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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cavallo, Guiseppe

DATE:

05/03/82



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Bail \$300.
P.S.S.

Counsel, *Wm. H. H. H.*
Filed *May* day of *May* 1882
Pleads *Not guilty (G)*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Giuseppe Cavall
Concealed Weapons
John McKeon
RENT. K. PHILLIPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Wm. H. H. H.
Foreman.
Wm. H. H. H.
Chas. W. H. H.

0011

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

Giuseppe Cavall
Giuseppe Cavall
Weapon of the crime of *Carrying Concealed*
committed as follows:
The said *Giuseppe Cavall*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *twenty third* day of *April* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, feloniously,
knowingly and secretly, did conceal upon his person a certain instrument and weapon
of the kind known as a *lagger*, with intent then and there
feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Jurors 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.

The said and the Grand Jury aforesaid by this indictment further accuse
to use *Giuseppe Cavall* of the crime of having in his possession a concealed weapon with intent
committed as follows:

~~And the Grand Jury aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That~~
the said *Giuseppe Cavall* late of the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at
Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously, wilfully and
furtively did possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as a
lagger with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some
person or persons to the Jurors 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
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court - 1st District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick English
Joseph Cavallo

Offence, Conceal Weapons

Dated

24 April

1882

Solon B Smith

Magistrate.

Patrick English

Clerk.

Witnesses

No. 1, by _____
No. 2, by _____
No. 3, by _____
No. 4, by _____

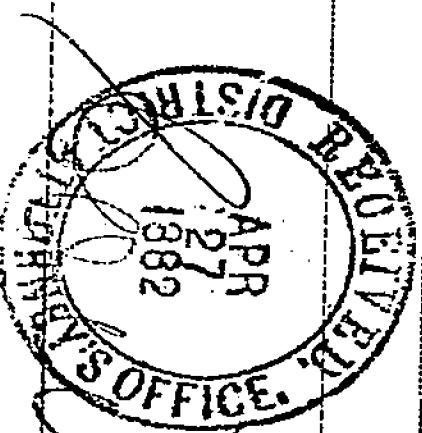
Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,



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

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

Dated 24 April 1882

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 1882

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____ 1882

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.18
DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Giuseppe Cavallo 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.

Giuseppe Cavallo

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Italy

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

Answer.

65 Mulberry St 1 month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Helper on a Lager Beer Wagon

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

Answer.

I am not guilty, I found this weapon on the street

Taken before me, this 24
day of April 1882

Salmon Smith
Police Justice.

Giuseppe ^{his} Cavallo
mark

0014

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

POLICE COURT, First DISTRICT.

Patrick English aged 40 years
of the 6th Precinct Police

23 day of April 1882

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

(now here) did unlawfully knowingly and
secretly have concealed on his person a dagger
or sharp pointed instrument (here shown) with
the intent to use the same against some other
person

Deponent prays that said defendant
may be dealt with according to law

Patrick English 6th

Sworn to before me, this
of April 1882
John B. Smith
Justice.

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DESCRIPTION:

Clay, John

DATE:

05/08/82



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Quarrels

Counsel,

Filed 8 day of May 1882

Pleads

Indignity (q)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John Clay

John M. Stevens
DANIEL S. WALLIS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CINCINNATI, OHIO.

INDICTMENT—Assault with intent to steal as a Pickpocket.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John M. Stevens

Foreman.

May 17/82

Trickery designed

10-20-82

Discharged by Court

0017

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

John Clay
of the crime of *assault with intent*
to steal *as a passenger*
committed as follows:

The said *John Clay*

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

John Clay
did make an assault, and that the said
the hands of him the said *John Clay*

upon the person of the said *Julia Lynch*, unlawfully did lay

and upon the clothing
which was then and there upon the person of the said *Julia Lynch*
with intent then and there certain goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Julia Lynch
on the person of the said, *Julia Lynch*
then and there being found, from the person of the said

Julia Lynch
then and there
feloniously to steal, take and carry away

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

John McKee
DANIEL C. ROLINS,
District Attorney.

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Where is

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Middle row

Carroll Street

Police copy

See here your name
you have to put
your name in
my copy

Rec. 206, 207, 210 & 212

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Clay
210 South Street
John Clay

Offence, Assault with
intent to steal a
pickpocket 386

Dated May 1 1882

Michael St. Magistrate
Central Park Police Office

Witnesses

Michael St. Magistrate

John Clay

John Clay

May 4 1882
OFFICE
MAY 4 1882
MAY 4 1882

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

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

Dated May 1 1882
Mervin Otterbom Police Justice.

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

Dated 1882
Police Justice.

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

Dated 1882
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

John Clay 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 Clay*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *New York City*

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

Answer. *210 West 35 Street about five months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *painting and kalosmising*

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 did not touch the lady or kiss her; I ~~decide to leave a~~ name a trial by jury and secured a trial at the Court of Special Sessions*

John L. Clay

Taken before me, this *12th*

day of *May*

188*7*

Mervin Ottoburn Police Justice.

0020

Form 9.

Sixth District Police Court.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.Julia Lyet, aged 22 years, married,
of No. 210 Sullivan Street

street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the

30th

day of

April

1882

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

(now here) did at ^{about} the hour of half past three o'clock in the afternoon and in a building in Central Park, assault deponent, by placing his hands on the bodily clothing of deponent and inserting his hand into a pocket of the dress then and there worn by deponent upon her person with intent to steal as a pickpocket. The Deponent prays that said John Clay be held to answer and dealt with according to Law. Julia Lyet

sworn to before me this

First day of May 1882

My Comm. Clayton
Place Justice

Cont. of
Special Sessions

Re: We

against

John Clary

Appellants

John J. Charles
Att. for defendant
317 Broadway
N.Y.

0022

City of New York - 1885

People
against
John Clay

Personally appeared before me John J. [unclear], Attorney & Counselor at Law who being duly sworn says: I am the attorney for the defendant John Clay in this action: That the said John Clay was arraigned on the 4th District Police Court on the 1st day of May 1882 on a charge of an attempted larceny from the person; that to the said charge he plead not guilty and demanded a trial by Jury at the Court of Special Sessions: That the said John Clay was represented by Counsel and that after ~~consultation~~ consultation with his Counsel the defendant desires to withdraw his demand for a trial at Special Sessions and asks

that his case be sent to the
Court of General Sessions.

Wherefore deponent prays this
Court on behalf of his Client
the said John Clay that the
papers in the above entitled action
be sent to the Court of General
Sessions that he may be tried
therein upon the alleged charge.

Sworn & subscribed to
before me this 4th
day of May 1882

Walter Lawrence
Notary Public
N.Y. Co

John J. Dwyer
Attorney for defendant

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, Joseph

DATE:

05/12/82



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1887
14-7-1
I have been
examined by
a jury of
12 men
and
found
guilty
of
the
crime
of
murder
to
which
I
am
sentenced
to
be
hanged
at
the
penitentiary
at
the
city
of
New
York
on
the
14th
day
of
July
1887

Counsel, *Spence*
Filed *12* day of *May* 188*2*
Pleads *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
INDICTMENT.
Larceny of Money from the Person.

Joseph Collins
John McLean
Wm. W. W.
District Attorney.

12 May 17. 188*2*
pleads guilty
11.
A True Bill.

James Stevens
Foreman.
Commodore
R. C. P. F.

0026

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

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 *eight* day of *may* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty-two* at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

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

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

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

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the ^{Grand} Jurors aforesaid un-
known, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of
*sixty-six cents, one pocket book of the
value of twenty-five cents, eight United
States postage stamps of the denomination
of three cents and of the value of three
cents each.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Warren Hussey*
on the person of the said *Elizabeth Hussey* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Elizabeth Hussey* 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.

Benjamin K. Phelps
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Sec. 208, 210, 211 & 212

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Resilience

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by -

Residence

Street,

Officer:

Magistrate.

Dated

Offence.

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No.

Street.

No.

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE
SHERIFF

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 Joseph Collins

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of 200 Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated May 10 1882 J. Henry Bird 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.*

0028

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.2
DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Joseph Collins 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. Joseph Collins

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 14 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 27 Mulberry Street 1 Year.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. I work in an Oyster Store

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 11th

day of May 1882

Joseph Collins

J. Henry [Signature] Police Justice

0029

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No.

Elizabeth Hussey, aged 31
Barnes Hotel 5th Avenue and 36th Street

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

8th

day of

May 188*2*

at the

in Fifth Avenue

City of New York,

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

of deponent,

and from deponent's person in the day

the following property, to-wit:

One pocket book containing
gold and silver money of the United
States consisting of silver and copper
coins of various denominations and values.
together of the value of Sixty Six Cents and
Eight Three Cent Postage Stamps all
being of the value of Ninety Cents

the property of

deponent and her husband Marcus
Hussey

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

Joseph Collins (now here)

from the fact that deponent is informed by Officer Sweeney that he saw the said

Collins take and carry away said
property from the Fifth Avenue corner of
the Hotel where on deponent's person as
deponent was passing through Fifth
Avenue

Elizabeth Hussey

Over

Sworn before me this

10th day of

May

188*2*

Police Justice.

