

3 gold studs and an  
elegant button of the  
value of ten dollars  
one pin. Eleven buttons  
of the value of fifteen  
dollars. ~~The~~ Princeton  
Railroad Ticket is  
issued by the New York  
Central & N. H. R. R. Co.  
for \$4.00 between  
Princeton and New  
York worth \$3.00 —  
were then taken and  
carried away. That  
he believes said Cull  
guilty of the offense  
charged from the  
fact that the de-  
fendant saw a man es-  
caping from the pris-  
ons, pursued him  
but did not overtake  
him. That he dis-  
covered that the house,  
which was fastened  
the night before, had  
been broken into as  
aforesaid and that the



property mentioned  
has been taken away  
That on or about the  
15 September Cull  
was arrested, and on  
being searched cer-  
tain of the aforesaid  
Railroad Tickets were  
found in his possession  
and a striking card  
Cull's front which  
department identified  
as his own, which ar-  
ticles were taken from  
him by Officers Hickey  
of the Central Detection  
Office and Capt. Man-  
gus of the York Police.

Wm. R. Hughes



People  
Geo. E. Cull  
Dunplany  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Co. 2<sup>nd</sup> Regt.)

Applicant  
of R. R. P. 1300

Whitman:  
Thos. H. Hickey  
Carr. & Office  
J. H. Carter  
33 & 1<sup>st</sup> Ave.  
Capt. Manning  
Yorker



# Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against  
George Eull

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

of the CRIME OF

committed as follows:

The said

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

on the eighth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one with force and arms, about the hour of four o'clock in the night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one

Percy R. Pyne within the said dwelling-house, he, the said

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

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

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

of the CRIME OF

committed as follows:

The said

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, about the hour of four o'clock in the night time of said day, the said

Two pairs Eyeglasses of the value of Seventy-eight dollars. One pair Spectacles of the value of fifteen dollars. Three Railway Passports tickets of the value of twenty cents each of the goods, chattels, and personal property of

in the said dwelling house of one

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.



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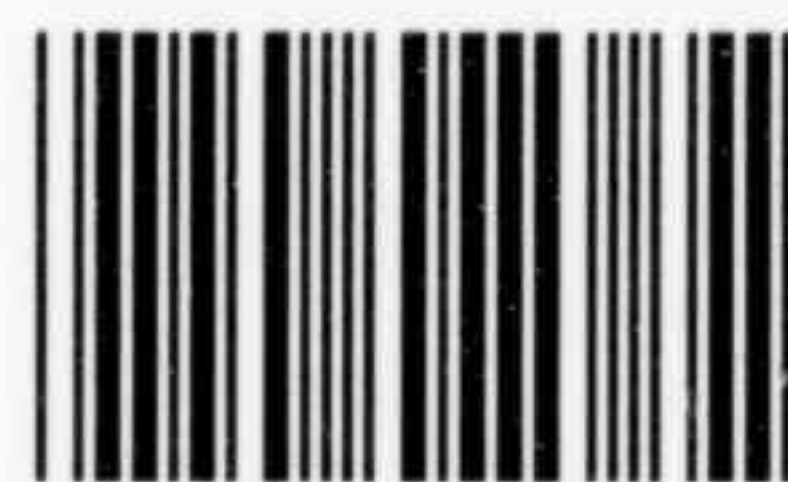
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DESCRIPTION:

Fagan, James

DATE:

09/13/81



543



Witness:  
William Eaton:

*W. C. Phillips*  
Counsel, *H. C. Jeph* 188  
Filed 13 day of  
Pleads *Not guilty (H)*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
James Far  
113-114  
gain  
How at Ten from same  
conducted before  
INDICTMENT.  
LARCHENY.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHILIPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. C. Phillips* Foreman.

*Sup 22. 1881.*

*Quid convicted.*  
*Pen 5 months*



The People

James Fagan

Court of General Sessions, Part First.  
Before Judge Cowing. Sept. 22. 1881.

Indictment for petty larceny.

William Eaton, sworn and examined, testified.

You are the complainant? Yes sir. In the shoe  
business? Yes sir. At 313 Hudson St.? Yes sir.

