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DESCRIPTION:

Packer, Mary

DATE:

02/12/83



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Counsel,
Filed / Day of *St. Eby* 1883
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Ernest Sadler
Grand Larceny, *second* degree, and
Receiving Stolen Goods.

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.
M. W. St. Eby
Foreman.
Part 2. Filed 17. 1883
Tried and acquitted

0538

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Mary Baker

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

Mary Baker

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said Mary Baker

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the second day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms one dress of the value of fifty dollars of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Charles B. Miller and one other dress of the value of fifty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Rebecca

Shirley

then and there being found, then and there

feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and

their dignity.

John McKeon

District Attorney

Walled room stairs

Rebecca says she saw her take

her shoes out - bundle -

upstairs saw her throwing

something out from the

bundle.

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. 29

New York, February 5 1883.

Captain Williams

29 "Precinct."

Sir! Mary Packer has boarded with Mrs. Stewart No. 608 - Sixth St., these last 3 months; she paid \$3.50. pr. week and advertised from there when she was out of place. Her trunk is there still. She has had good references from the following people, with whom she formerly worked.

Judge Whiting, Spuyten Duyvel, (15 months)

Mrs. Dixon No. 636 Fifth St. (13 months)

R. P. Charles No. 66 East 55th St. (1 month)

Mrs. C. H. Henry, Stamford, (2 weeks)

Mrs. E. E. Perry No. 255 West 23rd St. (6 months)

To-day a messenger from the 57th St. Police Court called for her Bank-book. Mrs. Stewart who has lived there for a number of years and bears a good reputation, speaks in the highest terms of Mary Packer.

Respectfully

Mase F. Schmittberger

Detective 29 "Precinct."

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Moved

DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of the large brown stone building in Chambers Street, near the new Court-house in the Park.
When you arrive at the witness-room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GRAND JURY OF THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People of the State of New York

To *Carlotta A. Bogart*

of No. *260* *St* *121* Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the Park, in the City of New York, on the *23* day of *June* inst, at the hour of 10½ in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and to give evidence before the GRAND JURY, touching a certain complaint then and there pending against

Edward St. Clair

And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *June* in the year of our Lord 188*7*.

JOHN McKEON, *District Attorney.*

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Annie Wilkening

aged 28 years, occupation Nurse of No.

266 Lexington Ave ^{New York City} Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Mr Chas P. Miller

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

Sworn to before me, this 3^d
day of February 1883

} Annie Wilkening

Arthur White
Police Justice.

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BAILED.

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court - 4

District - 8

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry R. Miller
266 Lexington St.

Mary Packer

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Offence *Grand Larceny*

Dated *Feb 3* 188*3*

A. J. White Magistrate.
Stuart Cowan Officer.

21 Precinct.

Witnesses *Ann M. McKim*

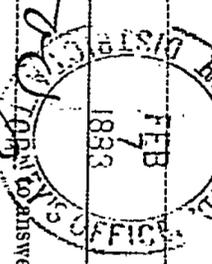
No. *266* *Lexington St.*

Maria *Stuart*

No. *266* *Lexington St.*

No. _____ 188*3*
Street, *St. J.*

John



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

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

Dated *Feb 3* 188*3* *Andrew J. White* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?
Answer. Mary Packer

Question. How old are you?
Answer. 22 Years

Question. Where were you born?
Answer. Ireland

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?
Answer. 266 Lexington Ave New York

Question. What is your business or profession?
Answer. Laundress

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
into guilty of the charge Mary
packer

Taken before me this 3

day of February 1888

Charles J. Smith
Police Justice.

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District Police Court, ?

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } SS

Grace R. Miller
Mrs. Chas. P. Miller

of No. *266 Lexington Avenue* New York City

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *2^d* day of *February* 1883

at the *Said house No. 266 Lexington Avenue* City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, *attempted to be*

the following property, viz:

Two silk dresses of the value
of One Hundred Dollars \$100.⁰⁰

Sworn before me this

3

day of

February
1883

the property of *Mrs. Chas. P. Miller, and*
Rebecca Rippe

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 *Mary Pecker (Nowhere)*

The dresses were taken from the 3^d story of
No. 266 Lexington Avenue. They were carried down
by the woman who attempted to go out of the
basement down with them, but was stopped
by one of Mrs. Miller's nurses, Matilda Haase.
Another nurse then saw her go into the front
basement and undo the bundle, and the
dresses were then found in the room, where
she had thrown them in a clothes basket.

Grace R. Miller

Andrew J. ...

POLICE JUSTICE.

