carston and Müller	31 <sup>55</sup>

That having each and all of the  
aforesaid moneys in his pos-  
session as the servant, agent,  
clerk and trustee for John  
F. Betz, as Receiver and owner  
whereof, the said defendant  
did fraudulently and feloniously,  
and against the form of the  
Statute convert and appropriate  
each and all of the aforesaid  
sums of money to his own use,  
and did ~~use~~ each and all  
of said sums of money.

That when charged with the  
aforesaid larcenies the defendant  
confessed the same and admitted  
that he had stolen such  
property, and further admitted  
that he had squandered the  
same in a gambling house in the  
City of New York.

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Given to before me this }  
27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1855 }

Nathan Spicer

Wm. N. Spicer

Wm. N. Spicer

Wm. Co.

F. Hughes

Cinema Garden

36. St. but 649" (H)

John F. Bitts

cont. Mr. Bitts

144. E 58 St

The People's

St.

Bernard Remick

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1883 April 2<sup>nd</sup>

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The People of the  
State of New York

vs.

Bernard Reineck.

Please take notice that on  
the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1883 the under  
signed will present as surety upon  
the bail bond of Bernard Reineck,  
Caroline Dillenbery  
residing at 241 East 59<sup>th</sup> Street in the  
City of New York, who will offer by way  
of justification an undivided one  
third life interest in the land & premises  
241 East 59<sup>th</sup> Street New York City,  
which interest she derived from Sal  
omon Dillenbery her husband at his death  
on August 20<sup>th</sup> 1882.

Dated N.Y. April 21/83

(Signed) R. Guggenheimer

Atty for Reineck

for this application only.

John H. Smith Attorney  
County of New York

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April 26. 1883.

Dear Sir:

My name is Benham Reinach,  
been a Commission Beer Agent  
for Baw + Betts, over something  
to the firm, which my Sister,  
paid every Cent of it. Would  
you please reduce the Bail  
now, to five hundred Dollars,  
as I have a wife + three little  
Children one of them very sick.  
I have always read that you are  
a very stern but very just man  
and for that reason I am writing  
direct to you. I am getting  
nearly crazy in the Tombs here when  
I think of my Children. Hoping  
that you will look into it.

I remain  
yours respectfully

Benham Reinach,

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P.S.  
and My family lives 334-255<sup>th</sup> St.  
you can ask Mr. H. Hurlbut,  
of the World, what kind of a  
man I am, the new man in  
Germany and is the cause that  
I came to this country.

Yours respectfully  
A. H. Hurlbut

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New York June 7<sup>th</sup> 1858  
Hon Henry A. Gildersleeve  
Judge Court General Sessions  
My Dear Sir

In the case of the  
People against Bernard Reinach  
which was tried before you in May  
upon my Complaint, I desire to say  
in respect to the Sentence of the defend-  
ant, it appears to me that under  
all the Circumstances it would be  
an act of Mercy that judgment upon  
the conviction should be suspended.  
The defendant has a very estimable  
wife and three small children. They  
are depending entirely upon the  
defendant for support, and out of Con-  
sideration for them, more particularly,  
I would request your Honor to suspend  
judgment in the Case. Very Respectfully  
John F. Betz

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U. S. District Court.

The People of the State  
of New York

~~County~~

against

Bernard Remach

Defendant.

Affidavit as to  
previous good  
character

JOHN O. MOTT,  
Attorney for defendant

140 Nassau Street,

MONSE BUILDING, NEW YORK

To  
Attorney for  
Esq.

Due service of

is hereby admitted.

Dated, New York, 18

Attorney for

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County of Essex to whom  
City & County of New York

In Matter  
of  
Edward H. Pratt

City & County of New York to  
Andrew S. Pratt  
being duly sworn at the above and  
deposing that he resides at No. 697 Lexington Avenue, New York City, that he  
is well acquainted with the above  
named defendant Edward H. Pratt  
and knows him to be a man of  
good character and has been a good  
and worthy citizen up to the time  
of the accusation made against  
him herein.

Sworn before me }  
June 14 1893 }  
J. H. [Signature]

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Court of General Sessions  
in the City & County of New York

The People  
against  
Bernard Reinach

City & County of New York }  
George Miller being  
duly sworn doth depose and say that  
he resides at No. 321 East 43<sup>d</sup> Street; that  
deponent is well acquainted with the  
above named defendant and has been so  
acquainted with him for upwards of  
eight years last past; that deponent  
is also acquainted with the friends  
and associates of the defendant; that  
the defendant has always sustained  
a good Moral Character and been  
regarded by all of his friends, acquaintances  
and associates as a strictly  
honest man; that the defendant has a  
wife and three children dependant upon  
him for support.

