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Redding, William

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Wm. J. Reading
Counsel,
Filed *July* 7 day of 1880
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

I

William J. Reading

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Reading
Foreman.

July 14/80.

J. C. Smith

W. J.

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No.

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,

the following property, viz:

of the value of

the property of

Dollars,

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

Now present from the fact that deponent left said property in Staple Street while he proceeded some distance to purchase fruit that when deponent returned the horse and wagon was not where deponent left them but were driven away by the prisoner who was found in Fulton Street by Officer Connor in the act of driving the horse to the ferry Deponent therefore charges the prisoner with having taken stolen and driven away the aforesaid property

Sworn to, before me, this

Police Justice.

City & County
of New York

James Connor of the
1st Precinct Police being
sworn says that he arrested
the prisoner in Fulton street
A.D. at the time of such arrest
he was driving that horse & wagon
with in mentioned in the direction
of Fulton Ferry

James O'Connor

Sworn to before me
this 30th day of June 1880

John M. Murphy }
Notary Public

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William J. Redden

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

I don't know.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N. Y.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

221 Greene St

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

None.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty
William
Redden*

There before me, this 31st day of June 1898

Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

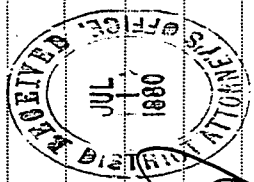
Name,

Address,

Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Guthrie
233 ~~London~~ *St.*
William Redden
vs.



BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

James O'Leary
Magistrate.
James O'Leary
Officer.
1st
Clerk.

Witnesses:

Said Officer

\$ 1000 to answer

at General Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

William F. Redding

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

*One living animal of the kind
called a horse of the value of seventy
five dollars —*

*One wagon of the value of seventy
five dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

George Butrie

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

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

That the said

William D. Redding

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

*One living animal of the kind
called a horse of the value of seventy
five dollars*

*One wagon of the value of seventy
five dollars*

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

George Butrie

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

George Butrie

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

William D. Redding

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Reilly, Terence

DATE:

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7 Aug 1850

Filed 12 day of July 1850
Plsds *Am. P. 11/31*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James Reilly

Aug. 2/50
BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

*Assault and Battery—Felonious.
Firearms.
Attempt to kill*

A True Bill.

Wm. A. Butler
Foreman.

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Rev. Six months.

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AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

Second District Police Court.

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

Robert H. Scott of No. *127*
West 32 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says

that on the *7* day of *July* in the year

18*80* at the City of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by

Terrence Reilly (now here)
who wilfully aimed and point-
ed at the person of deponent
and discharged three shots from
a Revolver loaded with Powder
and Balls in West 32nd Street
in said city - That said assault
was

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

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

Sworn to before me this
of *July* 18*80*

day

1880

Robert H. Scott

J. P. Whelan

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

Terence Reilly

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

Seventeen years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

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QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Servant

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

Answer.—

*I know nothing about
the charge*

his
Terence X X Reilly
mark

Taken before me, this

day of

July

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Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Robert W. Scott

127 N 32nd St.

vs.

Terrence Reilly

OFFENCE—Felonious Assault and Battery

Dated

July 9 1880

Magistrate.

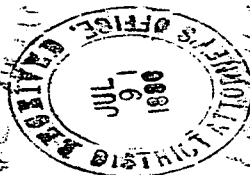
W. J. Kilbreth

Burke Kelly Officer.

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Clerk.

Witnesses,



7. 10. 1880

Committed in default of \$ *1000* bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That

Terence Reilly

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *Seven* day of *July* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *eighty* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Robert H. Scott*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *Robert H. Scott*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *Terence Reilly*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Robert H. Scott*
thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said

Terence Reilly

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

Terence Reilly

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

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

THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

Terence Reilly with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Robert H. Scott*
 then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an
 assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Robert H. Scott*
 a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
 charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

Terence Reilly in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
 without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
 with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said

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

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

Terence Reilly with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Robert H. Scott*
 then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an
 assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Robert H. Scott*
 a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
 charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

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

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Reynolds, Joseph

DATE:

07/07/80



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Counsel,
Filed 7 day of July 1880
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P
Joseph Reynolds

INDICTMENT.
Larceny from the person.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. E. Rumbach
Foreman.
J. H. Sprague
James G. Smith
Asst. F. J.

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

Dominick Anella
of No. *26 Mulberry* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that on the *1* day of *July* 18*80*
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 his person*

the following property viz :

The Silver Watch
of the value of Three Dollars

of the value of

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 *Joseph Reynolds*

Witnessed that while deponent
was standing in Downing, with
said watch in the pocket of the
vest worn by him, and a boy told
him his watch had been stolen.
That deponent saw his watch chain
hanging, and pursued defendant
who was running away with other
boys. That when deponent caught
defendant, he handed deponent
the aforesaid watch.