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DESCRIPTION:

Peirce, Albert

DATE:

02/14/83



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W. J. ...
Counsel

F. J. ...
19th Floor

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Counsel,
Filed 14 day of Feb 1883
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

[Signature]
Wm. R. S. ...
Adrian
Robertson

General Larceny, Burglary, and ...

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.

[Signature]
Foreman.
Feb 15 1883
[Signature]
Feb 20 1883

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Albert R. Peice
otherwise called
Roberts

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Albert R. Peice, otherwise
called Roberts

of the CRIME OF Petit Larceny committed as follows:

The said Albert R. Peice, otherwise
called Roberts

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
twenty ninth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms
one promissory note for the payment of
money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, of the kind
known as United States Treasury notes
of the denomination and of the value of
five dollars, one promissory note for the
payment of money, the same being then
and there due and unsatisfied, of the
kind known as Bank notes, of the
denomination and of the value of five
dollars, three promissory notes for the
payment of money, the same being then
and there due and unsatisfied, of the
kind known as United States Treasury notes
of the denomination and of the value
of two dollars each, six promissory notes
for the payment of money, the same being
then and there due and unsatisfied, of
the kind known as Bank notes, of the
denomination and of the value of one
dollar each, and divers coins of the United
States of a number, kind and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one
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then and there being found, then and there
feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and
their dignity.

John McKeon
District Attorney

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No. 85.

No.

The First District Police Court
OF JERSEY CITY.

THE STATE

In Complaint of

Samuel Fitch
1111 Lawrence St

Philadelphia
Pa

Albert B. Pierce
also Robert

Date, July 7th 1883

CHARGE:

Obtaining Money false
Miguel P. Torres
J. D. Francis
28312 6th St Jersey City
M. D. Francis
Public Justice

TOR AWGUS PRINT, 70 & 72 MONTGOMERY ST., J. C.

0550

The First District Police Court of Jersey City.

City of Jersey City, County of Hudson, State of New Jersey, ss:

Derringer Todd
of No 1114 Delaware St Phila Pa
being duly sworn, complains that on the Twenty first day of January
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty three at Jersey City aforesaid,

Albert B. Peira alias Roberts did designedly
unlawfully and feloniously and by false pretenses
that he the said Peira alias Roberts was an employee of
the Pen R.R. Co and that he had authority to hire and
provide accommodations for applicants upon the Pen R.R. Co
the Palmyra and Camden Co and that the said Peira alias
Roberts did willfully and feloniously and unlawfully
take and receive from the said Derringer Todd the
sum of ten dollars the property of him the said Derringer
with intent to cheat and defraud him the said Derringer
against the state and the statutes in such case made
providing

WHEREFORE, this Complainant prays that the said offender may be dealt with according to law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this 7th day of
February 1883

Derringer Todd

Complainant.

James W. Davis

Police Justice of Jersey City.

Justice

WITNESSES.

| NAME. | RESIDENCE. |
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The Second District Police Court of Jersey City.

STATE

vs.

Information.

City of Jersey City, County of Hudson, State of New Jersey, ss:

having been duly sworn, says:

In such a train was by the name of William
connected with the R. R. Co. I reported my case
to Officer Francis, and took what steps he could
to find out the party who had taken my money
from me by false and fraudulent representations
and who was also falsely and fraudulently representing
that he was an employee of the R. R. Co. Company
at Jersey City, I have not seen him since I parted
with him until I saw him in the Court room.
He gave me his name about B. Roberts and that his
address was 214 East 41st - New York City

Herringer Todd

(Layman etc) Det. ...
New Court Ave Court to ...

Taken, subscribed and sworn before me, in the presence and hearing of the accused
this 7th day of February 1883

James W. Davis
Justice of the Peace of Jersey City.

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The Second District Police Court of Jersey City.

STATE

vs.

Information.

Albert R. Peires

City of Jersey City, County of Hudson, State of New Jersey, ss:

Derominger Todd

having been duly sworn, says:

I saw the defendant Albert R. Peires alias Robert on the train which left Phil 1st on Monday July 29th 1883 he was in the smoking car myself and friend Harry Pulverin entered the Smoking Car. He was alone by whom we sat. I never saw him before, a news boy came into the car and I asked him which made the jerk time the Central or Pen R. R. and the defendant said the Pennsylvania R. R. he then got into conversation with us about the train I asked him if he was an employee of the road at which time he was a Derby Hat he then reached up to the rack took down a Panama and says there is my hat a Pen R. R. Cafe uniform, he told me he was a game boy of the late Thomas Scott who did worth 50 millions and who had great influence over the road, if such was the case I then asked him what chance was there to get a position on the P. R. R. or Elevator R. R. and New York he then replied his uncle Mr Robert was Superintendent of the Elevator R. R. New York and that when we got to Jersey City he would take us from one Hotel