John J. Smith

0030

City and County of New York, S.S.

John Sweeney
agent of the 29th Precinct Police
being duly sworn deposes and says
that he arrested Joseph Collins whom
deponent saw take and carry
away from the person of Elizabeth Hussey
the property described in the foregoing
Affidavit and the said Elizabeth Hussey
identifies the property here shown as said
property which deponent found in the
possession of said Collins

Sworn to before me } John Sweeney
this 10th day of May 1882 }
G. Henry Ford

Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, Thomas

DATE:

05/09/82



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0032

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Ct. 1882

W. H. Johnson
Filed 9 day of May 1882
Pleads Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Thomas Collins
(in case of)

Assault and Battery—Felonious.
Fleamans.

Wm. H. Johnson
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Wm. H. Johnson
Foreman.

Heads, guilty and
Pleaded Guilty
and was
D. P. Two years, 10
months after
expiration of sentence
imposed on 24" line.

0033

Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Thomas Collins

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

of the Crime of Shooting at another with intent to kill, committed as follows:

The said

Thomas Collins
Date of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *thirty first* day of *October* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-nine* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *John Keenan*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *John Keenan*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *Thomas Collins*
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 *John Keenan*

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

~~SECOND COUNT.~~

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

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

~~The said~~

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

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

~~in right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent the said~~

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

second
~~Third~~ COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
Thomas Collins
 of the Crime of Shooting and Discharging off a *pistol* at another, without
 justifiable or excusable cause, with intent to injure such other, committed as follows :
 The said

Thomas Collins
 afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-
 said, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John Kiernan*
 then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an
 assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John Kiernan*
 a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
 charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said
 in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
 without justifiable or excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
 with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said *John Kiernan*

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

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
 of the Crime of Attempting to Shoot off and Discharge a
 at another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with intent to injure such other,
 committed as follows :
 The said

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-
 said, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said
 then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an
 assault and to, at and against the said
 a certain then and there loaded and
 charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said
 in right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
 without justifiable or excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and
 discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby the said

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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BAILED,
No. 1 by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

396 *W*
Police Court- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John H. Sprague
Thomas Collins
Offence, *felony assault*

Dated *May 3* 188

Frederick Magistrate.

John Henry Officer.

H Clerk.

Witnesses, *David Officer*

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

\$ _____ to answer

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OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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 Collins*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~four hundred Dollars~~

he be legally discharged
and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *May 3* 188 *Alfred Gardner* 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.

0036

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Thomas Collins

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 Collins

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer. *223 Henry Street & about 3 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the
charge**Thomas Collins*
mark

Taken before me this

day of

May 188*8**John J. [illegible]*

Police Justice.

0037

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

Form
ss. :

POLICE COURT FIRST DISTRICT.

John Keisman
of No. *the 4th Precinct* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the *31* day of *October* 187*9*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and

beaten by

Thomas Collins now present.

*That Said Collins did Wilfully
And Maliciously point And
Aim a loaded pistol at
Deponent & did fire & discharge
Said pistol while the same was
so pointed & aimed the ball or
Missile, ^{from said pistol} striking & wounding
Deponent upon his hip*

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

Thomas Collins
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 dealt with accord-
ing to law.

John Keisman

Sworn to, before me this

day of

May

187*9*

Henry Hoffmann
Police Justice.

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BOX:

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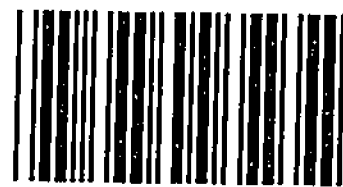
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Collins, Thomas

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Bill of Indictment

Day of Trial
Counsel, *W. H. Simpson*
Filed *12* day of *May* 188*2*
Pleads *Not guilty (57)*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Thomas Callins
(2 Cases)

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and
Receiving Stolen Goods.

W. H. Simpson
JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
W. H. Simpson
Magistrate
Foreman.
Charles George Soley
J.P. Two years & 6 mos.

0040

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

against
Thomas Collins

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

Thomas Collins

of the crime of Burglary in the third degree,

committed as follows:

The said

Thomas Collins

late of the ~~fourth~~ *fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the ~~thirty first~~ *thirty first* day of ~~October~~ *October* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty* with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the ~~Store~~ *Store* of *Herman Matthias*

there situate, feloniously and
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers goods,
merchandise and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit, to
wit: the goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter described, with intent the said
goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Herman Matthias*

then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*Ten thousand cigars of the value
of six cents each, and twelve cases
of wine of the value of twenty dollars
each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Herman Matthias

so kept as aforesaid in the said *Store* then and there being, then and
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New
York and their dignity.

John W. Kern
Assistant Attorney

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

of the crime of Receiving Stolen Goods

committed as follows:

The said

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,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

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

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Lewis R. Stegman,
SHERIFF.

Brooklyn, May 5 1882

My dear Sir,
The well introduced Mr.
J. Mathias, who has some
business in the Court of
Sessions, (People v. Collins)
Any information you can
give him will be duly appreciated.
He is very busy & don't want
to lose any more time than
he can help.

Yours very truly,

J. B. Sedgwick
Dist. Clerk

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Dist. Atty. N.Y.C.

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BAILED,
No. 1 by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

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Police Court-1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Mathews
vs. James S.
Thomas Collins

1. Thomas Collins

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3.

4.

Offence, Burglary

Dated May 3-1882

Richard M. Magistrate.
Gibbs & Co. Officer.

Clerk.

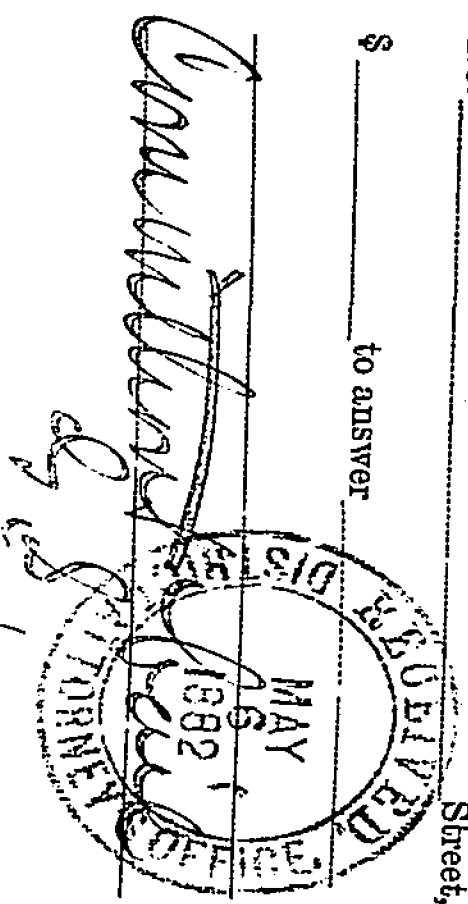
Witnesses, Case in office

No. _____
Street, _____

No. _____
Street, _____

No. _____
Street, _____

\$ _____ 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 Thomas Collins

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be ~~admitted to bail in the sum of \$1000~~ committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he ~~give such bail~~ he be legally discharged

Dated May 3 1882 Bligh Gurner Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1882 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1882 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

First District Police Court.

Thomas Collins

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 Collins

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

225 Henry Street & About 3 Years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge

his
Thomas Collins
may

Taken before me this

day of

May

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W. A. Gorman

Police Justice.

0045

POLICE COURT—DISTRICT.

City and County
of New York, ss:

of No. 236 Front Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. aforesaid
Street, 4 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Store

and which was occupied by deponent as a Store for the deposit
& sale of liquors, wines & cigars were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of forcibly breaking open
a door leading from the street
into said premises

on the night of the 31st day of October 1879

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

About thousand Cigars
And twelve cases of wine
collectively of the value of
seven hundred & fifty dollars
or more

the property of

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and
carried away by Thomas Collins

for the reasons following, to wit:

That on the morning
following the night above mentioned
deponent discovered that the door
leading to the store was forced open
the above described property taken
therefrom & deponent is informed
by Officer Carr that he saw the
defendant leaving said store on the
night in question & deponent believes
the same to be true J. Matthias

Return to deponent
3 days of May 1880
Heard by deponent
Other parties

City and County
of New York ss

Gilbert Carr of the 4th
Precinct being duly sworn says
that about half past six
O'clock P.M. on the day within
mentioned deponent saw the
defendant coming through the
door leading to Complainant's Store
in Front Street who on seeing
deponent ran quickly away
from deponent and effected
his escape

Gilbert Carr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
5th day of May 1882
Hugh Gardner
Justice

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, William

DATE:

05/17/82



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DESCRIPTION:

Rigger, Joseph

DATE:

05/17/82



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Bill Underwood

Counsel, *W. C. Underwood*
 Filed *77* day of *May* 188*2*
Ben *Heads* *Johnny*

THE PEOPLE

William Collins
P.