Dominick Anella

Sworn to, before me this

day of

July

18*80*

William J. ...
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Joseph Reynolds

Taken before me, this 1 day of July 1880
Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, _____

Address, _____

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, _____

Address, _____

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Romania Janello

26 Mulberry St-2

Joseph Reynolds

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____

No. 5, by _____

Residence _____

No. 6, by _____

Residence _____

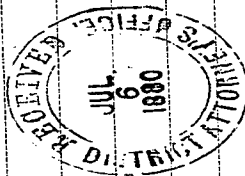
Date *July 1* 18*80*

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses _____



§ *570* to answer

at *Ward* Sessions

Received at Dist. Att'y's Office,

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That *Joseph Reynolds*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *first* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty *—* at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

*One watch of the value of three
dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Dominick Anella*
on the person of the said *Dominick Anella* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Dominick Anella* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Riley, Henry

DATE:

07/20/80



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Counsel,

Filed 20 day of July 1880

Pleads, *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Henry Riley
Defendant
vs.
People of the County of Cook

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John A. Lumber
Foreman.

Sept. 11, 1880
Sept. 14, 1880

\$105

County of Cook
County of Cook
County of Cook

v. 20 1/2

The People
 vs. Henry Riley
 Manslaughter

Court of General Sessions. Before Recorder
 In the September 14, 1880. Indictment for
 William Geraty, sworn and examined.
 I knew Joseph Jacobs. I saw Henry Riley one day
 when the boys were hallooing at him. I remember
 the night that Joseph Jacobs was hurt. I was with
 him at the time; we were both in a box, a
 packing box on a truck, near the front of the
 truck. We were both inside of the box. I was get-
 ting out; there was no one else in the box. There
 were other boys playing on the top of the box.
 What made you get out of the box? Because I
 saw him ^(Riley) pick up the rung; he went to hit
 me with it; he made a strike for me; he was
 on the back of the other truck at the time; the
 trucks were standing near each other; the box
 was in the front part of the truck and the pris-
 oner was standing on the other truck. I got on
 the top of the box and jumped off the box and
 ran home. When I went to run away he had
 the rung in his hand and went to strike
 me with it. I left Joseph Jacobs in the box. I
 did not see any more of him after that. This
 was on Van dorn St; it was between 8 and 9
 o'clock in the evening. There were four boys al-
 together playing on that truck - M. Cormick,
 Lues, Jacobs and I. The first time I ever saw
 the prisoner was one night I was standing by

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the door and the boys were hallooing at him. This was about a week before this thing happened. I think it was Wednesday when this happened. I did not hear Riley say anything before he took the cart rung; he got the rung out of the other truck; they were lying crossways; he made a strike for me and I ran away. I left Jacobs in the box. There was no horse in the truck and only one box on it; there was a half cover on the box. It was between 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening. The boys were calling the prisoner "Frank the dummy" the night I was by the door, a week before this happened. I don't know who the boys were who called him that. I did not call him that name and Jacobs did not that I know of. I did not hear any of the boys call him names at the time Jacobs was in the packing box and I was on the truck. Before I saw Riley on the night this happened the cart rungs were lying down flat - kind of slanting on both trucks, one part was on one truck and the other was on the other. I guess there were four or five rungs; they were lying there when I commenced to play there. I did not take them out of their holes and I did not see anybody take them out. I don't know why the prisoner struck at me with the rung. I did not hear anybody say anything to him that night. I did not see Riley until he had the rung in his hand; he struck

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without speaking. Did he call any boys hard name when he came for you? No sir. not that I heard. Did you hear him use this expression, "Get out of here boys," or words to that effect? No sir; the prisoner first pushed the rung and then he went to hit me with it; then he lifted it up to strike me. I run around to my own door as fast as I could; then he lifted it up and went to hit me while I was running. I will be ten years old the first of next month. Henry Murray, sworn and examined, testified. I live 195 Varick St. and at the time of this occurrence I lived at 100 Vandam St. I saw the prisoner on the evening of the 12th of June standing on the corner of Vandam and Hudson Sts. between 8 1/2 and 9 o'clock with my friend Cummings; we were attracted by the noise of a man coming down hallooing to these children on the truck. There was two children inside in the box, I believe and three outside. Then he halloed the children on the top ran away; in the mean time he got up on the back of the other truck and took a cart rung and struck the box two or three times, struck the half cover of the box. My friend and I went back on the corner and were talking, and a few minutes afterward we heard the moan of a child; we thought the child was underneath the truck. I looked on the wagon and seen no child. I heard the moan was in the box. Then we