Taken, subscribed and sworn before me, in the presence and hearing of the accused

this

day of

1883

Justice of the Peace

Justice of the Municipal Court of Jersey City.

to the Elevated Road and in the morning and that my
 friend and myself could have the position as ushers
 on the Pullman Palace Car, we came down to New York
 I took him to the Review House on Broadway & that
 he had dinner up for the same he then and then
 left 3. on one of his influences in getting in the position
 the one on Tuesday July 30th we went down to the
 Elevated R. Co. he kept us waiting on the street
 and when he came down he handed me a paper which
 is quite amusing and which I found worthless.
 And that after I had asked about my name I made
 around the depot of the Elevated R. Co. Company
 and on Tuesday he again came for me \$5.00
 which he demanded for his commission in
 procuring me my position. after I find that the
 paper he gave me was worthless I handed him my
 check. when he said I had the choice of either position
 on the Pullman Palace Car which I had before promised
 you on or the other and that if you work until told
 I get \$5 at New York for my wages as ushers. I will
 get you on to the Train Master, get you the place
 as usher of the Pullman Palace Car - I waited until
 Wednesday to 4 PM he did not return. I was still
 waiting at New York for his return, and thought
 he came and he was at New York did not get his money they
 did not pay the next day. I have a paper from
 Attorney at Law Lewis is a letter from the Train Master,
 at New York which will place you on the Pullman
 Car immediately and I will get you the money which I said
 until I could find out if anything was straight
 in the mean time I paid all his expenses up to the
 time I left him which was on Wednesday night
 he promised to meet me at the Central Hotel,
 at 8 o'clock Monday to go to N. York with me to make
 the letter good. he did not come I came on to New
 York and found the letter he gave me worthless

Taken, subscribed and sworn before me, in the presence and hearing
 of the accused person, this day of 187

Justice of the Municipal Court of Jersey City.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Peterson, Peter

DATE:

02/28/83



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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1883

Pleads

Wm. J. Smith
Wm. J. Smith

THE PEOPLE

24.14
H.P.

vs.

B
Peter Peterson

Violation of Excise Law.
Selling without License.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

22 Apr 10. 1883.

Fried & convicted.

A TRUE BILL.

William H. Kelly

Foreman.

Wm. J. Smith

W. J. Smith

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Peter Peterson

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

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

The said *Peter Peterson*

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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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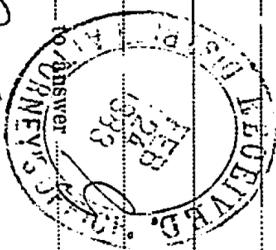
BAILED,
 No. 1, by Nicholas Appel
 Residence 435 E 141st Street,
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street,
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street,
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street.

Police Court 4 District. UP

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Joseph Breston
18th Street.
John Peterson
 Office, Violation
Excise Law

Dated February 21 1883
Edmund Magistrate.

Witnesses, _____
 No. _____ Street,
 No. _____ Street,
 No. _____ Street,
 \$ 100
Paul
Paul



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

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

Dated Feb 21 1883 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated February 21 1883 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.
CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

Peter Petersen

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

London

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

Answer.

2105 East 124 St 4 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Lager Beer Saloon

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

Answer.

I have made application and
have not received my license

Peter Petersen

Taken before me this

day of

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at

Police Justice

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Fourth District Police Court.

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

Hugh Brunton
~~is~~ an Officer of the 18th Precinct Police Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the *Evening of the 20*
day of *February* 18*83*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
at No. *139 East 14th* Street,

Peter Peterson
did sell, or caused, suffered, or permitted to be sold, ^{*without a license*} under his direction, or authority, strong or spirituous liquors
or wines, to be drunk in his house, or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary
to and in violation of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intem-
perance, and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *21st* day

Hugh Brunton 18*83*
[Signature]
Police Justice.

Hugh Brunton

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Police Court, Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Hugh Breton
against

MISDEMEANOR,
Selling Liquor, &c., without License.

Peter Peterson

Dated the 21 day of February 1878

Horsman Magistrate.

Breton Officers.
W. Bauer 78th St.

Witness

Bailed \$..... to Ans.....

By.....

..... Street.

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DESCRIPTION:

Petro, Thomas

DATE:

02/21/83



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No 257

Day of Trial
Counsel, *J. Oliver*
Filed *21* day of *Feb* 188*3*
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
B
Thomas Petro

Violation of Excise Law.
Selling on Sunday.