Joseph Rizzo
P.

BURGARY - First Degree, and
 Grand Larceny.

John McKean
 DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James J. ...

Foreman.

May 29/82

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

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Dickensford

In view of the facts set
 forth in the within appendix
 and after consultation
 with the complainant and
 the police officers and
 also with the Court. I
 respectfully ask the Court
 to grant the Defendant
 a new trial on the ground

W. C. Underwood
Ben
May 29/82

0050

Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*William Collins
and Joseph Rigger*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
William Collins and Joseph Rigger
of the CRIME OF *Burglary in the first degree*

committed as follows:

The said *William Collins and Joseph Rigger*
late of the *tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid,
on the *fourteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms,
about the hour of *three* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of *Mary Weber*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of
forcibly breaking open an outer window thereof
whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one *Mary Weber*
within the said dwelling-house, *they* the said

William Collins and Joseph Rigger
then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and
personal property of *Mary Weber*
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.

*John McKeon
Dist attorney*

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
o'clock in the time of said day, the said

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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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss. _____
being duly sworn deposes and says; that he is _____ years of age, and a clerk in
the office of _____ STECKLER, Esq., the attorney for the _____ in this
action; on the _____ day of _____ 188 at No. _____
in the City of New York, he served the annexed _____

upon _____ the _____ therein
_____ by delivering to, and leaving with _____

_____ a true copy thereof. _____

Deponent further says that he knew the person so served to be _____

Sworn to before me this
day of _____ 188 }

Wm. Bernard Sepias Court.

The People v.

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Joseph Rigger

Defendant.

Affidavit.

Charles STECKLER,

Deft's Attorney,

Nos. 47 & 49 Centre Street
N. Y. City.

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City and County }
of New York, } ss.

said city, being duly sworn says that he is the _____ of
heard, read and knows the contents of the foregoing _____ in this action, that he has
true to _____ own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on in-
formation and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Sworn to before me this }
day of _____ 188 }

New York Court of General Sessions.

The People }
- against - }
Joseph Rigger }

City & County of New York ss. Francis J. Reilly of said city, being duly sworn, says that he is Chief of Battalion of the Fire Department of the City of New York. That he is acquainted with the abovenamed defendant and has been for the past five years, and has known his family for a great number of years.

Deponent further states that the defendant's reputation and character among all who know him is very good for honesty, and he bears a very good reputation.

Sworn to before me this }
19th day of May 1882 } *Wm. J. Reilly*
Hugh J. Donnelly
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

New York Court of General Sessions.

The People vs, }
- vs -
Joseph Rigger, }

City and County of New York ss = Joseph A. Gardner
of said City, being duly sworn, says that
he a Patrolman of the Police Department
of the City of New York and attached to
the 30th Precinct, That he is acquainted
with the abovenamed defendant and has
been for the last past fourteen years,
and has known his family a great
many years.

Deponent further states that the defendant's
reputation and character among all who
know him is very good for Honesty, and he
bears a very good reputation.

Sworn to before me this ?

20th day of May 1882.

} Joseph A. Gardner
Jacob Meyer

Com^r of Peace

NY City

City & County of New York

Joseph Rigger of said city being
 duly sworn, says, that he
 is in the City Prison on
 charge of Burglary. Dependent
 solemnly avers that he is innocent
 of any attempt to commit any
 Burglary, and that on the morning
 of his arrest & at the time of his
 arrest was on his way home.
 Sworn to before me } Joseph Rigger
 this 22nd day of May 1882 }
 Jacob Meyer }
 Com. of Deeds }
 NY City }

New York Court of General Sessions.

The People ex. }
-vs- }
Joseph Rigger,

City and County of New York ex = Andrew Parker of
said City, being duly sworn, says that he is
the owner of a Bakery, and carries on business
as such at No. 324 Henry Street.

That he is acquainted with the abovenamed
defendant and has been for the past sixteen
years, and has known his family for a great
number of years.

Deponent further states that the defendants
reputation and character among all who know
him is very good for Honesty, and he bears a
very good reputation.

Sworn to before me this }
20th day of May 1882. } Andrew Parker
Jacob Meyer
Com^r of Deeds
NY City

Court of General Sessions.

The People vs. }

Joseph Rigger. S

City and County of New York ss.

Albert C. Rounds being duly sworn deposes and says That I do business as a Photographer at Number 162 Chatham Street in the City of New York. That I am well acquainted with Joseph Rigger and have been so acquainted with him for the last past eight years, ~~and~~ and that I have known him always to be a man of good character, honest, faithful and industrious man.

Sworn to before me this (Albert C. Rounds.
22nd day of May 1882.)

Joseph Steiner

Commissioner of Deeds
N.Y. City.

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also signed by Thomas R. Williams

This is to certify that I have known Joseph Rigger, he having been in my employ for the past three years, and during all of that time has been an honest and reputable young man, and I have always found him to be honest in the discharge of his duties.

John R. Williams
New York May the
20th even 18th day of May

0059

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Webster
130 Madison St

1 William Collins

2 Joseph Ryger

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Dated May 14 1887

Offence, Burglary

Magistrate

Officer

Clerk

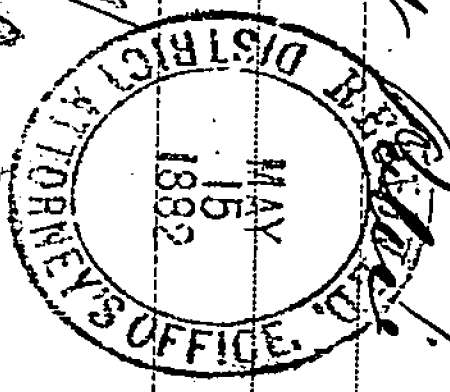
Witnesses

No. 121 Benjmin

Arthur Bentley

No. 10th St

No. Street



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

Joseph Ryger guilty thereof, I order that they be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until they give such bail.

Dated May 14 1887

Below Signed Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1887 _____ 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 _____ 1887 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Joseph Rigger 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. Joseph Rigger

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Queens

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

Answer. 42 Rutgers Street since March

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Worked along Shore

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

Answer I am not guilty

Taken before me, this 14

day of May

1888

Joseph Rigger

Edouard D. Smith
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

William Collins 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.

William Collins

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

74 Cherry Street New York

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

Answer.

44 Canal Street 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Pin 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

I am not guilty

Taken before me, this

17 day of May 1888

William Collins

John Smith
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—3rd DISTRICT.City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Mary Weber, 46 years of age, House Keeper
of No. 130 Berrien Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that the premises No. 130 Berrien
Street, 10 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling
House

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling for herself
and family were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means forcibly breaking open a shutter
on the basement window of said premises
then removing the latch of the window, and
then raising the window

on the morning of the 14 day of May 1882

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

that the intent to steal the following property
Dresses & Jewellery of the value
of one hundred dollars

the property of deponent
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and
carried away by William Collins & Joseph Ryger
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent is informed
by officer Richard Berkley of the 10
Precinct Police that he caught them
in the act of Burglariously breaking
open said shutter & window,
and deponent is further informed
by Charles Cottle of No. 121 Berrien
Street that saw said defendant commit
said Burglary, and they requested him
to assist them Mary Weber

*known to deponent as this
14th day of May 1882
Signed & sworn to before me this
14th day of May 1882
J. W. [Signature]*

City & County }
of New York }

Richard Berkley of the 10
Precinct Police being duly sworn
deposes & says that on the morning
of the 14th day of May 1882 at the hour
of about 3 o'clock he saw
William Mallin and Joseph Rigger (read here)
break open a shutter at the basement
window of Premises No 130 Harrison
Street

Richard Berkley
Sworn to before me this
14th day of May 1882

Solomon Smith Police Justice
City & County }
of New York }

Charles Oertle of No 121
Harrison Street being duly sworn says
he has read the affidavit of Mary
Mober this within Complaint and
knows the contents thereof that the
portions therein stated & referring
to deponent is true to deponent's
own knowledge

Charles Oertle
Sworn to before me this 14th
day of May 1882

Solomon Smith Police Justice

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Conroy, John

DATE:

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Witness
Charles Cartridge
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at \$350.
June 12/82
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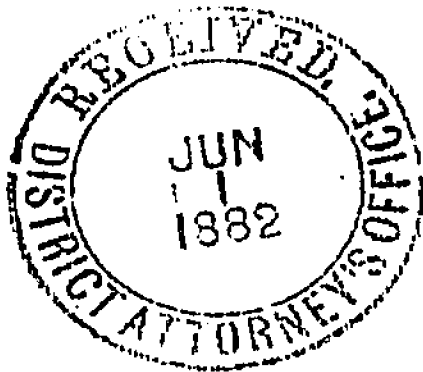
Bailed by
Andrew Kelly
144 Hester St
N.Y.