Do you know the prisoner? I have seen him before.

Did you see him some day in this month in  
your store? Yes sir. That day was it? I saw him  
there on the Saturday night that I had him ar-  
rested. When was that? It is two weeks ago last  
Saturday night. Tell us what you saw? He camein the store about half past eight o'clock, I think  
it was in the evening and took a seat in the  
centre of the store just about. There was a num-  
ber of customers in at the time and I was  
engaged. That is a busy night with you? Yes sir,  
Saturday night. While I was engaged with acustomer on one side of the store the sales-  
man was waiting on a man that sat along  
side of him (the prisoner) they appeared to be  
together; they came in together, and this man  
(the prisoner) deliberately got up from his  
seat and went to the drawer, pulled it open  
and took out a pair of shoes and looked  
at them. While the salesman went to the  
back part of the store to wrap up a pair of  
shoes he put them into his coat. I <sup>saw</sup> ~~asked~~



him, and I caught him by the collar of the coat. I asked him what he was doing with those shoes? He said he was only fooling; he had got to the door with the shoes at the time. Had you seen him in your store before that? I had about a year ago. He came in my store and took out two or three pair of shoes. [Counsel. Object.] What were the shoes worth? They were worth two dollars and a half; that is the selling price. Part of your stock? Yes sir; he did not ask to buy the shoes. Cross Examined. That time of the evening was it? About eight or half past eight o'clock. He had not been sitting more than two or three minutes before he got up and took the shoes; he took the shoes out of the drawer; the drawer was not already drawn out. I saw him take them. I was not more than ten feet from him at the time. There were probably five people in the store at the time; my salesman did not have a conversation with the prisoner. I saw the prisoner outside the door and knew the man who took the shoes a year ago. I had seen the prisoner twice before, I had only talked to him once. My store is about forty feet deep and about fifteen wide. I was on the north side of the store and he sat on the south side when he took the shoes. He had gone clean out to the door when I caught him; he was



right by the door. I have been in the shoe business 21 years and during all that time I never saw a customer take hold of a pair of shoes without asking my permission unless they intended to steal them and I caught people doing that before.

James Fagan, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified, I live at 246 Perry St. Have you ever been arrested before? Never, I am in this country since 1835 and never have been arrested or been in a station house before. I served four years in the army under the command of Capt. Allen. I was told he is now in the Navy yard at Brooklyn. I live at 246 Perry St. I think, it is near Bleeker St. I am only living there about a year. I am sure my house is within three or four doors of Bleeker St. in Perry. I had no intention of taking the shoes out of the house, I would not take them anyhow. This man (the complainant) tried to persuade me to buy the shoes. There was one pair hanging outside the drawer, I took them up and looked at them like that and walked over. I never put them under my coat. I want you to tell your story to the jury in your own way? This man swore that I took them out of the drawer, and one of the shoes hung out of the drawer



and the other lay on the shelf. I picked them up and began to look at them. He said, "If you want to buy them, you must buy them." I said, "I don't want any; neither I did." He says, "You made an offer to steal them." I said, "No, I did not." He said, "Yes, you had them under your coat." I never had them nearer my coat than that. I began to feel them what kind of stuff they were. He comes running round and said, "I must buy those shoes." I did not want them; he said they were in the drawer but they were not. How far did you go with the shoes from the place where you got them? I stood in the same spot where they were. I began to handle them. He (the complainant) swore a lie when he says that the shoes were in the drawer and that I had them under my coat. I was just feeling the shoes for fun to see what quality they were. I had about forty dollars. I worked on the White Star line west Ninth St. I got paid, I had it in my watch pocket. James Tringle sworn. I arrested the prisoner, took him to the station house and searched him there. Did you find anything? Objected to. Question withdrawn. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty. He was sent to the penitentiary for five months.



Testimony in the case  
James C. Japan  
filed Sept. 1881



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

Police Court--Second District.