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the door and the boys were hallooing at him. We went down we looked in the box and we saw the child lying in the box; ~~on~~ his ^{right} ~~left~~ eye was cut, he was facing us, he was lying on his ^{left} ~~right~~ side. My friend and I took him out of the box; he was all over blood; the prisoner was standing with us at the time; we told the prisoner that he hit the child and he denied it. I asked the prisoner if he hit the child with the cart rung and he said, "No." Then the prisoner took the child out of our arms and walked across the street with him; the child was not able to say anything; he was insensible. It could not be more than five minutes after I saw the blow struck that I heard the child moaning; the corner upon which my friend and I stood was I should judge 12 or 15 feet from the truck. I did not measure it though; the prisoner carried the child across the street to where his parents lived. The first I saw of the prisoner on this night was when he passed us where we were standing walking towards the children; he shouted, "Get off there Children," he only halloed once and then he got up on the back of the other truck in front of the truck on which the box was. I did not notice the last witness Willie Geratz get out of the box. I saw two children on top of the box and when the prisoner got on the end of the truck those children got off the box and ran away. I saw the prisoner take the rung in his hand

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He took it off the back of the truck he was on. I never saw the prisoner before this night; he struck the box with the rung which he held in both hands. Cross Examined. I did not see the child struck but I saw the box struck. There were five children there; two ran away and the others in the box had not time to get away; two ran away first and one afterwards. There were four or five cart rungs, I could not say exactly; the officer and I took them over afterwards to the store to look at them. The box was about three feet long; the boy's head was up against the end of the box, he was laying straight in it. The prisoner denied that he hit the boy; that was all he said. I told him he meant to hit the child with the thing; he told us it was none of our business. James Cummings swore before the Coroner, "I then saw the boy running away and walked over to the man saying, 'that he was a nice man to raise a rumpus with the boy.' That was correct. It was after I heard the blows on the packing box I heard the child moan. James Cummings, sworn and examined. I live at 89 Vandam St. and lived there on the 18th of June. I was with the last witness that evening. I never saw the prisoner before that night. I saw him on that evening. I was standing on the corner of Hudson and Vandam St. about 1/4 to nine talking to the

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Murray when all of a sudden I heard a man exclaiming to somebody behind, "Told you boys to get off here before." With that I turned round and I saw the prisoner coming down with a cart rung right on the box. I saw some boys run and walked over towards the truck and told him he was a nice man to raise a cart rung to a lot of boys like that. He made a remark I did not hit anybody. "He were" arguing for some minutes when I heard a cry. I got up on the truck and found a boy in a pool of blood in the box. I heard a moan the same as if somebody was in pain. I raised the boy out of the box with the assistance of Murray and the prisoner took the child from me and carried him over to the opposite corner where a man named Kearns carried the boy into the store to his mother; his mother kept a store on the opposite side, a grocery store, I believe. He was bleeding and he had a big cut on his forehead; he was insensible. The blows that the prisoner struck were heavy blows, I only saw him strike one blow; he brought the rung down with his two hands pretty heavy. The rung was in his hand when I saw him. I asked him what he raised the cart rung to the boys for? He says, "I did not hit anybody." Cross Examined. At the moment the

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blow was struck upon the boy were you looking in that direction? Yes sir, I was. I did not examine the box to see if there was any marks of blood on it. Was the side of the box that had the half cover on towards the prisoner or the other end? Towards the prisoner. Was the boy under that half of the box or under the half that was open? He was under the half that was open when I found him; it was light enough to see the boy in there; when I raised him out I could see what side he was on; it was dark, a $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ I should say. I should say the prisoner was about the length of the cart run from the box, about six feet or so. I saw the blow struck. My opinion was that the front end struck the boy and the other end struck the half cover. I did not notice that any part of the half cover was broken. Michael C. Donohue sworn. I am an officer of the Municipal Police 8th precinct. I arrested the prisoner on the 18th of June. I did not see the offence committed. I took the prisoner to the station house. I found him in a crowd of a couple of hundred of people. I got talking with him about striking the boy; he denied striking the boy and said he wished the cart had run over him and killed him rather than to hurt the boy. I examined the box; it was on the forward end of the truck. I did not measure the box. I should think

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It was $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet long about 3 feet wide; the cover was not broken. I found the rungs and examined them. I found no blood on them; there was blood in the bottom of the box. The District Attorney read the depositions of Drs. Schappo and Raffle as to the wounds and the cause of death. Henry Riley, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified. I was present on the corner of Vandam and Hudson Sts. on the evening of the 18th of June. I was coming from the stable on Spring St. going home to get my supper and happened to look over at the truck I was driving. There was only one rung sticking in the truck and I went across the street and saw the boys on the truck. I told them to get off there and walked towards my truck and the rungs were lying up against the box slanting. Two of the boys jumped out of the box and I struck the box with the rung not knowing there was any boy in the box. I then put the rung in the holes and walked as far as the corner then these two witnesses went up on the box and took the boy out; he could not stand and I carried him over to his mother's store. I was afterwards arrested. I only struck the box to scare them away. Mr. Babcock, the mother of the prisoner testified that he said he only struck the box to scare the boys away.