1876 May 31/82
Day of Trial, 1882
Counsel, 6 Spencer
Filed 29 day of May
Pleads, Minkus & Co.

THE PEOPLE
vs. **B**
John Conway
158 Hecker
P2 June 1/82 arrested
Violation of Excise Law.

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
J. J. Stevens
Foreman.



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0066

Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against
John Conroy

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

John Conroy 158 West 4
of the CRIME OF *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License,*

committed as follows:

The said *John Conroy*

late of the *fourteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty sixth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, 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 whisky, 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 ~~a certain person whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,~~ *one Charles F. Partridge*

; 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
Dist atty

SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Conroy* of the crime of exposing for sale and selling spirituous liquors on Sunday, committed as follows, that is to say: The said *John Conroy* 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, 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 whisky, 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 a certain person whose name is to the Grand Jury unknown,

contrary to 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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Please let me off until
next week Charles Devlin
PART 2.

THE COURT-ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court-Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To

of No.

Charles Partidge
43 Front Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you appear in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the day of June instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

John Conway
in a case of Felony, whereof he stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of June

JOHN Mc KEA the year of our Lord 1882

DANIEL G. ROLINS, District Attorney.

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Should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.

If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court.

If ill when served, please send timely word to the District Attorney's office.

If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

State of New York, }
City and County of New York, } ss.

being duly sworn, deposes and says he

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon

on the day of

, 188 , by

Sworn to before me, this day
of 188 }

Notary Public,
N. Y. Co.

Maverick & Wissinger, 170 Fulton St., N. Y.

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DESCRIPTION:

Cooley, Thomas

DATE:

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WITNESSES.

Bill Ireland
May 15
(1881)

(1)

Counsel, *W. H. H.*

Filed 10 day of May 1881

Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas F. Cooley

INDICTMENT.
Lawfully from the Person.

F

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John Stevens

May 15/81 Foreman.

Edward J. Coquille

0071

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 F. Cooley

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

Thomas F. Cooley

of the CRIME OF LARCENY (from the person)

committed as follows:

The said

Thomas F. Cooley

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

*Divers Coins of a Kind and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and of
the Value of Sixty one Cents and one
Pocket book of the Value of fifty Cents*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

Dec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles C. Cady
216 E. 76 St
Thomas F. Cooley
Harry Harney
Offered Larceny from
the person

Date May 1 188 2

Magistrate.

Clerk.

Witnesses _____
Street, _____

Witnesses _____
Street, _____

Witnesses _____
Street, _____

Witnesses _____
Street, _____

Cause 5.
Attorney's Office.
May 8 1882

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 F. Cooley and Harry Harney guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of four Hundred Dollars cash and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated May 1 188 2 Merced 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.

0073

Sec. 198-200.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Harry Harvey 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. Harry Harvey

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. City of New York

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. 252 Third Avenue, about three years

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 do know nothing about the taking of the pocket book

H. Harvey

Taken before me, this first

day of May

1887

Marcus Oberman

Police Justice.

0074

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.3^d DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Thomas F. Cooley 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 F. Cooley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *City of New York*

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

Answer. *342 Third Avenue, for 9 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I am at present not working*

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 found the pocket book on the corner of the grass plot in the Park*

Thos. F. Cooley

Taken before me, this *first*

day of *May*

188*7*

Marcus A. [Signature]
Police Justice.

0075

District Police Court.

Affidavit-Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ssof No. age 18 years, singleStreet of 216 East 76 Streetbeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 30 day of April 188at the Central Park in the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, and from her personthe following property, viz: good and lawful money of
the United States consisting of coins to the
amount and in all of the value of Sixty-one
cents and one pocket book of the value
of fifty cents, in all of the value of
one dollar and eleven centsthe property of deponentand 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 F. Canley andHarry Harvey (both born here) for
the reasons following; That on said day at
about five o'clock in the afternoon, de-
ponent had said property in her possession
and carried the same in a pocket of the
sac then worn by deponent upon her
person, while in said Central Park, that
about five o'clock she found said property
missing from said pocket, and is informed by

Police Justice.

0076

Officer Michael H. Buckley of the Central Park Police
 that at the same time to wit at five O'Clock P.M.
 he arrested said two defendants and found
 said property in possession of said Carley and
 that said Harvey was then in said Carley's
 company, and both attracting said
 officers attention by their suspicious acting
 about the people in said Central Park.
 Deponent verily believes and charges that
 said property was taken stolen and carried
 away from her possession and person, by said
 defendants both acting in concert -
 Sworn to before me this May 9th 1882
 first day of May 1882

Wm. O. O'Boyle
 Police Justice

City and County of New York Michael H. Buckley
 an officer of the Central Park Police being duly
 sworn says he has heard read the foregoing
 affidavit and is familiar with its contents
 and that portion thereof, referring thereto
 is true upon his own knowledge
 Sworn to before me this
 first day of May 1882

Wm. O. O'Boyle
 Police Justice

Michael H. Buckley

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

0077

BOX:

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FOLDER:

747

DESCRIPTION:

Cooney, John

DATE:

05/29/82



747

WITNESSES:

Counsel, *26*
Filed *29* day of *May* 188*2*
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P.
John Cooney*

INDICTMENT.
LARCENY FROM THE PERSON.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Stevens

Foreman.

May 31. 1882

Thank to

Carroll's Secretary by

W. C. Higgins, Librarian

0079

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 Cooney

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

of the CRIME OF LARCENY from the person

committed as follows:

The said

John Cooney

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

*Three Coins of the united states of
America of the kind known as
two Cent pieces of the value of
two Cents each Six Coins of the united
states of America of the kind known
as Cents of the value of one
Cent each and one pocket watch
of the value of fifty Cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Otto Freund*
on the person of ~~the said~~ *Fredericka Freund* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Fredericka Freund* 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.

Dated 188 *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

John Cooney 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 Cooney

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

13 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Pennsylvania

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

Answer.

601 West 43 Street. two weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

None

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 guilty of the charge preferred against me. I saw the pocket book in the lady pocket ~~box~~ and I took it

Taken before me, this

22

day of *May*

1882

John Cooney

R. S. Murphy

Police Justice.

0082

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 92 Miller

Fredricka Shreund, aged
26 years. House Keeper

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 21st day of May 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, and from the person of deponent in the daytime
the following property, viz:good and lawful money of the United States
consisting of Copper coins of the value of six cents
one red leather pocket book of the value of
fifty cents.

All of the value of fifty six cents / .56/100

the property of Otto Shreund deponent's husband

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,
stolen, and carried away by John Cooney (nowhere)from the fact that said pocket book
containing said money was in the pocket
of deponent's dress and then worn on the
person of deponent and this deponent was
informed by Officer August Kassing
that he Kassing saw the said Cooney
take, steal, and carry away the said
pocket book containing said money from the
person and possession of deponent.

Fredricka Shreund

Sworn before me this

22nd day of May

1882

Police Justice.

0003

City and County of }
 New York } August Kassing
 being duly sworn deposes and says that
 on the 21st day of May 1882 while in the
 Central Park. Dependent saw John Conner
 (nowhere) in the act of inserting his Conner's
 hand into the pocket of the dress then
 and there worn on the person of Fredrika
 Freund and did take, steal and carry
 away from the person and possession of
 the said Fredrika a leather pocket book
 containing the sum of six cents which
 dependent found on the person of said Conner
 and which was identified by said Fredrika
 as the property of her husband. Otto Freund.

Sworn to before me
 this 22nd day of May 1882

R. W. Rixley

Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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BOX:

67

FOLDER:

747

DESCRIPTION:

Courtney, Michael

DATE:

05/17/82



747

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WITNESSES.

Bill Under
Wm. C. P. Belmont
(E)

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of May 1882

Pleads, J. H. Gully

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Courtney
P

INDICTMENT.
Larceny from the Person.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John J. Lacey
May 23/82 Foreman.

Pleads guilty

131 S. P. 1882 years.

0086

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Michael Courtney

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

Michael Courtney

of the CRIME OF LARCENY (from the person)

committed as follows:

The said

Michael Courtney

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

*Two promissory notes for the payment
of money the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied and of the kind
known as United States Treasury
Notes for the payment of and of
the value of one dollar each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

on the person of the said

John Donovan

from the person of the said *John Donovan* 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.

..... *Police Justice.*

0088

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.2nd
4 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Michael Country

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

47 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

Persey ; 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Labourer

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 don't know any thing about it.