JOHN MCKEON,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

William A. Kelly
Forfeiture

0563

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Thomas Petro

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

Thomas Petro

of the CRIME OF *Exposing for Sale and Selling Spirituous Liquors on Sunday*, committed as follows :

The said

Thomas Petro

late of the *Fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to-wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did expose for sale and sell as a beverage to

~~and to certain other~~ persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Police Court 1st District.

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

Edward McCabe
of No. the 4th Avenue Street,
Sunday 3rd
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 3rd day
of December 1882 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at

premises No. _____ Street,
expose for sale Thomas Petro [now here]
did then and there ~~sell and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold~~, under his direction and authority, strong and
spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be
drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law.

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

Sworn to before me, this 3 day
of Dec 1882

[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.
Edward McCabe

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE vs. *Thomas Petro*
ON THE COMPLAINT OF *James DeLo*

BAILED,

No. 1, by *Michael R. Evans*

Residence *21 Marcell*

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____

Dated *Dec 23* 188*2*

Morgan Magistrate

McGee Officer

H Clerk

Witnesses, _____

No. _____

No. _____

No. _____

No. _____

\$ _____

to answer *Petro*

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

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

Dated *Dec 23* 188*2* *P. J. Morgan* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named *Thomas Petro* to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *Dec 23* 188*2* *P. J. Morgan* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1st DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Petro

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas Petro

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Italy

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

Answer.

24 Oak St & about ten years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Saloon Keeper

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

Answer

I am not guilty of the charge

Taken before me, this

day of Dec 1888

Thomas Petro
man

P. J. Sullivan Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

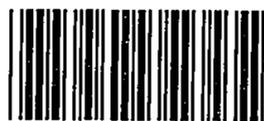
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DESCRIPTION:

Poole, James

DATE:

02/09/83



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Filed day of Feb 1883
Pleads Not guilty

THE PEOPLE
vs. *P*
James Cox
of the County of ...
Assault in the First Degree.
(Firearms.)

John McKeon
JOHN MCKEON,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.
William A. ...
Foreman.
Feb 13. 1883.
James J. ...
Chief of Court
Feb 13. 1883.
S. P. 9 1/2 years 19 75

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

James Poole

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

James Poole

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *James Poole*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~thirtieth~~ day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Patrick McEgan* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *Patrick McEgan* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *James Poole* 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 *Patrick McEgan* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided. and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

James Poole

of the Crime of assault in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said

James Poole

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Patrick McEgan* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *Patrick McEgan* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *he* the said *James Poole* in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there shoot off and discharge

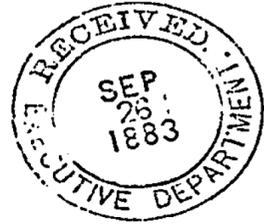
against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Testimony in
the case of
James Pool
filed Feb.
1883.

P.O.



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The People
vs.
James Poole

Court of General Sessions. Part I.
Before Judge Cuming. February 13. 1883.

Indictment for assault in the first degree.
Patrick McGowan, sworn and examined,
testified. I am 30 years old, I keep a saloon
192 Canal St. I saw the prisoner on the
30th of last month, the night of the shooting. I
think it was Monday night. I think it was
7 1/2 o'clock in the evening. I knew him well
by reputation and knew him by sight. Dan
Keily and James Hannan were with him.
Poole came into the saloon first and the
other two right after him. Poole asked for a
drink; they had that drink; they wanted
more. I say, "you wont have any more here."
There was a glass of beer on the bar and
Poole said he would either break it or spill
it. He took the glass of beer and spilled
it over me and on the bar, part of
it came on himself. Then I says, "Get
out of here, I dont want you or any of your
gang in here any more." Going out of
the door he turned back and said, "you
son of a b h I'll kill you," and he
fired a shot at me. I got down behind
the bar and it went through the mirror.
Then I crawled around the bar at the
end to see where he was; the bullet

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struck the bar. I went outside the bar when the shooting was over and I told this Green-horn Bennett to go and get a policeman. Was he (the prisoner) there when the policeman came? No, he ran away when the shooting was over. How many shots were fired? Five; two while I was behind the bar and three when I was going out of the door. The prisoner fired these shots did he? Yes sir. Cross Examined. I am a saloon keeper. What do you call your saloon? A large beer saloon. No other name? Patrick McGowan is over the door. You never heard it called McGowan's dive? No sir. Where is this saloon? Between Mott and Mulberry sts. in Canal. How long have you been keeping a saloon there? Since October. Have you ever been arrested? Yes sir, for telling a woman that she would get pay for eggs that were broke on her; the boys broke them on the 4th July. I got four months on the Island. I will tell you how this occurred. On the 4th July 1847 there was two boys arrested. As they were passing me they said, "Go and tell Pat Oakley (he is Assemblyman now) that we are arrested and we will get out. Tell Oakley to go down to the judge and tell the