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Abner L. G. Roome testified that he knew the prisoner fifteen years and that his disposition was gentle; he was a man who would not injure anybody. Ellen Rice and Edward Jennings also testified to his good reputation for quietness.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of assault and battery.

He was sentenced to the penitentiary for one year and fined \$250.

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Jesse, Jacob and I. The first time I ever saw the prisoner was one night I was standing by

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Testimony in the case

of Henry Riley

filed July 20.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the house of *Coroner's Office*
 No. 40 East Houston Street, in the 15th Ward of the City of
 New York, in the County of New York, this 13th day of July
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty before

John H. Brady Coroner,
 of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of *Joseph*

Jacobs lying dead at
St. Vincent Hospital. Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of
sir good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and
 sworn or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said
Joseph Jacobs came to his death, do,
 upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said *Joseph Jacobs*
 came to his death by

injuries received on the 18th day of June 1880
 by the blow of a cartwheel in the hands of the
 prisoner, Henry Riley, at the corner of
 Bandam and Hudson Sts.

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition
 set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JURORS.

Peter Egan
D. N. Peters
James Dwyer
Francis Hoffman
Augustus E. Jones
Hugh M. Barton

368 E. 10th St.
 136 East 7th St.
 337-E-6 St
 348 East 11th St.
 48 Blucher St.
 127 East 40 St

John H. Brady

CORONER, E. S.

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The People of the State of New York, on the
Complaint of

vs.

List of Witnesses.

Henry Riley

NAMES.

RESIDENCE.

Officer Meachall Doudman
Henry Murray
James Cummings
William Gerety
Josephine Jacobs
John C. Schapps M.D.
W. D. Raifu M.D.

814 Police Prec't
100 Vandover St
89 " "
329 Hudson " "
330 " "
St Vincent Hospital
Coroners Office

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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Henry Riley being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to answer or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—Henry Riley

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—42 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—New York city

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—86 Charlton St.

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—Truck driver

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

I decline to answer.

Taken before me, this 13th day of July 1890

John H. Brady CORONER.

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MEMORANDUM.

AGE.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE, When Reported.
10 Years. — Months. — Days.	U. S.	St. Vincent's Hospital	July 6 th 1880

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HOMICIDE. (23)

AN INQUISTION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

James J. Smith

whereby it is found that he came to
his Death by the hands of

Henry Riley on
the 18th day of June



Original taken on 18th day
of July 1880

John W. Brady, Coroner.

Committed July 13. 1880

Quitted

Discharged

Date of death July 6. 1880

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Ind 79 1880
HOMICIDE.

AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

Joseph Jacobs

whereby it is found that he came to
his Death by the hands of

Henry Riley on
the 18th day of June

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MEMORANDUM.

AGE.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE When Reported.
10 Years. - Months. - Days.	U. S.	Dr. Vincent's Hospital July 6 th	

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Josephine Jacobs, being sworn, says: I am the mother of the deceased boy and resided at 330 Hudson St. At 8.15 P.M. on June 18th 1880 my little boy ^{was} brought home by Thomas Xenos. Before that the prisoner had him in his arms and on the corner of Hudson and Broadway St. (N.W. corner) Mrs. Xenos took the little boy away from the prisoner. The little boy was covered with blood. I detained the prisoner for some time but he finally got away from me. I then sent for two doctors. I left the boy in charge of Mrs. Nicholson and went to the stationhouse. There I was told that the child was in a dangerous condition and he was sent to St. Vincent's Hospital. I do not know what I said to the prisoner, if any thing. I was too excited to speak. I have often seen the prisoner but have never spoken to him before.

John W. Jacobs

Taken before me,
this 13th day of July 1880.

John W. Brady

CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

William ^{Gerety} affirms and says: I reside
 at 329 Hudson St. was playing with deceased
 boy on the evening of the occurrence. We were play-
 ing in an empty packing box which was on a truck
 standing on Vandam St. near the corner of Hudson.
 I did not see the prisoner before that night. Did not
 call the prisoner "Frank the Bum" nor did I
 hear on that night any other boy call out "Frank
 the Bum". Have heard the expression used by
 some of the boys on a former occasion but never
 knew whom it applied to. I did not see the prisoner
 while playing on the truck. He said "Get out of here"
 and picked up a cast-iron. I and Mc Cormick
 and another boy ran away around the corner
 into Hudson St. The prisoner pushed along
 the runny trying to hit me but I got away. The
 boy Jacobs was left in the box when I and Charlie
 Lucas of 325 Hudson St. got out. I know nothing
 further of the occurrence.