Michael X Country
made

Taken before me, this

14

day of

May 188*2*

J. Henry Ford

Police Justice.

0089

FORM 10.

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

of No.

that on the

New York, in the County of New York,

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

1882 at the City of

Michael Scanlon
Police Precinct
 14th day of May
 deponent's attention was
 called by one Frederick Peters to the
 complainant and the defendant named
 in the annexed affidavit. They were
 standing in Christopher near Washington
 Street. Said complainant John Donovan,
 had hold of the defendant, Michael
 Courtney, by the coat collar.
 That said Peters informed deponent that
 he had seen the said Courtney take some
 money out of the right side pocket of
 said Donovan's pantaloons and that
 deponent found in the roadway of
 Christopher Street, about four feet

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day

1882

Police Precinct

0090

from where the said Donovan and Scanlon
were standing, two bills of the denomination
of one dollar each, which the said
Donovan accused the said Scanlon of
taking from him.

Sworn to before me this } Michael Scanlon
14th day of May 1882 }
J. Henry Roth
Police Justice

Form 10.

Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated,

188

Justice.

Officer.

Witness.

0091

2nd
District Police Court

Affidavit-Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ssof No. *Marquette Michigan* Street, *at House of Detention*being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *14th* day of *May* 1882at the *9th Ward* City of New York,in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, *and from deponent's person, in the daytime*

the following property, viz:

*Good and lawful money of the
issue of the United States Government con-
sisting of Ten notes or bills of the denomina-
tion and value of One dollar each*

the property of *this deponent*

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

*Michael Courtney (now
known for the reasons following), to wit:
That deponent was accosted on the
upper corner of Christopher and West
Streets by the said Courtney and that
while deponent and said Courtney were
walking along Christopher Street, on the
lower side of the Street, in company with
said Courtney, he, said Courtney, first*

Seems to be the same as this

day of

Police Justice

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his hand into the right side pocket of the pantaloons then and there worn on the person of defendant as a part of his bodily clothing, and said Courtney took therefrom the money hereinbefore described and started to run away when defendant pursued and caught him. Sworn to before me this 14th day of May 1882 } John W. Jones
J. Henry Ford
Police Justice.

City and County of New York, ss. -
Frederick Peters being duly sworn deposes and says as follows:
Q. What is your name, age, residence and business?
A. Frederick Peters, age 20, residence N^o. 237 Avenue "A", and by occupation a piano maker.
Q. State what you know of this case?
A. I saw the complainant and the defendant on the upper corner of Christopher and West Streets. The defendant asked the complainant to take a drink and the complainant said "No. I have plenty of money to buy my own drink", at the same time taking some bills out of both ~~pantaloons~~ pockets of his pantaloons and immediately returned the money to his pockets. The complainant then walked across the street and up Christopher Street and the defendant followed him and when they were both about opposite the car stables I saw the defendant, Michael Courtney - herein present put his hand in the right side pocket of the complainant's pantaloons and when said Courtney withdrew his hand from the complainant's said pocket I saw some bills drop to the ground. Frederick Peters

Sworn to before me this 14th day of May 1882.
J. Henry Ford
Police Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

747

DESCRIPTION:

Crawford, Maud

DATE:

05/25/82



747

Buckley

State Mallory

34 West 29th St.

Paul Will be

Entered by Mary

Grand Jury

Walter

W. H. H. & Co.
P. C. H. H. H. 157

Trial for
Counsel
Filed 15th day of May 1882

Pleads
Not guilty (Guilty?)

THE PEOPLE

'08.

Ward Crawford

Class

112 West 28

~~John H. H. H.~~
BASINS & CO.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John H. H. H.
Foreman

June 19. 1882

Tried and convicted

Pen 60 days.

1882

June 21/82

Indictment for Disorderly House.

0095

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

Maud ^{against} *Crawford*

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

Maud Crawford

disorderly ^{house} of the crime of *Keeping and Maintaining a*
committed as follows: *Maud Crawford*
The said

late of the *twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, on the *first* day of *August* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* and on divers other days
and times, between that day and the day of the taking of this Inquisition, at the City
and Ward, and in the County aforesaid, did keep and maintain, and yet continue to
keep and maintain, a certain common, ill-governed and disorderly house, and in
her said house, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as
well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent
and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and
wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in *her*
said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said
other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting,
disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully,
did permit, and yet continues to permit, to the great damage and common nuisance of
the People of the said Ward, there inhabiting and residing, and of all the people there
passing, to the evil example of all others in the like case offending, and against the
peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

~~DANIEL G. ROLLINS,~~

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS,~~

John McKeon
District Attorney.

0096

Testimony in the
case of
Maud Crawford
V. G. R. filed
1/1/82

60 folios

1882

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Testimony in the
case of
Maud Crawford
V. F. / 87
V. F. / 87 filed

60 folio

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The People } Court of General Sessions. Part 2
vs. Crawford } Before Judge Coving. June 16, 1888
Indictment for keeping a disorderly house.
Asst. Dist. Atty. O'Byrne for the people.
Howe and Hummell for the defendant.
A jury was empanelled and sworn.

Patrick G. Moloney sworn, testified I live at 110 West Twenty eighth St. next door to Mand Crawford's. There is a public school in the block; it is a street of private residences. A few days after the arrival of Mand Crawford in August I saw prostitutes soliciting men on the streets and avenues and take men into her house for the purpose of having illicit commerce. During the month of August I could not enumerate the number of men and women who applied at my house, who rang the bell and enquired for Mrs. Crawford's. I have seen them go into 112. I have seen them go from 112 to 54 West Twenty eighth St. a house of assignation. I know that there was a very improper person, a woman in 112, whom we drove out but a short time before from across the way, who lived in a house of prostitution; she was one of the persons who rang my bell and went into 112. There was a fight occurred about the first of September in 112 which drew a very large crowd around the premises, on my stoop and on the sidewalk. The defendant

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charged the servant of robbing some man in her house; the servant retaliated by charging her with keeping a whore house and that she had a great deal of cheek to come and squat down among decent people, and now that they found out the character of her and her house. She hoped that the neighbors would take action against her and clear her out of here. That was said to Mand Crawford by the girl. After the crowd had dispersed, Mr. Culver, who lives at the other side of this house 114, we consulted as to what was best. It was then that we concluded we should go to the station house and enter a complaint as to the character of the house. We went to the station house and we happened to find the Captain in his office, Capt. Williams and we stated to him our business. After the Captain heard our complaint and understood our business he called one of his officers and instructed the officer to go down to 112 West Twenty eighth St. and bring up from there the woman who ran that house. The officer discharged that duty, the

defendant came back with the officer.
 The Captain asked her whether name was.
 She said, "Mrs. Charles H. Crawford; I am
 a married woman, I am legally mar-
 ried to Charles H. Crawford; he is a gam-
 bler, I keep lodgers and let rooms." Capt
 Williams said, "Tell your husband
 Charles H. Crawford, you love a good
 pimp, that you are a whore and I want
 you to leave there tomorrow and take
 your whores and their baggage along."
 The answer was, "I will, sir." Then car-
 riages would roll up at night to my
 door, or rather on the street opposite
 the door, and a quarrel would com-
 mence between the coachman and the
 passengers; they were passengers to
 112; after they rang my bell I dis-
 covered that. I said, when I opened the
 door, "your business?" They want Miss
 So and So. I said, this is a decent house,
 there is no such person living there;
 you made a mistake, they went into
 112. I don't know how many dozen people
 of that character made those visits. I
 did not know anything about the char-
 acter of those gentlemen. I have known

some of their faces though, and do to the
 present day. I have been out of my bed as
 often as four times a night to answer
 similar calls myself. Day light appeared
 in my window before I ever slept a
 minute from enquiries made of a sim-
 ilar character resulting in precisely the
 same way. I have heard in the Defen-
 dant's house low, disgusting and inexpress-
 ibly vulgar language. I have heard them
 say, "you lie, you are a liar, you are a
 damned whore, I am not; yes you are,
 and have been to night, damn you,
 you cannot impose on me" - and
 all that sort of filthy and dirty language
 frequently. I never kept an account of
 the number of times, but they have been
 at least three times a week. I will state
 the case of two men who came into
 my house in the morning about three
 months ago. My servant was doing her
 duty ^{scrubbing the floor} he took up her clothes and went
 on her back. I came down because
 she screamed. They went into 112, and
 this was as early in the morning as
 half past seven, I am positive it was
 not 8 o'clock. I was called out of
 my bed by the fearful screeching of the