*William Eaton 45 yrs Storekeeper*  
 of No *313 Hudson* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
 and says, that on the ~~Wednesday~~ day of *Sept* 1881  
 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, to wit: *One pair of shoes*

of the value of *Two 50/100* 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

*James Fagan (now here) from the fact  
 that deponent saw said Fagan who  
 came into his store take the said shoes  
 from a drawer in said store and put  
 them under his coat and start to  
 go out of the store when deponent  
 arrested him.*

*Wm Eaton*

Subscribed before me, this

*Sept 11* day }  
 1881

*John Smith*  
 Police Justice.



CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*James Jagan* 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 Jagan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Sixty three years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*246 Pearl St four months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*I work on the White Star Dock*

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 only took the shoes in my hand to look at them. I had no intention of stealing the shoes*

*James Jagan*  
his mark

Taken before me, this

*4th*

day of

*Sept*

188*1*

*Solomon Smith*  
Police Justice.



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Police Court-- 2d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Edwin  
313 Hudson St  
James Fagan

Offence, *Petty Larceny*

Dated

*Sept 4*

1881

Magistrate.

*Smith*

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

*Committed*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

*Englino has been*

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named *James Fagan*

guilty thereof, I order that he <sup>*held to answer the same and be*</sup> be admitted to bail in the sum of *Three* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *Sept 4* 1881

*Solow R 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.



843  
Police Court--2d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Eaton  
313 Hudson St  
James Fagan

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated

Sept 4

1881

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

Committed

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

*James Fagan*

*Order to answer the complaint and be admitted to bail in the sum of \$1000*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Five* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

*Sept 4*  
Dated 1881

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1881  
Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated 1881  
Police Justice.



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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

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

committed as follows:

The said

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

*Two shoes of the  
value of one dollar  
each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*William Eaton*

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.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS~~, District Attorney.



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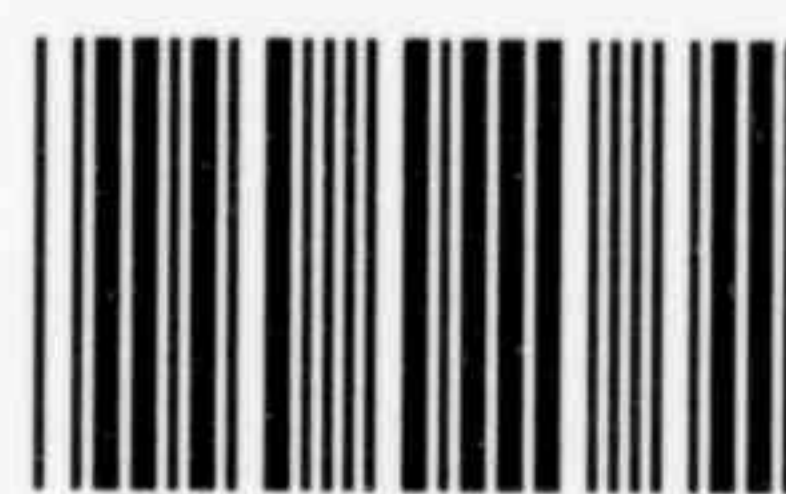
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File, John

DATE:

09/09/81



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Grottian, Charles

DATE:

09/09/81



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Witness:

Henry Sommerink:

Counsel, *Robert J. [unclear]*

Filed *Sept* 188

Pleas *Not guilty (12)*

THE PEOPLE

*19. 136 out of 100*

vs.

*John F. [unclear]*  
*Charles [unclear]*

ROBBERY--First Degree.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

*Part in Sept 14. 1881.*  
*No 1 tried & convicted Oct 9. 19.*  
*No 2 acquitted. sum. to try.*  
**A True Bill.**

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*For [unclear]*



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

To Honorable Frederick Smythe  
Recorder.

We the undersigned Jurors on whose  
verdict John Fille was heretofore in this  
Court Convicted of assault and Battery  
respectfully ask your Honor to extend  
the utmost leniency and clemency to him

We believe him to have been a young  
man of good character and one who  
heretofore has never been charged with  
the perpetration of any crime.