Willie Gerety

Taken before me,
 this 13th day of July 1880.

John H. Brady

CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

James Cummings, being sworn, says: I live at 89 Vandam St. Have seen deceased boy 3 or 4 times. Never saw the prisoner before this night. Was standing on S. W. Corner of Hudson and Vandam St. on June 18th between 8:30 & 9 P.M. Was talking to a friend of mine named Frank Murray and noticed some boys about the boy on the truck. Heard prisoner say: "I told you boys to get away from here". That made me turn around and face the truck. When I did so I saw the prisoner, whom I now recognize, with a carding in his hand strike the boy one blow. I then saw the boys running ^{away} and walked over to the man saying, that he was a nice man to raise a rump with the boys. I then did not know that any one had been injured. The prisoner and myself then argued for a few minutes when I heard a cry from the direction of the truck. I then got on the truck and found deceased inside of the box bleeding. I raised him a little when the prisoner took him and carried him to the N. W. corner of Vandam and Hudson St. There were no rumps in the truck the boys were on but the prisoner took the rump from another truck which was right behind the former. When I first saw the prisoner he was on the truck which he took the rump from and which I am told he drove that day.

Taken before me,
this 13th day of July 1880.

John H. Brady

CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

When I was arguing with the prisoner he said he did not know anyone. That was before we heard the cry of the boy. I thought the man was under the influence of liquor.

James Cummings

Taken before me,
this 13th day of July 1880.

John H. Brady CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Henry Murray, being sworn, says: I reside at 100 Camden St. I have heard the statement of the former witness James Cummings, and corroborate ^{it} except that I am positive that ^{the prisoner} he brought to the cart-rung down on the boy at least twice if not three times. I first saw the boy in the box lying on his right side and bleeding from a cut on the head about the left eye. Mr. Cummings and myself raised him up and the prisoner took him across to the other corner.

Henry Murray

Henry Murray, recalled: When the prisoner first spoke to the boys they seemed to run away at least those that were outside of the box. Saw the prisoner put the rung with which he struck the boy in one of the holes on the truck. I think it was the middle one and the longest one on the truck.

Henry Murray

Taken before me,
this 13th day of July 1880.

John H. Brady

CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Michael C. Donahoe, being sworn, says: I am an Officer of the S. E. Precinct, was on post on Hudson St. on the evening of June 18th when two little boys told me that Mrs. Jacobs boy got hurt on the corner of Vandam and Hudson Sts. I went there and found a large crowd of people there. Some one pointed out the prisoner as the man who had injured the boy and I made the arrest. The prisoner did not resist but the crowd seemed anxious to get him away. Took him and Mrs. Jacobs, the complainant, to the station house. Returned to the scene to investigate and found the boy in the hands of two physicians and in a dying condition. The doctors advised to send the boy to the Hospital which was done. I examined the boy on the truck, which was about 3 1/2 feet square and about half covered. Found blood on one end of the boys bottom. Saw five cartridges with no blood on either of them. Nobody pointed out a ring as the particular one which had been used by the prisoner. They were all in their proper places in the ~~wagon~~ truck behind the one that contained the boy. The half cover of the boy was towards the tail end of the one which contained the rings. *Michael C. Donahoe*

Taken before me,

this 13th day of July 1880.*John H. Brady*

CORONER.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

AN ANTE-MORTEM INQUISITION,

Taken at *St. Vincent's Hospital*

At No 11 E Street, in the *9th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, this *19th* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* before

John H. Brady Coroner,
of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of *Joseph Jacob*

at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said *was injured, do,*

upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said *Joseph Jacob* received his injuries at the hands of *Henry Riley* known to the injured boy as "*Frank, the Bum*".

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JURORS.

John H. Brady

CORONER, E. S.

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City and County of New York, ss.

Statement of *Joseph Jacobs* now lying
dangerously wounded at *St. Vincent's Hospital* in the *9th* Ward
of said City and County, on the *19th* day of *June* *1880*

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Joseph Jacobs*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*330 Hudson St.*

Question.—Do you now believe that you are about to die?

Answer.—*No*

Question.—Have you any hope of recovery from the effects of the injury you have received?

Answer.—*Yes*

Question.—Are you willing to make a true statement, how, and in what manner, you came by the injury from which you are now suffering?