servant. One of the men went into the parlor. After I saw this occurrence both of those men went to 712 and I saw them. I have seen women come out of 712 and go into 54, which is a house of assignation, soliciting men in the street. I saw them do that in the afternoon and evening and bring them into 712 several times. I saw this in the fall and winter. Cross Examined. I think the last act of soliciting that I witnessed was about three months ago. I was on the side walk on Sixth Ave., perhaps 150 feet away from this house. I heard what was said and saw them go into 712 after they made the bargain. I saw the woman go in and out of 712 several times. They spoke distinctly enough for me to hear. A woman stopped a man and said, "How do you do love?" He stood and listened to her and she said, "Don't you want to have a nice time." She came down from Twenty ninth St.; he was going North and they met about one or two doors from the corner of Twenty eighth St. on Sixth Avenue. She said, "Don't you wish to have a nice time?" He said, "I do not know but

what I may. Where do you live?" She
 said, Round the corner, quite conven-
 ient here, 112 Twenty eighth St. I have
 got a very nice room; we will have
 a very nice time if you will come."
 He said, he was not exactly prepared
 then or something of that kind. She
 had a very handsome room and would
 not be disturbed. They passed around
 the corner, went down to 112 and went
 in. She was a small sized person, I
 think it was the same girl; she was
 very industrious in her calling; she
 would sometimes go out of the basement
 door. I used to see her go out of this
 house perhaps a dozen times a day.
 I have heard her say during the fall,
 "How do you do? want you have a nice
 time; don't you want to come with
 me. She was tried on the first indict-
 ment and the jury disagreed. It is
 the second indictment we are trying
 now. It goes back to the time when
 she first came to 28th St. I do not
 let furnished rooms. I have no control
 of the house; my daughter has; my
 daughter has two friends there. My
 daughter has I think advertised once

or twice for two gentlemen. I never heard of
 such a thing as two gentlemen who boarded
 at my house moving into the next house.
 I never heard of any one trying to get into
 the house of the defendant with a key that
 belonged to mine. I never heard of the male
 occupants of my house going to her house
 by mistake. Mr. Glover was at the station
 house when Capt. Williams was there; he
 heard all the conversation. Did you ever meet
 this woman in the street and call her a
 damned old whore? Never used that language.
 She was coming down her stoop and Mr.
 Russell, my neighbor at the other side two
 doors from where I live - that woman came
 out of No 112. I said, "that is the whore
 that runs the house." That was the express-
 ion I used opposite my own door. I presume
 she heard it and so did Mr. Russell. I
 did not speak with the intention of ad-
 dressing this woman. I never spoke to her
 in my life. Mr. Russell lives in No 106.
 He was sitting with me, opposite my house
 when this woman came down the stoop.
 He said, "there is the woman coming down
 No 112." I turned round and looked and
 said, "that is the whore that runs the house."

You have not the least particle of feeling against
 that woman have you? Only to have her re-
 moved from there as an intolerable nuis-
 ance. This proceeding on your part is to get
 her away? So have decent people live in
 the house. She said she would go, but she has
 broken her promises. I may perhaps have
 said that I would send her on the Island
 I do not recollect that I have, but I may
 have said so; she certainly deserves it.
 Pyllie O'Byrne. Then you made complaint to the District
 Attorney; did you fix any time for the offence?
 Yes sir, I told in the District Attorney's office
 that this woman had lived there since last
 August. You had nothing to do with putting
 the first of May in the indictment? None
 whatever. I knew nothing of the indictment
 never read it. I was cited before the grand
 jury. During the month of May 1882 were
 there any disturbances or noises in the
 house? I have already answered the ques-
 tion that great noises was in the house -
 fearful noise, and this disgusting lan-
 guage. It occurred about the beginning
 of May, the 8th or 10th of May. There is where
 one of the most disgusting scenes or
 language occurred - "you lie," you are ano-
 ther liar." I heard this coming from 112.

The rear of my house is in Twenty Seventh St. I am glad to say that in that street there are not plenty of notorious noisy houses of prostitution. They have been there, but we have driven them out, and all those houses are occupied by industrious Black people, whom I am happy to say give us no trouble at all. There is not a house of that kind in the rear of Twenty Seventh St. on the north. I am not speaking of the South side. When did you succeed in driving all those noisy people out of those houses? I disremember the time. Col. Spencer could tell you, he was counsel for the defendant in the case. It was some time ago, I could not think of it now. You tell the jury that you never heard any noises from those houses within the time of finding this indictment? I never had occasion to draw down my blinds or curtains or anything else in order to veil from sight those people - all Black at that. They are industrious, hardworking people. Did you drive honest, hardworking people out? I drove prostitutes out. Did you ever have occasion to draw down your blinds that you should not gaze upon them? Yes. I had, and they were

sentenced from this Court and sent to Blackwells Island to the penitentiary.

Henry C. Glover, sworn and examined. I live at 114 West Twenty eighth St; that is next door to Maud Crawford's place; she lives between me and Mr. Moloney. I have lived there 19 years; the house belongs to the estate. I am a single man. I have a mother and two sisters living there. I would not be positive, but I think it was about the first week in August that Maud Crawford came to live in No 112. Will you tell what you have seen or heard in or about the house of Maud Crawford of a disorderly and improper nature?

Between the time that Maud Crawford came there in August to the first week in September - that is before we made the complaint to Capt. Williams that the house was disorderly - there was women constantly crossing from the schoolhouse to Sixth Avenue; they would bring the man down as far as the schoolhouse and sometimes they would come back and go into 112 West Twenty eighth St, Maud Crawford's; other times they would lose him and go back to Sixth Avenue and come down with another one. I have seen one girl go into this defendant's house and take

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as many as six men from supper time till 8 or 9 o'clock in the evening into the defendant's house I made complaint to Capt. Williams about the first week in September about what I saw and heard in and about the house; the defendant was sent for by the patrolman on that beat and she came to Capt. Williams's station house. She walked into his private office where G. B. Maloney and myself were sitting. The Captain asked her what her name was? She says, "my name is Mrs. Charles H. Crawford." "You are living at 112 West Twenty Eighth St." "I do." "What do you keep there?" "I keep boarders and a lodginghouse. I am legally married to Charles H. Crawford." He says, "You are a liar; you keep a whore house and I want you to take your whores and your whores baggage and all that is in that house and get out of there; if you do not, I will make you," in words to that effect. He says, "Will you do so? will you get out?" She says, "yes sir, I will." "Will you be out of there by tomorrow night?" "Yes I will." The Captain said, "I have a good mind to lock you up; you have got a hell of a cheek to plant yourself amongst respectable people." She says, "I will the

second time and went out. That is about all. The second or third week in September. I was going home about half past eleven in the evening. I just got into my house and the bell was pulled. I got to the third floor and ran to the hall bed room and looked out and saw three or four men. Just as I had got my head out, one says, "Hold up, Billy, That aint it, it is 112. They went down my stoop and went into 112, the defendant's house; this was between 11 and 11 1/2 o'clock. I could not say how long they remained. I have seen men go in there on diverse occasions, I have seen women go in there with men repeatedly during Sept. Oct. and I think a part of Nov. I have seen them go in as often as ten times a night. I have seen Mrs. Samuel Knight go in there. I think that was probably in January or February. I have seen her on Sixth Avenue taking them to 113, opposite, three and four a day and then also in Maud's. I have seen her catch them on Sixth Avenue and take them to 112 Twenty eighth St. maybe three or four times. I have seen seven or eight intoxicated women go into 112 in January and February of this year and I have heard disputes

in there since Feb. There was a row in the hall of her house; she knocked down one of the girls there and says to her, "you take that now, don't be so independent when these men come in here, I will teach you better." The girl cried; we could hear her fall. I knew her voice, and afterwards I heard the voice of another one in the yard and it compared with the voice that I had heard in the hall that she had struck and knocked down. I should not think it was more than three months ago; it is of recent date. I have seen carriages go up there the last few days, people getting out of them and running in there. It was usually about seven o'clock that I saw carriages there. I do not get home again until 11 or 12 o'clock. How often since the month of August last have you seen persons of lewd character, intoxicated men go in at unreasonable and improper hours to this house 112? From the time she moved in there until the complaint was made to Capt. Williams dozens of times a day - from the time the complaint was made to Capt. Williams the first week in Sept. until the first day of the trial. It is very seldom I go by there that men and women are not going in

there and from carriages in front of the
 door. My bell was pulled seven weeks ago
 and a gentleman stuck his foot in between
 the door; the door was open and he squatted
 himself in the arm chair in the parlor,
 laid off, and was asleep in about a minute.
 I went up and said, "What do you want here?
 I caught hold of him and told him to go out.
 "Beg pardon," he says, "I thought I was in No 112."
 He went into 112 West Twenty eighth St. Cross
Examined. I don't know Oliver Cotten, never
 heard of him, and don't know what his
 occupation is. I have heard of Dr Crosby, but
 do not know him. I know some of the Excise
 Inspectors but never have been around
 with them. I have been to the Buckingham
 twice, but never have been to the Haymarket.
 I was a witness in this case when it was
 tried last. I have been a commercial trav-
 eler on the road for eleven years. I never
 was associated with Oliver Cotten in prose-
 cuting persons who violated the Excise
 law. I have kept a cigar store for the last
 few months. I came in from the road
 broken down and I went into that business
 for rest. "H. C. Glover, formerly Cuban cigar
 store fine imported cigars, cigarettes, all
 kinds of smoking and chewing tobacco,