Sworn before me } — George Miller

June 11<sup>th</sup> 1883

P. V. Stockey

Notary Public  
N.Y.C.

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Court of General Sessions  
in the City & County of New York

The People  
against  
Bernard Reinach

City & County of New York ss  
Lopold Simon being  
duly sworn doth depose and say that  
he resides at No. 400 East 49<sup>th</sup> Street  
in the City of New York; that he is well  
acquainted with the Above named  
defendant; that deponent has known  
him so acquainted with the defendant  
for at least twenty years last past;  
that deponent also knows very many  
of the associates and acquaintances  
of the defendant both in this County  
and before the defendant came to this  
County; that said Bernard Reinach  
has always sustained a good Character  
for honesty and integrity and his  
Moral Character has heretofore been  
above reproach; that the defendant  
has a Wife and three small Children  
Now residing in the City of New York  
who are entirely dependant upon him

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for support; that deponent unity believes  
that it would be a proper exercise  
of judicial discretion to suspend  
judgment upon the conviction  
in this action.

Sworn before me by Leopold Simon  
June 11<sup>th</sup> 1883-  
P. V. Stocky.  
Notary Public.  
Calif. Co.

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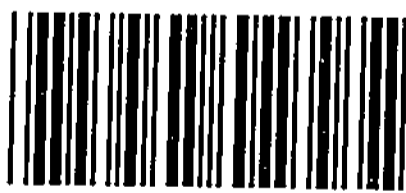
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Riley, John

DATE:

03/20/83



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Sept 27  
James Kelley  
witness  
243 Mulberry St  
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Counsel  
Filed 20  
day of March 1883

Pleads  
Verdict in

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James Kelley

*[Signature]*

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Geo. C. Fisher

Foreman.

*[Signature]*  
March 27/83.

James Kelley  
witness  
243 Mulberry St  
dept has been  
in H of Rep  
J.P.

WITNESSES:

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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

*John Riley*

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

*John Riley*  
of the CRIME OF ~~Larceny from the person~~ *Grand Larceny in*  
*the second degree*  
committed as follows:

The said

*John Riley*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-  
said, on the *thirteenth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, *one watch of the value*  
*of twelve dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Jacob Enry*  
on the person of the said *Jacob Enry* then and there being found,  
from the person of the said *Jacob Enry* 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 McKEON, 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, \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. Jacob Levy  
2. John Reilly

Offence, Larceny from the person

Dated

13 March 1883

Magistrate.

Christopher Brady

Officer

27 Grand

Witnesses

No. 1. John Collins  
No. 2. Division

Street,

No.

Street,

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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 Reilly

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

be legally discharged  
Dated 13 March 1883 Charles J. Smith 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.

185 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

John Reilly

Taken before me this

day of

March 1885

Charles J. Smith

Police Justice.

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First

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

occupation. Farmer

of No. House of detention Street,

Jacob Enz aged 25 years

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 13 day of March 1883  
in at the day time 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 with the unlawful  
intent to cheat and defraud the true owner of  
the following property, viz:

One double case Plated Watch of the  
value of twelve dollars

the property of

this deponent

and that this deponent

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

John Reilly (now here) and  
an other person name unknown to deponent  
not arrested from the fact that while  
deponent standing in a crowd looking  
at a fire on West street in said city  
deponent saw said person not arrested  
take the aforesaid watch from the left  
hand side pocket of the vest then and  
there worn by deponent and hand  
the same to said Reilly then said Reilly

Sworn before me this

day of

Police Justice,

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and said person not arrested now away  
deponent pursued said Reilly and caused  
his arrest

Wherefore deponent charges said Reilly in acting  
in concert with said person not arrested in taking stealing and carrying  
away the goods of said person as aforesaid  
before me this 3

13 day of March 1883 J. J. E. G.  
S. J. White  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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—OFFICE OF—

*W. Pollitz & Co.*

MANUFACTURERS OF

GLASS BUTTONS, ORNAMENTS, &C.  
80 WALKER STREET.

*New York 28 March 1885*

*Mr. Pollitz is going for  
2 or 3 days. He knows the boy  
John Riley for several years  
having been in his service for  
a year and always been a  
honest character. Mr.  
Pollitz on his return will state  
the fact.*

*W. Salaman  
of the firm.  
W. Pollitz & Co.*

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Testimony in the  
case of  
John Riley

filed March

1893.