Under these circumstances we most  
respectfully suggest that the imposition  
of a fine on Fille would equally subserve  
the interests of Justice as the disgrace of  
imprisonment, feeling that the conviction  
in itself is a lesson to the Prisoner which  
will guide him in the path of proper conduct  
in the future.

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887

Edward V. Mack Foreman  
Isaac H. Lewin  
Globe Tousey  
Louis Fisher



Leopold Wolf  
Philipp Heiden  
Aaron Reichenberger  
David Chittell



my General Sessions

The People  
against  
John Hill

At Boston



Police Court--Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

Henry Pommeriucki

of No. 515 West-38<sup>th</sup>

Street,

being duly sworn, deposeth and saith that on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of August  
1881, at the Seventeen

Ward of the City of New York, in

the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of  
deponent, by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property,  
viz.:

Good and lawful moneys consisting of  
Two National Bank bills each of  
the value of one dollar and both

of the value of

two

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 force and violence as aforesaid, by

John Fife and Charles Grottau

both now here and two other persons not  
arrested from the fact that at about the  
hour of twelve A.M. on said day while  
deponent was standing on the side walk  
in Ludlow street between Houston and  
Stanton streets in said city, one of  
said unknown persons came up to him  
in company with the other three persons  
and said to him, "have you got a license  
to sell goods in this city?" I told them I  
had a license, and immediately there after  
all four of said defendants assaulted and  
beat by striking deponent with their hands



Knocking him down on the street  
that when deponent was lying in said  
position, he felt his pockets being rifled  
by said defendants, of the property described  
aforesaid.

Deponent further says that the said  
money so stolen was in the left hand pocket  
of the Pantaloon then and there worn by  
deponent as a part of his bodily clothing  
at the time he was so assaulted and robbed  
and he then for charges <sup>that</sup> the said defendants  
did by force and violence and against his  
will feloniously assault and rob him and  
he then for asks that the said defendants  
be held to answer and dealt with  
according to law.

Henry J. J. J. J. J.

Sworn to before me this  
15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1881

Manif. Over

Police Justice

Police Court—Third District.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—ROBBERY.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:



Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John Fille* 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 *he* states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—

*John Fille*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

*19 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

*New York City*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

*136 Suffolk Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

*Peddler*

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

Answer.—

*I am not guilty*

*John Fille*

Taken before me, this

15<sup>th</sup>  
day of

August 1877

Police Justice.

*Wm J. Conner*



Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY)  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Charles Grottian*

being duly examined before the under-  
signed, 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.—

*Charles Grottian*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

*17 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

*New York City*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

*No. 136 Eldredge Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

*Peddler*

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

charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—

*I am not guilty  
Charles, Grottian*

Taken before me, this

day of

1887

Police Justice.

*Charles J. Jones*



POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry P. Sommerucki  
515 W 38th St

1 John F. Le 13

2 Charles Grotliam

3

4

Dated August 15th 1881

Magistrate,  
Maudie Power

Officer,  
Mace

Clerk,  
10th Reinel

Witnesses,

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

§ to answer Committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

Law

BAILED,

No. 1, by James Campbell

Residence 82 Center Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.





# Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

John File  
Charles Grottian

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
John File and Charles Grottian  
of the CRIME OF Robbery

committed as follows:

The said John File and Charles Grottian, each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the eleventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~at the Ward, City and County~~ aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Henry Pommerinke in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ~~two~~ 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: ~~two~~ 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: ~~two~~ 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: ~~two~~ 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: ~~two~~ 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: ~~two~~ coins, (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: ~~two~~ coins, (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each: ~~two~~ coins, (of the kind known as five-cent pieces), of the value of five cents each:

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 the denomination of fifty cents each and of the marketable value of fifty cents each:

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 the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each:

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 the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each:

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

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

Henry Pommerinke

from the person of said Henry Pommerinke and against the will, and by violence to the person of the said Henry Pommerinke then and there violently and feloniously did rob, 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.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.