Answer.—*I was playing on the street on the corner of Van-
dam and Hudson St on Friday evening at about 6.30 P.M.
Willie Savitzky, 9 years of age, who I think lives in 329 Hudson
St was with me at the time. Other boys were with us. We were
all standing at the corner and near the truck. The man who struck
me was known ^{to me} as Frank. He stood on the opposite corner. He was drunk
at the time. He is always drunk. Some of the boys called out to Frank:
"Frank the Bum" and then ran away leaving myself and Savitzky
standing on the corner. Frank then ran across the street and hit me on
the forehead a very hard blow. I don't know what the man hit me with
except what Willie Savitzky told me and he said that he hit me first
the first. After being struck I ~~do not~~ fainted and know nothing
more about it. Recognize this man—the prisoner—as the man who
struck me.*

Joseph Jacobs

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MEMORANDA.

AGE.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.
10 Years. — Months. — Days.	U. S.	St. Vincent's Hospital

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and 1885

AN ANTE-MORTEM INQUISTION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

James Smith

whereby it is found that he was
injured by Henry Bailey,
known to the jury as "Frank
the Bunch", on the
evening of June 15th 1885.

Given on the 19th day
of June 1885
before

John H. Amory, Coroner.

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And 1886
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AN ANTE-MORTEM INQUISTION

On the VIEW of the BODY of
James Jacobs
whereby it is found that he was
injured by Henry Riley,
known to the boy as "Tom
the Bunch", on the
evening of June 18th 1886.

Taken on the 19th day
of June 1886
before

John H. Brady, Coroner.

Committed
Bailed
Discharged

MEMORANDA.

AGE.	10 Years. — Months. — Days.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.
		C. J.	St. Vincent's Hospital

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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John C. Schaffs, M.D., being sworn says:
 I am House Surgeon of St Vincent's Hospital.
 On the 18th of June, 1880, at 9.50 P.M. Joseph
 Jacobs was admitted to the hospital having a compound
 comminuted, depressed fracture of the skull, located
 just above the left frontal eminence. On the
 19th of June, the depressed bone was elevated and
 removed. The dura mater ~~was~~ and brain sub-
 stance were found lacerated by a sharp edge
 of bone. Subsequent to the operation, a protrusion
 of brain substance through the opening occurred,
 and gradually increased in size. Pressure
 was used with a view to diminish it, but
 was found inadvisable and discontinued. Patient
 remained conscious and free from cerebral mental
 disturbance until July 4, when he had several
 convulsions. The protruding brain became gan-
 grenous, and clots of ~~brain~~ blood, and disinte-
 grated brain were discharged from the centre
 of the mass. Patient died July 6, 1880, at
 1 A.M.

John C. Schaffs, M.D.

Taken before me
 this 6th day of July 1880

John H. Brady

CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Mr. S. Ranp, M.D., being sworn, says: I have made an autopsy on the body of Joseph Jacobs at St. Vincent's Hospital on the 6th day of July 1880. Externally the body presented the appearance of emaciation and anaemia. On the left side of forehead I found a large wound - $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch by 1 inch in diameter - through which the brain protruded. The situation of said wound - or rather cranial opening - was just above frontal eminence of left side. On removing skull-cap the dura mater was found adherent from a point a little to the right of median fissure and completely over left hemisphere. The brain tissue of the whole left hemisphere was found in an advanced state of softening and disintegration. The dura mater was also found to adhere to the base of the skull. The heart was empty and flabby; lungs - very anaemic with a slight congestion posteriorly; liver, spleen and kidneys also presented the condition of Anaemia, but were otherwise normal.

Death in my opinion was caused by compound fracture of the skull and laceration of the brain due to the injuries received.

Mr. S. Ranp, M.D.

Taken before me
this 6th day of July 1880

Thos. H. Brady

CORONER.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

Henry Riley

late of the *eight* Ward of the *City* New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *fourth* day of
June in the year of our Lord and *one*
seventy-eight at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon

Joseph Jacobs

in the peace of the People of the State then and there being, wilfully and
feloniously did make an assault.

And that he the said *Henry Riley*

him the said *Joseph Jacobs*
with a certain *cartrung*
which he the said *Henry Riley*

in his right hand then and there had and held *him*
the said *Joseph Jacobs* in and upon the *head*
of *him* the said *Joseph Jacobs*
then and there wilfully and feloniously, did strike, stab, cut and wound, giving
unto *him* the said *Joseph Jacobs*
then and there with the *cartrung*

aforesaid, in and upon the *head*
of *him* the said *Joseph Jacobs* one mortal wound of
the breadth of *two* inches and of the depth of *one* inch - of which
said mortal wound *he* the said *Joseph Jacobs*
at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, from the day first aforesaid, in the year
aforesaid, until the *sixth day of July*
in the same year aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, and on which
sixth day of *July*

in the year aforesaid, the said *Joseph Jacobs* at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say that *he* the said

Henry Riley *him*

the said *Joseph Jacobs* in the manner and form, and by
the means aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, on the day and the
year aforesaid, wilfully and feloniously, did kill and slay 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Riley, Martin

DATE:

07/13/80



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Dear Mother
 I hope you are well.
 I am very well.
 Love her and all.
 Your mother
 Mary

P. C. Bod. Jr.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

FORM 89 1/2

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of *Amie Robinson*
Grammar School No. 28 West 20th Street near *the*
 being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the *9* day of *July* 1880

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

the following property, to wit:

*A Pocket Book contain-
 ing good and lawful money viz
 One National Bank Bill of the
 denomination of Five Dollars—
 Two Bills of the denomination of
 One dollar each and Silver Nickel
 and Copper Coins in all*

of the value of *Eight 33/100* Dollars,

the property of *deponent and David G. Robinson*

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

*Martin Riley (now
 here) for the reasons following that
 deponent felt the hand of some
 person in the pockets of the Saque
 then worn by ^{deponent} and containing said
 property—Deponent was inform-
 ed by Henry Shook that he Shook
 found the said property in the posses-
 sion of said deponent and as set
 forth in the affidavit of the said
 Shook*

Amie Robinson
mark

Sworn to before me, this

of *July*

1880

day

J. M. M. M.
 Police Justice.

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City and County
of New York

Henry Shook of No. 440 West 33
being duly sworn says on the 9th
day of July 1840 defendant heard
an alarm and saw Martin Riley
the within named defendant coming
from the direction where defendant
saw the within named complainant
standing in West 33rd street and pursued
and caught said defendant and found
in his possession the property named
in the within complaint

Henry Shook
Sworn to before me this
9th day of July 1840

Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

Martin Riley

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

Thirteen years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

Kingston - New York

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

Fifty eighth street

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

work in a flax mill

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

Answer.—

I am guilty of the charge

Martin Riley

Taken before me, this

day of

1880

Police Justice.

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Form 804

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James O. Clinton
Grammar School 28 Dr 146 St

Martin Riley

DATED *July 9th* 1880

Robert H. Lawrence MAGISTRATE.

Lawrence OFFICER.

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WITNESS:

Henry Shook

440 Dr 33 St

Wm Garrison

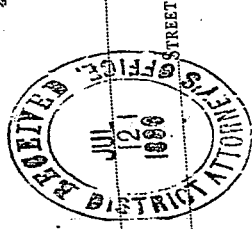
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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } HB.

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

That *Martin Riley*

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

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

~~One Divers Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomina-
tion of five dollars and of the value of five dollars,
to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot
now be given, of the value of~~

~~Divers Due Bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Fractional Currency, of a number and
denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of
which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid un-
known, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

One dollar and thirty three cents

~~Two Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of a number
denomination of one dollar and of the value of one dollar,
and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of
each -
which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

~~Two Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomina-
tion of one dollar and of the value of one dollar each
to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot
now be given, of the value of~~

One pocket book of the value of fifty cents

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Annie Robinson*
on the person of the said *Annie Robinson* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Annie Robinson* 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.
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Martin Riley
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have
been feloniously stolen), against the form of the Statute in such case made and pro-
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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

Martin Riley

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

~~One Divers Promissory Note~~ for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as ^aUnited States Treasury Note, of ~~a number~~
~~denomination of five dollars and of the value of five dollars~~ ^{the} ~~and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of~~
~~which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

~~One Divers Promissory Note~~ for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as ^aBank Note, of ~~a number and denomina~~
~~tion of five dollars and of the value of five dollars~~ ^{the denomination}

~~One Divers Promissory Note~~ for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as ^aUnited States Treasury Note, of ~~a number~~
~~denomination of one dollar and of the value of one dollar~~ ^{the} ~~and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of~~
~~which cannot now be given, of the value of~~

~~One Divers Promissory Note~~ for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as ^aBank Note, of ~~a number and denomina~~
~~tion of one dollar and of the value of one dollar~~ ^{the denomination} ~~and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot~~

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid un-
known, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

one dollar and thirty three cents

One pocketbook of the value of fifty cents

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

Annie Robinson

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

Annie Robinson

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

Martin Riley

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have
been feloniously stolen), against the form of the Statute in such case made and pro-
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Roesch, Joseph

DATE:

07/01/80



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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Roesch.

Felony Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. D. Dwyer
Foreman.

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On the 28th day of June 1880 at Second Avenue between 74 and 75th Street in the night time one Joseph Roesch made a felonious assault upon ~~William~~ ^{321 East 74th St} William Dannenberg, with a piece of Gas Pipe filled with lead and struck Dannenberg upon his head with the Gas Pipe and injured him very badly, so much so that Dannenberg was confined to his house for over two weeks.

Several witnesses were present at the time of the assault - viz
 August Fleischer 315 East 74th St
 F. Hildebrandt 313 East 74th St
 Herman Ehlers 125 Stanton Street
 Borgman Bäcker 1428 - 2^d Avenue
 This last witnesses formed victim not used by assailant.