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The People v. John Riley } Court of General Sessions. Part I  
Indictment for larceny in the second degree. Before Recorder Smyth. March 27. 1883.

Jacob Eng, sworn and examined, testified.  
Through the interpreter. Did you see the prisoner at the bar on the 13<sup>th</sup> of March? Yes sir.  
Where did you see him? In West st. At what time? About noon time. At that time did you have a double case plated watch on your person, did it belong to you, and was it about the value of twelve dollars? Yes sir. When you saw him was there anybody with him? The boy was alone. Go on and tell the jury what he did? There was a steamer burning and I was looking at the fire. I had my hands in my pantaloons pocket and in my pantaloons pocket I had a pocket book with seventy dollars in it. I had the watch in the left side vest pocket. Was there a chain to it? Yes sir, fastened with a chain, the same as this here to the vest, ~~off~~ the button hole. Go on and tell us what occurred? Then I noticed a push at my left side pocket. Then I looked and I saw that my chain was hanging down, at the same time I looked and I saw this boy putting the watch in his coat pocket. I grabbed him and immediately after the policeman came; he was

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arrested and taken to the station house. Did you hold him till the policeman came? By the collar of his coat I held him. Did you get the watch from him? The watch was found with him, here in his coat pocket. Was he in the station house? I think immediately where he was arrested. Was it the officer that got it? Yes sir, the officer. Cross Examined. I think the prisoner was dressed in the same as now, but he had a larger coat on. Did you see him put the watch in his pocket? I saw the shining of the watch when he put it in. Christopher Brady, sworn and examined testified: "You are a member of the police force?" Yes sir. Did you arrest the prisoner at the bar on the 13<sup>th</sup> of March? He was turned over to me by a gentleman by the name of Collins, he is in court now. Where was he? In front of the pier 9 North river. And you took him to the station house? Yes sir, the Twenty seventh precinct station house. Did you search him officer? I had no occasion to search him. I got him to the house and searched him in the house. I got the watch from Mr. Collins, he handed me the watch. Have you got the watch here? No sir, it is in the Property Clerk's. I have been laid up sick. I left

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it in the property clerk's. Was he dressed as he is now? No, I think he had another coat on. John J. Collins, sworn and examined testified: Did you see the prisoner at the bar on the 13<sup>th</sup> of March? Yes. Did you take charge of him? If you will allow me I will tell you the whole case myself. I was down at Castle Garden seeking employment there. Did you see that boy on the 13<sup>th</sup>? I did, I saw him at the fire. (Complainant stood up) Did you see that man? I did, sir. Was there a steamship on fire? Yes sir, the Hudson steamship was on fire. Whereabouts was that, do you know what street? A short distance from Castle Garden, about Thet st. What did you see this boy do? I saw the complainant run after him; he asked him for his watch; in a minute the prisoner had his watch behind his back as if giving it to somebody else. Did you see the watch in his hand? Yes sir, he was getting behind a lot of men that were standing there. I walked over, the policeman was in uniform. You took the watch from him, went over to the policeman, and gave it to the detective? Yes sir, the detective came along with the policeman. Cross Examined. He did

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not run away? No, he did not run, he tried to get away, I held him; he was standing still when I got hold of him, but he resisted after I got hold of him. I did not see him running. Your attention was called to him at that time. He was trying to give the watch to somebody else? Yes sir. Did he have the watch in his pocket? No, he had it in his hand behind his back.

John Riley sworn and examined in his own behalf testified. By counsel. Riley, how old are you and where do you live? I am eighteen years old and live at 243 Mulberry st. New York. Have you ever been arrested before for anything? No sir. Have you a father and mother? Yes sir. You tell the court and jury what connection you had with this watch? I was out on the corner of Chamber st. I saw the engines coming out of the fire house, I ran after them; they went down to West st. pier 9. As I was standing looking at the fire I felt something strike my foot, I stopped down and found it was a watch. I had no more than had it in my hand when a man grabbed me by the throat and held me. I was arrested and brought to the station house.

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I did not try to put the watch in my pocket, the pockets of my coat were torn, and the complainant does not tell the truth when he says I put it in my pocket.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree.