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DESCRIPTION:

Fisher, Philip

DATE:

09/15/81



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Agts for the office  
it is explained  
doubtful that he  
bore the possibility  
feloniously - the  
property was given  
to him to  
transport in his  
wagon. the bags  
were given  
that he placed it  
in his pocket for  
safe keeping  
The explanation  
appears to be correct

FD

Sept 22 1881  
Counsel  
Filed 15 day of Sept 1881  
Pleads Not Guilty

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Philip Fisher

DANIEL C ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

D. W. Apper Foreman.  
Sept. 22. 1881.  
Resch. J. C.



## DISTRICT POLICE COURT—

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.*Israel Davis*of No. *35 Riego*

Street.

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

*6th*day of *September* 1881

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.:

*One piece of Hoisted Binding of the value  
of Sixty cents*the property of *Schiff & Baum* and in care and  
charge of deponent as a Manufacturer of Clothing  
for said *Schiff & Baum*

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 *Phillip Fischer (now here)* from*the fact that deponent found said property  
concealed in the pocket of the coat, of  
said Fischer**At Davis*

Sworn before me this

6th day of September 1881

POLICE JUSTICE.







867  
Police Court - 2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Davis  
35 Ridge St -  
No. 1, by

Phillip Fischer

Offence, Petit Larceny

Dated Sept 6 188 /

Murray Magistrate.

W. J. 13 Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses by Solomon

No. 31 Ridge St.

No. Street.

No. Street.

Courtsittell

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street,

No. 2, by

Residence Street,

No. 3, by

Residence Street,

No. 4, by

Residence Street,

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Phillip Fischer

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

Dated Sept 6 188 /

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.



Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Davis  
35 Ridge St--  
Philip Fischer

Offence,

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Dated

Sept 6

Magistrate.

Murray

Officer.

Maquie 13

Clerk.

Witnesses

Mr Salomon  
No. 31 Ridge St

Street.

Street.

Street.

Committed

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed,  
and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

Charles Davis and Philip Fischer  
guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of One Hundred Dollars  
and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

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I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

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There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated



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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

*Philip Fisher* <sup>against</sup>

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

*Philip Fisher*

of the crime of

*Larceny*

committed as follows:

The said

*Philip Fisher*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*21st* day of *September* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid  
with force and arms,

*One piece of worsted binding of  
the value of sixty cents  
Thirty yards of worsted binding of  
of the value of two cents each  
yard*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Ansel Davis*

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



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

*Philip Fisher*  
of the CRIME OF *receiving stolen goods*

committed as follows:  
The said

*Philip Fisher*

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 piece of worsted binding of  
the value of sixty cents  
Thirty yards of worsted binding  
of the value of two cents each  
yard*

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

*Ansel Davis*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

*Ansel Davis*

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

*Philip Fisher*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
~~taken and carried away~~ 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.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.



BOX:

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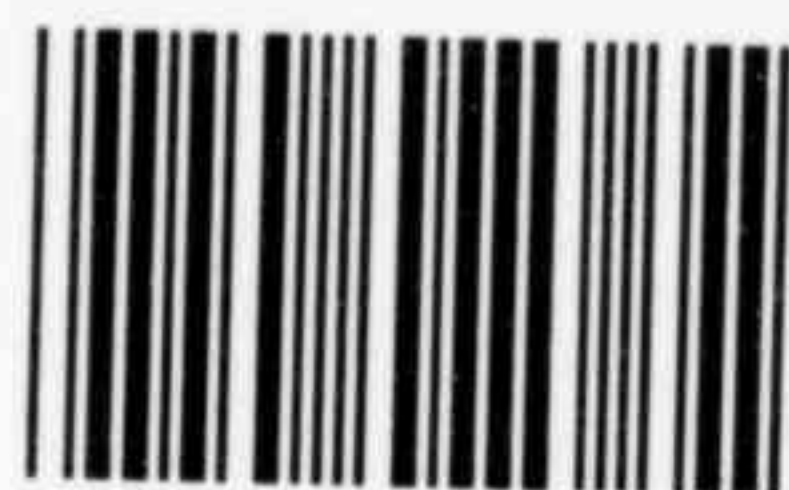
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DESCRIPTION:

Flannery, Michael

DATE:

09/29/81



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Witness:  
Michael Cronin:  
Off. James M. Mury.