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worms we will pay for the eggs if she
dont go against the boys." I went down to
the Court and I was arrested with them
for bribing the witnesses, as they called it.
Justice Otterbourn was the Justice. The case
came down to the General Sessions and
I was tried before Justice Sutherland. I
dont know what they called the offence. I
know they tripped me nicely in it. That
was the only time I was arrested, and I
would not have been arrested then only I
was a "greenhorn." I have never been arrested
for violating the Excise law. Bennett, who
was in the saloon at the time of the shoot-
ing is not in Court; they have scared him
away I presume. I dont know whether
Kiely is in Court. Yesterday Kiely offered
me money. I said, "you are leaving your-
self liable." It is not a fact that at the time
of the shooting I had a pistol in my hand.
There was a pistol behind the bar, but
it was in a box which was closed; it was
in a corner up under the bar. I did
not pull it out. I did not throw beer in
Podes' face and I did not fire one shot
with my pistol. I did not have a pistol
in my hand. Yesterday Kiely took my
brother with him and offered to square

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this. He came and offered to pay for the mirror if I would not go against Pole. I said, "Go out of here, I don't want you to be here, you are leaving yourselves liable to be arrested, if you bother me any more I will have it done. They told me they would pay for the mirror and all my expenses if I had any."

Patrick English, sworn and examined, testified: Did you arrest the prisoner? I did, sir. When? On the night of the 30th of January. At the time of the shooting? About an hour after. Did you find a pistol in his possession? I did, sir. Is this the pistol (shown) Yes sir. Is it in the same condition as it was when you got it? Yes sir. How many barrels? There was four loaded and three discharged (the pistol was offered in evidence by the District Attorney) Did the prisoner make any statement to you? He did, sir. He said he could prove he done it in self defence. Then he acknowledged the shooting? He did, sir. Did he state whether or not that was the pistol with which he did it? I did not ask him that question, but I heard he reloaded the pistol afterwards.

This was the case for the people.

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James Pole, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified. How old are you? Twenty one. What did you work at before you were arrested? George Hynes, spring bed mattresses. Where does he carry on his business? No 179 Canal St. You were in this place the night mentioned by Mr. McGowan? Yes sir. On January 30th Tuesday I went into McGowan's store. I called for a drink. With that James Barran and Denny Kiely came in after me. I paid for the drinks; we drank them and then we ordered another round and I paid for them. Then it came a third round, he says, "You get out of here," he threw the beer deliberately in my face. I was almost blinded. Then after that he told me to get out of the store. With that he made a snatch under the bar, right under the corner of a little shelf and pulled a pistol at me when I ^{was} up with my pistol and discharged it at him. He had a self action pistol and then I went outside and McGowan went to the corner of the bar to fire another shot; he did and I then fired back at him. Then he went behind the door, and fired, it

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struck the side of the door, the bullet was imbedded in the frame work. I withrew from the place, I ran around Mott st. I went down East Broadway to let them know that Mcgowan was firing at me. When I was going home Detective English came in and arrested me. Then after that the complainant came in and said that he would prove the charge against me; his brother told me he would let up on me. Why did you fire that shot? I fired it in self defence because he was going to shoot me. Cross Examined: I have been in the penitentiary for pawning a watch for a young man; they charged me with receiving stolen goods. I was laid up until the busy season after working for George Hynes. I heard of a gang called "the flat gang"; they are all away now. I was not connected with them. I never associated with them. I am not a leader of the big flat gang the paper and this Mcgowan said so. I don't know whether the officer said so or not because I was not there at the time. I was in Mcgowan's store, had a drink and paid for it; he fired a pistol at me.