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No 336 Fourth Ave. N.Y. between 24th and 25th Sts.
 I am the person spoken of in that card. I leave
 the cigar store every night about 11 o'clock and
 Saturday nights twelve. I get there usually
 about 9 o'clock in the morning and stay
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 turn about two or 1/4 past two, stay there
 until about 3 or 3 1/2, generally go and
 take a walk till about 1/4 of 6, go home to
 supper at 1/4 to 6, return again at a
 1/4 to 7 and stay till eleven o'clock. The
 time I saw six or eight men taken in by
 one girl was the night I was home from
 supper time until about 10 or 11 o'clock.
 I was standing opposite 103 watching. I do
 not know who the men are. I would not
 swear of my own knowledge the purpose
 for which they went in there. I am sat-
 isfied in my own mind what it was for.
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 and the middle of Sept. I made the com-
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that occurred between any of these men on the street and the women? Yes sir. I have been in my parlor and on my stoop and heard it. I went to Capt. Williams the first week in Sept. I do not know that she has been arrested on the 5th of May. I believe there were no proceedings taken against her. Capt. Williams said to her, "you have got a hell of a cheek to plant yourself in that neighborhood amongst respectable people," or a hell of a lot of impudence," I don't know which - words to that effect. I have not seen her recently.

Grace Carroll, sworn and examined, testified I live 108 West Twenty eighth St., very near to where Maud Crawford lives. I do not know her personally, I only know her by sight. I have lived at 108 for eleven months as a housekeeper for Mr & Mrs. Arnold. I can say I have been very much annoyed by gentlemen coming to our door, ringing the bell and pushing themselves past me into the house. I saw them afterwards go into 112, Maud Crawford's. They made no enquiry for any person in our place. Persons have come in very often in this way to our house to our annoyance. I saw persons go from our house to 112 two or three times.

John Russell sworn and examined. I live 106 West Twenty eighth St. third house from Mand Crawford towards Sixth ave. I am tormented by men coming to my house at all hours of the night from ten until three o'clock in the morning. Have had to get up often and go down I did not see where they went to.

Edward M. Snyder, sworn and examined. I live at 19 Clinton Place. I moved there last Christmas. I was at Mand Crawford's house 112 West Twenty eighth St. the first and second of May last. I went there the first day of May in the afternoon about four o'clock; Mand Crawford came to the door and three ladies went out. I told her I came there to meet a young lady by the name of Miss Lewis. She said the ladies are all out this afternoon. So I said, "very well, I will come round this evening." I went around there about 8.30 and rang the bell. A colored girl opened the door and showed me into the parlor. Mand came in from the room off the parlor and she wanted to know what I wanted. I told her I came here to meet that lady that I was there to see in the afternoon, she wanted to know who it was. I told her Miss Lewis. She thought a few moments

and she says, "I guess you mean Miss Eva, don't you?" I say, "I don't know, it might be Miss Eva, I might be mistaken in the name." She says, "I am real sorry, but some of the girls are moving this afternoon and she has moved, she told me the number she moved to, I have forgotten," she says, "I will send for her if you wish." I say, "No, you need not send for her, I guess, I am leaving the city, I will have to leave without seeing any girls." She says, "No, if you will wait a few moments I will get you a nice little girl." I say, "Very well." She went out of the parlor and was gone out ten minutes; she came back again and sat down; we talked a few minutes; the bell rang and the landlady answered the bell. There was a young lady came in and the landlady showed her into the parlor where I was. She says, "Here is a young lady for you." She went out and closed the door. This lady and I sat down and talked a few moments and the landlady came around and went through the hall and came in through the room off the parlor. She says, "You folks can use this room if you wish and light the gas. So this lady asked me if I would not go to the room with her. I said, 'Yes'. We went in the room, and the

landlady says, "You can turn down the gas a little in the parlor, nobody care see through the doors; it was glass folding doors. That was upon the first occasion. I went there again upon the 2nd of May, about 4 1/2 o'clock. I did not see Mrs. Crawford at that time. I first saw the colored girl, she came to the door and showed me into the parlor; before I stepped into the parlor she asked me what I wanted. I saw a young lady there, not the same one I saw there the day before. I told her I was going away, I had an engagement to come here last night, but I could not come. I was going away this evening, I came here before I went. I told the colored girl I was going away and I wanted to see any of the girls that was not engaged. The young lady wanted to know if I would not come to her room. Cross Examined My true name is Edward M. Snyder, but I have passed by the name of Edward M. Howard about four or five years ago simply because I did not like the name Snyder; it is a German name. I never was arrested in the St. Nicholas or any other hotel. I was employed as a cashier in a restaurant at Leadville. I have been engaged here since Christmas as a private detective.

I was in Mr. Vanburen's cigar store near Twenty eighth St. on Sixth Avenue and Mr. Glover was talking with some gentleman across the counter. I was in there buying a cigar at the time; he was talking about this disreputable house 112 West Twenty eighth St.; he said he presumed he had evidence enough, but he would like to get a little more. After I heard him talk I told him I thought it could be gotten and then we made a bargain; he wanted to know if I would go and get the evidence; Glover told me to go in and stay with a girl - that is as near as I can remember; I furnished the money for the girl; it was not agreed what my remuneration would be; I asked him about the price; he said he would pay me well for my time; Mr. Glover told me where he lived. I undertook to go to the house and stay with a girl and give evidence about it. I paid the girl ten dollars. Mr. Glover did not give me any money. I was to be paid for my services when this party was removed from 112.

Walter D. Lacey sworn and examined. I am now staying at 324 4th Ave. I have not been engaged in any business since I came to New York. I have been here about four months. I do not know Mand Crawford

personally, I never saw her but once and that
 was ~~at~~ the house in Twenty eighth St. about the
 first of March. I saw her in the hall as I went
 in. I went up stairs, stayed with a girl, came
 out and went away. I brought the girl in with
 me; Mrs Crawford was in the hall; we did
 not speak to each other. I met the girl on Sixth
 ave. Cross Examined. I am staying with
 my friend Mr. Titmarsh, vice president of the
 Horse Insurance Co. Before I came here I was
 in Forestville, Prince Georges Co. Maryland.
 I came to New York to see the sights. I was
 here two or three weeks before I went to this
 house; the girl had induced me to go. I do
 not know Mr. Glover or Mr. Moloney. I think it
 was about the first of March I met the girl
 on Sixth ave. between 8 and 9 o'clock in the
 evening. I did not know who kept the place,
 I gave the girl five dollars and had con-
 nection with her and went out. I guess
 about ten days ago a man came to me
 on Sixth avenue and asked me if I had
 been in a house in Twenty eighth St. I sup-
 pose him now to be Mr. Moloney. I had never
 seen him before. I was going down Sixth
 avenue from home. I never had had
 any previous conversation with Mr. Moloney.

John Roberts, sworn and examined for the
 defence testified. I am a member of the 29th
 precinct of this city and am on duty in Twenty
 eighth St. No 112 is on my beat. I have been on
 duty there about two years. Your profession as
 a policeman has made you somewhat fam-
 iliar with prostitutes when you see them in
 the street? Yes, I generally know them. During
 that two years have you seen prostitutes going
 into and coming out of the house No 112? I do
 not know as I have, I have not recognized
 any. Cross Examined. I cannot tell how
 often I pass the house of Maud Crawford, I am
 on duty every night and pass the house three
 or four times a night. I have seen one or
 two carriages stand there at her house. I have
 not noticed any men and women going from
 the hacks into her house. I recognized people
 going in there that I knew lived there. I
 know nothing of the character of the people who
 lived there. Is it a part of your duty as a
 municipal officer to observe persons of low
 character go in and out of certain houses
 on your beat? Not unless I am notified of
 the nature of the house. Otherwise you do not
 consider that you have anything to do
 with it? No sir. I have no business to
 look at people going into your house or

any house. There is two gentlemen that I know living in Mand Crawford's over a year. I thought she moved in there about a year ago. James B. McDonald sworn. I am a police officer of the 29th precinct. My beat has been in Twenty eighth St. since last Sept. Have you ever observed prostitutes going in and out of Mand Crawford's house? No sir. Cross Examined. You were examined upon the former trial? Yes sir. Did you not ~~then~~ testify that you had seen upon two or three occasions persons whom you knew going in and out to that place? No sir, I did not. Have you seen any persons going in and out to Mand Crawford's house whom you knew? Yes sir. I saw one man going in and out of there whom I knew. Did you ever see any persons whom you did not know? Certainly I seen lots of people I did not know. Do you know anything of their character? No sir. Then your testimony is, you have seen lots of people going in and out of there? Yes sir, certainly since last September. About 7, 8 or 9 o'clock I might see somebody go in. I did not know the character of the people. I saw a man and woman go in there once and I have seen women

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go in there. That is all I have seen. I have passed Mrs. Crawford's house three or five times a night. I live in Monroe St. in the Seventh ward. Don't lots of people go in your house all hours of the day and night, men and women? Yes sir. Are they street walkers? I hope not. Max Delbanco, ^{son} and examined. Where do you live? At 112 West Twenty eighth St. You live there now? I do. Do you know the firm of Adler Bros. and Neutchen? I was there for eleven years; they have a dry goods store at 369 Broadway. I was there eleven years as bookkeeper. Where are you now engaged? Newstader & Co., importers of trimmings at 83 Mercer St. I am employed there as bookkeeper. I came with Mrs. Crawford from Twenty second St. to 112 West Twenty eighth St. I lived alone in a room there. Did you see any prostitutes go in there at all hours of the day and night any time that you are aware of? I did not.