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William Dunnington

321 E. 74th St.

OS
Joseph Koesch

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That *Joseph Roesch*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
twenty-eighth day of *June* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *eighty*, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *William Dannenberg*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and *him* the said *William Dannenberg*
with a certain *piece of pipe*
which the said *Joseph Roesch*

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 *him* the said *William Dannenberg*
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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said *Joseph Roesch*
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *William Dannenberg*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an
assault and *him* the said *William Dannenberg*
with a certain *piece of iron* which the said *Joseph Roesch*

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 *him* the said *William Dannenberg*
do bodily harm unto *him* the said *William Dannenberg*
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.

THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-
said, the said *Joseph Roesch*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of *William Dannenberg*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another
assault and *him* the said *William Dannenberg*
with a certain *piece of iron*
which the said *Joseph Roesch*

in *his* right
hand then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,
and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death
of *him* the said *William Dannenberg* with intent *him* the

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said *William Danenberg* 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

Joseph Roesch with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *William Danenberg* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make another assault and *him* the said *William Danenberg* with a certain piece of iron which the said *Joseph Roesch* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *William Danenberg* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

Filed day of *July* 1880
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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Roesch

Felonious Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Edw. J. Sullivan
Foreman.

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Rooney, Ann

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vs.

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Ann Rooney

Felony Assault and Battery.

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A True Bill.

J. H. Phelps
Foreman.
July 9. 1880.
Discharged.

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Form

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

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

Dennis Rooney
of No. *60 West Broadway* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *25* day of *June* 18*80*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and
beaten by *Ann Rooney*

now present.
*who did strike deponent one violent blow
on the head the sharp side of a drawing knife
(here shown) causing a painful wound*

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be ~~apprehended~~ and dealt with accord-
ing to law.

Sworn to, before me, this

day of

June 25
1880
W. L. Morgan
Police Justice.

D Rooney

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Police Court—First District.

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

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Am Rooney

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

50 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

60 West Broadway

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Housekeeper.

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

here preferred against you?

Answer.

I did not strike him —
I tried with to him & never
knew that he was in
here —
Am Rooney

Taken before me, this

day of

June 1886

Police Justice.

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shall consider all this
and also I wish to state
that it has been an ~~error~~
Case. I have been of late
diminishing my hand and am
neglected by business and
home to which an extent
that I must have made
for purely temporary in
for she has been a good
wife and mother and job
if treated properly to take
care of my bank
My money has not been
very bad in the delinquent
business troubled me much
At now I am feeling
much better.

Yours Truly
Honorable Sir
You will grant my request
and I am your obedient servant
Dennis Rooney

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

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Homestead, N.Y.
July 11/82

To the Hon.
District Attorney
New York City

Sir: Being the complainant
in the case of Mrs. Corney
and also her husband.

I desire through your
honors to withdraw the charges
having been in peace and
harmony for nearly 2 years
and also having the father
of many children (most of the
dear, etc) being the mother
of them, & do respectfully
request that your honor

Ans. found
July 2nd 1882

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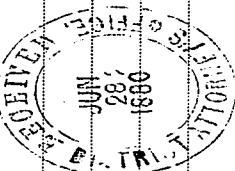
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Police Court—First District.

AFIDAVIT—Felonious Assault & Battery

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Dennis Rooney
60 West Broadway
N.Y.C.

Ann Rooney



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No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

Dated, *25 June 1880*

Morgan Magistrate.

Cullen Officer.

5 Pres Clerk.

Witnesses,

§ *1111* to answer

at General Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's Office, *CM*

COUNSEL

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That *Ann Rooney*
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
twenty fifth day of *June* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *eighty* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Dennis Rooney*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and *her* the said *Dennis Rooney*
with a certain *knife*
which the said *Ann Rooney*
in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound
with intent *her* the said *Dennis Rooney*
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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said *Ann Rooney*
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Dennis Rooney*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an
assault and *her* the said *Dennis*
with a certain *knife* which the said
Ann Rooney in *her* right hand, then and there
had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, wilfully
and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat,
strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously
do bodily harm unto *her* the said *Dennis Rooney*
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.

THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-
said, the said *Ann Rooney*
with force and arms, in and upon the body of *Dennis Rooney*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another
assault and *her* the said *Dennis Rooney*
with a certain *knife*
which the said *Ann Rooney* in *her* right
hand then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,
and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death
of *her* the said *Dennis Rooney* with intent *her* the

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said *Dennis Rooney* 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *Ann Rooney*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Dennis Rooney* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make another assault and *kill* the said *Dennis Rooney* with a certain *knife* which the said *Ann Rooney* in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *Dennis Rooney* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman

July 9, 1880

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