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James Hauman sworn and examined.
I was arrested about two years ago for
an assault, since then I have worked
in a bar for Oatley and at Mecker's flour
mill. I was present in McGowan's place
the night of this affair. Mc and Kiely went
in to have a drink. Poole asked us to have
a drink and the three of us had a
drink; we had a second drink and the
McGowan's brother Thomas was present
the man that cut me in the head; he
was called out by somebody and Poole
was taking a glass of beer and ~~Poole~~
McGowan took it and threw it in Poole's face and
blinded him. I asked McGowan for a
towel and he gave it to Poole and he
wiped his eyes with it. Then me and
Kiely walked over to the stove. There was
a shot fired; whoever fired the first shot
I could not swear to. That is all I know.
I went out in the street. There were four
or five shots fired, but who fired the
first shot I would not want to take
my oath on that. Cross Examined. I
was in the penitentiary ten months. I
got two months off for good behavior.
That was for assaulting officer Higgins
I was defending my father. The officer

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was in the hospital some time. I heard of the "flat gang," but I am not connected with it. I live at 100 Mott St. am a married man and have got two children.

I know Officer English by sight. Patrick McGowan recalled. I don't know what the charge was that Judge Sutherland sent me to the penitentiary for. I was not intoxicated the night I was shot. I did not have a pistol in my hand. I positively swear that I had no pistol in my hand. He stood in the door and deliberately fired at me. I went behind the bar and he fired all that was in it. and one went through the mirror. and one went at the end of the counter. I jumped out of the side door and left the store to himself and his two confederates, for they are nothing else. He pawned his coat and vest that morning and bought a revolver. Is this a self cocking pistol? Yes sir.

James Poole recalled. This is my pistol (shown) and the one that the shooting was done with. I bought it on Tuesday afternoon, the afternoon of the night when the shooting occurred. I pawned my coat to buy it because

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my life was threatened by McGowan's brother.

Patrick English recalled. I know about the "flat gang". I made an examination of the premises where the shooting occurred. I found a ball near the door; there was one ball in the mirror, which was broken and another was in the panel of the back door and one on the side wall of the bar room.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty under the first count of the indictment.

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Answered Sept. 20/1883
J. D. D. D.

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State of New York.

Executive Chamber,

Albany, Sep. 4 1883

commutation sentence

*Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the
pardon of James Poole, who was
sentenced on Feb. 19 1883, in your County,
for the crime of Assault &c for the term
of 9 years and 6 mos to the State Prison
inquiring you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of
Chapter 310, Laws 1849) to furnish the Governor with a concise
statement of the case as proven on the trial, together with any other
facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of
granting or refusing a pardon. Be pleased, also, to state the previous
character of the convict. All opinions are respectfully requested*

*Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on
a separate sheet.*

Very respectfully yours,

Wm. C. C. C.

To Hon. John M. Keon
District Attorney, &c.

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James Dale
Sept. 11

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State of New York.

Executive Chamber,

Albany, Sep. 4 1883

Commutation sentence

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the
pardon of James Toole

who was tried and convicted before you Feb. 19, 1883 of

Assault 1st and sentenced to the State Prison. Term 9 1/2 yrs

Will you oblige the Governor with your opinion of the case, together with any facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a pardon?

Very respectfully yours,

Wm. C. C. C.
To Hon. Rufus B. Cowing

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Police Court - 1st District St

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Patrick McManus
192 Canal St
James Pote*

Offence *Indecent assault*

Dated

January 31 1883
S. B. Smith
Magistrate.

Joseph Gtz
Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses

Henry Bennett
No. 192 Canal Street.

No. _____

Street, _____

No. _____

\$ _____

to answer

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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 Pote*

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

Dated *January 31 1883* *Solomon B. Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Poole*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty One Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *162 North St 8 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bed maker*

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. *The complainant threw a glass
of beer in my face. He took a
pistol and discharged two shots
at me then I fired back at him
believing that my life was in
danger*

James Poole

Taken before me this

31

day of

AMMAY 1883
John A. Stewart
Police Justice.

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Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick McEnroe aged 30 years Saloon Keeper
of No. 192 Canal Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Tuesday the 3rd day of January
in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James Poole
(now here) who did willfully maliciously
and feloniously discharge from a Revolving
Pistol which he said dependant held in his
hand and which he deliberately pointed
at the person of deponent five shots,
Deponent further says that said Pistol was
loaded with Leaden Bullets that the only
reason he said dependant had for so
feloniously assaulting deponent was that
he refused to give him and his friends
more intoxicating drinks. Deponent further
says that said felonious assault as committed
was done

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended and bound to answer
for the above assault, etc., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day
of January 1883

Patrick McEnroe

Solomon Smith
POLICE JUSTICE.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Potter, Thomas

DATE:

02/16/83



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No. 72 of A. McKeon
109 M. 10

Counsel,
Filed 16 day of Feb'y 1883
Pleads Not Guilty

Grand Larceny,
degrees
THE PEOPLE
vs.
James S. Cox

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

22 Mar. 8. 1883
Plead guilty
A True Bill. S. P. one year
William H. Murphy
Foreman

Feb. 23

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Thomas Baxter

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

Thomas Baxter

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY, ~~in the~~ ~~degree~~, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Baxter*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~first~~ ~~day~~ of ~~November~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~two~~

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

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Rosa Cohen* then and there being found, feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney

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NORVIN GREEN, President.