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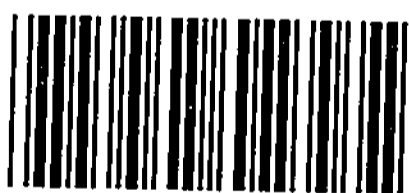
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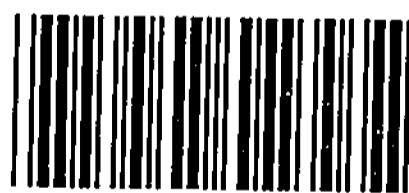
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Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

*Moses Beach*  
*George Foxler*  
*Theodore O'Connell*

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

*Moses Beach, George Foxler and*  
*Theodore O'Connell*

of the crime of Burglary in the third degree,  
committed as follows:

The said *Moses Beach, George Foxler*  
*and Theodore O'Connell*

late of the 23rd Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *Sixteenth* day of *March* in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the railway car of the *New*  
*York City and Northern Rail Road*  
*Company*

there situate, feloniously and  
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers goods,  
merchandise and valuable things were then and there kept for use, ~~and~~ and deposit, to  
wit: the goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter described, with intent the said  
goods, chattels and personal property of the said *The New York*  
*City and Northern Rail Road*  
*Company*

then and there being, then and there  
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and *two hand*  
*saws of the value of one dollar*  
*and fifty cents each, and one*  
*axe of the value of one dollar*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *The New*  
*York City and Northern Rail*  
*Road Company*

so kept as aforesaid in the said railway car then and there being, 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 McKeon*  
*District Attorney*



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Sec. 198-200.

5<sup>th</sup> District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question What is your name ?

Answer. Theodore Cornall

Question. How old are you ?

Answer. 17 years

Question. Where were you born ?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 7 East-91<sup>st</sup> St 17 years

Question. What is your business or profession ?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. I am not guilty

T O Cornall

Taken before me this

14

day of

March

1883

John J. Maguire Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Fletcher 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. George Fletcher

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 17 E 91<sup>st</sup> St Three years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. I am not guilty

George <sup>his</sup> Fletcher  
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Taken before me this

14

day of

March

1883

James H. [Signature]

Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

Moses Roach 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. Moses Roach

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 202 East-96th St 2 mo's

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

Moses Roach

Taken before me this

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day of

March

1883

Charles H. [Signature]

Police Justice.



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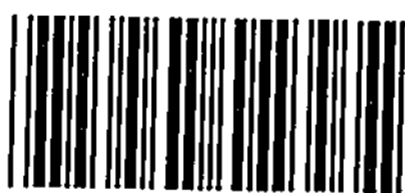
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DESCRIPTION:

Rodgers, John

DATE:

03/21/83



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Place License  
First offence

F.V.

B. 219

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of March 1883

Pleads *Not guilty (2d)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John Rodriguez*

*33  
14 1/2 mts.*

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

*22 April 9, 1883*

*Pleads guilty.*  
A TRUE BILL.

*Geo. L. Fisher*  
Foreman.

*H. O. Fero*  
*F.V.*

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**  
and County  
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*John Rodgers*

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

of the CRIME of *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License*,  
committed as follows :

The said *John Rodgers*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *march* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three*, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to  
wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of  
whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill  
of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons  
at one time, to

~~and to certain other~~ persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, without  
having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New  
York.

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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EXCISE VIOLATION—WITHOUT LICENSE.

Police Court—181 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

I, Thomas D Mitchell 42 years  
of No. all Officer attached to the 14 Beck Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 16 day  
of March 1883, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at  
No. 59 East Houston Street,  
John Rodgers

did then and there ~~sell~~ expose for sale ~~and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold,~~ under his direction and authority, strong and  
spirituous liquors, ~~which are not beer,~~ being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be  
drunk in the house or premises aforesaid without having a proper license therefor contrary to and in violation of law.

did then and there have his bar, exposed containing liquor  
without the proper license

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said John Rodgers  
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 16 day of March 1883 by Thomas D Mitchell  
of Solon Stewart  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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BAILED.  
No. 1, by John Rodgers  
Residence 213 Mulberry Street.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court West District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Thomas D. Mitchell  
vs.  
John Rodgers  
Offence Violation Excise Law  
Dated March 16 1883  
Thomas D. Mitchell Magistrate.  
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Boat  
RECEIVED  
MAR 17 1883  
CLERK'S OFFICE.

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 Rodgers

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

Dated March 16 1883 Solomon Sturges Police Justice.

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

Dated March 16 1883 Solomon Sturges 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.

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u District Police Court.

John Rodgers being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is his own right to make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to enable him himself 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 own waiver cannot be used against him himself on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Rodgers

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

33 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

57 East Houston since 1<sup>st</sup> January

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Liquor Dealer

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 made application on Friday or Saturday last

John Rodgers

Taken before me this

day of

March

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John Rodgers  
Police Officer