Det. M.

Counsel,

Filed 29 day of Sept 1881

Pleads Art & ally, Co.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Flannery

INDICTMENT.

Larceny from the person.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. Carter Jr.

City M. Foreman.

James D. L. per.  
S. P. Two years & 6 m.



*Just*

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. *59 Broadway* Street

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *26* day of *September* 188*1*  
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:

*one silver watch &  
brass chain all of the value  
of ten 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 *Michael Flannery now*

*present. That as deponent was  
passing along Wall Street at about  
six o'clock P.M. the defendants approached  
him & asking what time it was suddenly  
snatched the chain & jerked the watch  
from deponent's vest pocket and then  
ran away with said watch & chain. That  
he was pursued by Officer Mulvey and  
arrested in Front Street and at the Station*



Sworn to before me this  
27<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1881  
J. H. Wilketh  
District Justice

the Watch Key here shown which  
deponent identifies as the one attached  
to his watch chain was found  
on the floor of the Station house  
quite close to where the defendant  
stood. as deponent is informed  
& believes Michael Cronin

City & County of New York James Mulvey  
of the 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct being sworn  
says that he saw the defendant  
running pursued by the complainant  
who shouted stop thief deponent then  
joined in the chase & arrested the  
defendant in front street That after  
reaching the station house the watch  
key here shown was found on the  
floor close to where the defendant  
stood

Sworn to before me this James Mulvey  
27<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1881  
J. H. Wilketh  
District Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION



CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*First* DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Michael Flannery* 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 waiven cannot be used  
against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Michael Flannery*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*This City*

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

Answer.

*89 Water Street & about 7 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Janitor*

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 was in a hurry to  
catch a boat & was running  
for that purpose when I was  
arrested*

Taken before me, this

day of

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*29* *Michael Flannery*  
*Sept* *may*

*J. J. Williams*  
Police Justice



Police Court *First* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Michael Corwin*  
*39 Broadway*

*Michael Flannery*

*Carney from person*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated

*Sept 27*

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*William* Magistrate.

*James Mulvey* Officer.

*John* Clerk.

Witnesses

*Call the Officer*

No. Street.

No. Street.

*8/100 to am. G. d.*  
*Corwin*

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 *Michael Flannery*

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *10* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *Sept 27* 188

*John* 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.



Police Court First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Cronin  
39 Broadway

Michael Flannery

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

\$1000 to ans. G. d.

C. Cronin

Police Justice.

188

Dated

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There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Police Justice.

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Dated

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I have admitted the above named

Police Justice.

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Dated

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Hundred Dollars

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of

mitted to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed,

Michael Flannery



New York Oct 4<sup>th</sup> 1881

This is to certify that

Michael Flanagan has been in my service for a long time and I have always found him to be honest & truthful and a very quiet harmless boy around me.

Mr Alfred Grant

Janitor of

112 Wall St  
city



**RICHMOND'S**

**PHARMACY**

English Patent Medicines,

MEDICINE CHESTS AND CABINETS FURNISHED AND RE-FITTED.

PHYSICIANS PRESCRIPTIONS A SPECIALTY.

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WALL STREET

**NEW YORK.**

NEAR

SOUTH STREET.

John Wilson 42 South Street New York



This is to certify that  
Michael Flannery has been  
in my employ. and as  
far as I know has been  
honest and faithfully  
and the chief support  
of his aged mother.  
H. Rickman



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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

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

*Michael Flannery*  
*Michael Flannery*  
of the crime of  
*Harcey from the person*  
committed as follows:  
The said *Michael Flannery*

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

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

*One watch of the value of nine dollars*  
*One chain of the value of one dollar*

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

~~DANIEL G. ROLLINS,~~  
~~BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.~~



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

*Michael Mannery*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN Goods, committed as follows:

The said

*Michael Mannery*  
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 watch of the value of nine dollars*  
*One chain of the value of one dollar*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*Michael Brown*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

*Michael Brown*  
unlawfully, unjustly, did feloniously receive and have the said

*Michael Mannery*  
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have  
been feloniously stolen, taken and carried 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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.