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1883.

Dated, _____

To _____

Yours respectfully
Edwin Highfield

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Dated, To Brooklyn N.Y. 6 McK 6 1883.

To Judge Childs or Presiding
Judge Court of Civil Sessions
Chambers & Centre Sts

My
Your honor, am still under doctors
care. Am down for case until
Thursday. I will be able to attend

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Police Court - 3 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mark Cohen
184 Broadway
Thomas E. Putter

Grand Juror

BAILLED,

No. 1 by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated

February 6 1883
James M. O'Brien Magistrate
James M. O'Brien Officer

Witnesses

No. 1

No. 2

No. 3

No. 4

James M. O'Brien
William O'Brien
Central Police
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Answer
February 8 2 P.M.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned was committed and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Thomas E. Putter

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

Dated February 6 1883 Henry G. ... Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ 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 _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas E. Patten

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Australia

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

Answer.

Brooklyn, and about three months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Sea business

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of
stealing the money*
Thomas Patten

Taken before me, this *6*

day of *February* 188*3*

Hugh J. ... Police Justice.

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2 District Police Court

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss

Mark Cohen

of No. 184 Borneum Street, aged 19 years a manager

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 1 day of November 1882

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

of deponent: in the day time with the intent to deprive the true owner of the use thereof

the following property, viz: Good and lawful money of the United States consisting of bills of various denominations and values to the amount and value of sixty six dollars

the property of Rosa Cohen in the care and charge 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

Thomas E. Patter, now being from the fact that on the above date said Thomas E. Patter was in the employ of said Rosa Cohen in a gents furnishing goods store located at No 184 Borneum Street on the afternoon of the above date deponent went out of said store and left said Patter in charge of the same. There about two

Police Justice

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minutes before departure went out of said store the said money was in a cash box which was behind a counter in said store. That by departure was absent about five minutes and when he returned departure discovered that the said money had been stolen and that said Potter had vacated said store and was not returned to the same. Departure then for charges that said Potter did take steal and carry away the said money and he asks that said Potter may be dealt with as the law direct.

Sworn to before me this } Mark Cohen
6 day of February 1883 }

Hugh Gardner Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFRIDA VIT - Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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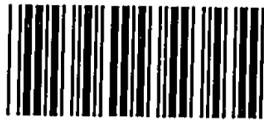
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Prindeble, John

DATE:

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59 Bill returned

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1883

Pleas

Not Guilty (12)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John S. Sinden

John S. Sinden

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. McKeon
Foreman.
Part 2. Feb. 15 1883
Plea as Guilty
See due year.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Brindelle

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

John Brindelle

of the CRIME OF Destroying personal property of another committed as follows:

The said John Brindelle

late of the City and County of New York, on the first day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

a certain pane of plate glass, of the value of forty dollars, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Charles S. Chase, then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and illegally destroy, 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 John Brindelle of the crime of Destroying real property of another, committed as follows:

The said John Brindelle late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain pane of plate glass of the value of forty dollars, of the real property of one Charles S. Chase

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then and there being in and forming a part
of the building of the said Charles S. Chase
there situate, then and there feloniously
did unlawfully and willfully destroy, against
the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace of
the People of the State of New York, and
their dignity.

John McKeon

District Attorney

0600

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

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

Bar tender

James S Marshall aged 37 years

of No. *148 Bowery* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the 1st day of February 1883

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

John Prindle (nowhere)

*who did willfully unlawfully and maliciously
break and destroy and deface a light of
French Plate glass of the value of forty
dollars which was in the show window
of premises situated at number in said
street, Deponent further says that said
property belongs to Charles B. Chase who
is proprietor of the Occidental Hotel at
said place. Deponent therefore asks that
said defendant be held to answer and
dealt with according to law*
James S Marshall

Sworn to before me, this
of *February*
1883
atty. Genl.
Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss.

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE,

On complaint of

James Marshall

vs.

For

John Prindle

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby, *wave* a trial by Jury, on this complaint, and demand a trial at the COURT OF *Special* SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated *February 2* 188 *3*

Scipio Conroy

Police Justice.

John Prindle
Mark

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Prindeble*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *57 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *No 442 18th Avenue, since 1862*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Weaver*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

John Prindeble
mark

Taken before me this

day of *February* 188*3*

1883

W. J. Quinn

Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Printy, Thomas

DATE:

02/21/83



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No 237

Mark [unclear]

Counsel,
Filed 21 day of Feb 1883

Pleas *Not guilty* (23)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
16 W 47
with
P
Eschmann

Grand Larceny, Receiving-Stolen Goods, and degree, and

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

22 Mar 5, 1883
A True Bill.

William A. Phelps
Foreman.

Pen one year

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Thomas Pringle

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

Thomas Pringle

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the ~~second~~ degree, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Pringle*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, ~~on the~~ *16th* on the day of ~~February~~ *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~ *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms *one pocket book of the value of one dollar, one silver coin of the United States of the kind known as half dollars of the value of fifty cents, one silver coin of the United States of the kind known as a quarter dollar of the value of twenty five cents, two silver coins of the United States of the kind known as dimes of the value of ten cents each and four nickel coins of the United States of the kind known as five cent pieces of the value of five cents each, and three United States Postage stamps of the value of three cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Anita Mason* ~~on the person of the said Anita Mason then and there being found~~ *then and there being found*, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McLean
District Attorney

0607

Police Court - 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Shirley Keane
457th St.
Manhattan

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Offence *Swearing*

Dated *February 17* 188 *3*

Harman Magistrate.
de W. Keane Officer.
Kealey 22 Precinct.

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Witnesses _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____



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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 *Shirley Keane*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *100* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *February 17* 188 *3* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. Thomas Prinity

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 538 West 47 Street for five years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Battery Worker

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 preferred against me.

Thomas Prinity

Taken before me this

day of

July 17 1888

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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4 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 457 West 43

Anita Mason
Street, 3 flat in

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 16 day of February 1883
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 her person in the day time
the following property, viz:

One pocket book of the value of
One dollar, containing silver
and nickel coins of the value of seventy
cents, and three postage stamps of
the value of nine cents.

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 Thomas Pearty, now present,
acting in concert with six other boys
whose names are unknown.

That while passing through West 43
Street—said defendants, linked hands
and closed upon deponent, who had
said pocket book and money in the
outside pocket of the cloak then worn by
her. That defendants struck at said de-
ponent, ran away together, and de-
ponent missed her pocket book and money
Anita Mason.

Sworn before me this

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1883

[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Putscher, Bernhard

DATE:

02/14/83



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The jury in the case stated
17 for acquittal as 1 for
conviction of simple assault
under these circumstances. It
renewed the discharge
of the prison on his own
recognition
J. M. McKeon
July 21 83

112 Bill returned

(II)

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 14 day of July 1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Samuel S. Swadlow

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Phelps
Foreman
July 21/83
Jury discharged
11-1 for acquittal
Discharged by Panel

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Bernhard Butcher

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

Bernhard Butcher

of the CRIME OF Assault in the second degree committed as follows:

The said Bernhard Butcher

late of the City and County of New York, on the sixth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms feloniously made

an assault in and upon one Charles Wade, then and there being a patrolman of the Municipal Police of the City of New York, and as such patrolman being then and there engaged in the lawful apprehension of him the said Bernhard Butcher for some crime to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and the said Bernhard Butcher, him the said Charles Wade, then and there feloniously did beat, strike, wound and otherwise ill treat, with intent then and there to prevent and resist the lawful apprehension of himself as aforesaid, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McKeon District Attorney

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Police Court—4th District.

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

of ~~the~~ the 18th Precinct Police Charles J. Wade aged 29 years Street

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Tuesday the 6th day of February
in the year 1883, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Bernard Putecher (now present) who did wilfully strike deponent a number of blows on the face and body with his fist while deponent was in the discharge of his duty as an officer and while deponent was in the act of arresting him without any justification on the part of the said assailant.

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended and bound to answer the above assault, &c, and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this

7th day of February 1883

[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

Charles Wade

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street,

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street,

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street,

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street,

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles J. Madz
15 0th Street
Bernard Putecher

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Offence, Assault & Battery
(2 deg)

Dated *Feb 7* 188*8*

J. A. Thompson Magistrate
Charles J. Madz Officer
 _____ Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

\$ *200* to answer



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 *Bernard Putecher*

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

Dated *Feb 7* 188*8*

[Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ 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 _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Bernard Putzcher 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. *Bernard Putzcher*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *169th Street Rail Road Avnu. 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Truck driver*

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

Answer.

I was intoxicated and do not recollect anything about the occurrence -

Bernhard Putzcher.

Taken before me this

day of *February* 188*3*

[Signature]
Police Justice.