During the time you have lived there are you aware of any prostitute going in that you know of? No sir. Who are the inmates of that house? Well, and Mrs. Berry have furnished rooms on the same floor with me. I cannot tell their

business. There is Mrs Wilson on the floor below. I am not aware of any others living there. Have you been disturbed at people coming there at all hours of the night? I have not. Have you seen persons men and women of evil name and fame coming together in that house at all hours of the day and night, remaining there drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting and disturbing the peace whoring or misbehaving themselves? No Sir. I leave the house in the morning between 8 and 9 o'clock and came back about 11 or 12 o'clock at night.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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Trial for
Counsel,
Filed 4 day of May 1882
Pleaded *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Maud Crawford

Indictment for Disorderly House.

DANIEL C. COLLINS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK

Maud against *Crawford*

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

Maud Crawford

a disorderly house of the crime of *Keeping and Maintaining*
committed as follows:

The said

Maud Crawford

late of the *twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, on the *first* day of *May* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* and on divers other days
and times, between that day and the day of the taking of this Inquisition, at the City
and Ward, and in the County aforesaid, did keep and maintain, and yet continue to
keep and maintain, a certain common, ill-governed and disorderly house, and in *her*
said house, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as
well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent
and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and
wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in *her*
said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said
other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting,
disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully,
did permit, and yet continues to permit, to the great damage and common nuisance of
the People of the said Ward, there inhabiting and residing, and of all the people there
passing, to the evil example of all others in the like case offending, and against the
peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS,~~

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS,~~

John McKern
District Attorney.

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W. H. H.
May 31, 82

Wm. H. H.

Counsel,
Filed 29 day of May 1882
Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Thomas C. P.
INDICTMENT.
(Larceny from the Person. Money, &c.)

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
J. H. H.
Foreman.

May 31 - 1882
Indictment returned

W. H. H.

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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 Crimmons

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

Thomas Crimmons

of the crime of LARCENY FROM THE PERSON, committed as follows:

The said

Thomas Crimmons

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

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

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

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

fifteen dollars and fifty three Cents

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Patrick Prior*
on the person of the said *Patrick Prior* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Patrick Prior* 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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Complainant in
Home & Occupation
as defendant of
100. to testify

BAILED,
No. 1 by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 2 by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street, _____

Police Court- 1st 443 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Patrick P. P.
Home & Occupation
1 Thomas P. P.
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Offence, Larceny from person

Dated 23 May 188 _____
J. M. Patterson Magistrate.
John J. P. P. Clerk.
Witnesses, John J. P. P.
No. 1 to answer _____
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No. 100 _____

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 P. P.

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Ten 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 23 May 188 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

182 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas Crimmons

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

14 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

152 Leonard St 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

I make Calendars

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

Answer.

I am not guilty I waive
further examination
Thomas Crimin

Taken before me this

day of

NOV 19 1884

John J. Sullivan

Police Justice.

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First District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No.

House of Detention Patrick Prior aged 40 years laborer

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

23

day of

May

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at the

City of New York,

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

of deponent, and from deponent's person in the daytime

the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money consisting
of two notes of the value of one dollar
Each and silver coins in all of
the value of seventeen dollars and
fifty three 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 Crimmons (now here)
from the fact that deponent saw said
defendant thrust his hand into the
left hand side pocket of the pantaloons
then and there worn by deponent as
a part of his deponent's bodily clothing
and take therefrom said property

Patrick ^{his} Prior
Mark

Sworn before me this

13 day of

May

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Police Justice.

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City and County }
of New York } ss

John Farrington
aged 31 years of the 6th Precinct Police
being duly sworn says that on the 23rd
day of May 1882, about the hour of ten o'clock
on the morning of said day deponent saw
the complainant on Mulberry Street and
saw Thomas Crimmons (nowhere) draw
his hand from the pocket of the pantaloons
then and there worn by complainant
and started and ran away deponent
pursued said Crimmons and arrested
him

Sworn to before me this
23 day of May 1882

John Farrington
J. M. Pearson Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cunningham, Agnes

DATE:

05/09/82



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Bail \$300.
Get & G.
Bailed by deposit of
\$500. with City Chamberlain
May 29. 1882
Lives 133 W 30 St

May 10
A. W. H. H. H. H. H.
Counsel,
Filed 9 day of May 1882
Pleads Guilty (2)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Agnes Lunningham
INDICTMENT.
Larceny of Money from the Person.
John McKeon
District Attorney.

A True Bill
May 15th
Foreman.
Friedy convicted
May 29th
74 Sen suspended

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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,

Agnes ^{against} *Cunningham*

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

Agnes Cunningham

of the crime of

larceny from the

Person
committed as follows:

The said

Agnes Cunningham

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

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

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

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

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

one pocketbook of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

John Miller

on the person of the said

John Miller

then and there being found,

from the person of the said

John Miller

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 McKee

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

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Sec. 219, 210 & 212.

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Police Court, Clerk's District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Miller
House of Detention
Agnes Birmingham

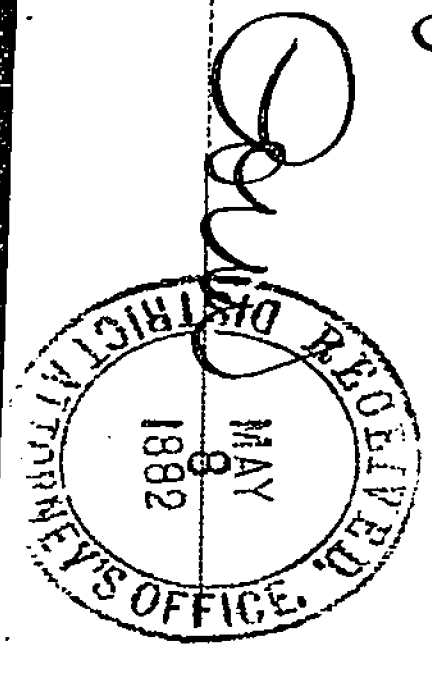
Offence, *Larceny from*
the person

Dated *May 7th* 188*2*

Samuel Magistrate.
Molman 15 Officer.

John H. Molman Clerk.
15 St. Richard Street.

Witnesses
John Miller
House of Detention
in default of \$300
Security 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 *Agnes Birmingham*

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

Dated *May 7th* 188*2* *Samuel* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Agnes Cunningham 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. *Agnes Cunningham*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty six years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Scotland*

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

Answer. *133 West 32nd Nine months.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I am a street walker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

Taken before me, this *7th*
day of *May* 188*2*

Agnes Cunningham
me

Salomon Smith
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 2 Clarkson Street, 20 years Barner
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 6th day of May 1882
at the premises 133 West 3d Street 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 in the night time.
the following property, viz:

one pocket book containing good and
lawful money of the value of fourteen
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 Agnes Cunningham now here
for the following reasons to wit: Deponent
went with said Agnes to a house of assignation
and while having sexual intercourse with said
Agnes deponent felt said Agnes take the
said pocket book from his pants pocket the
said pants being at the time upon the body
and person of deponent

John Miller

Sworn before me this

Robert M. Smith
7th May 1882

Police Justice.

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Testimony in the case
of the People vs.
Agnes Cunningham
filed May 1, 1882.

The People
 vs
 Agnes Cunningham
 Indictment for petty larceny from the person.

Court of General Sessions. Part I.
 Before Judge Cowing. May 15, 1882

John Miller, sworn and examined, testified
 I live in this city since February, I was living
 in 2 Clarkson St. with my brother; my bus-
 iness is farmer. I know the prisoner; she took
 fourteen dollars from me out of my pocket
 on Saturday night, a week ago last Saturday,
 20 minutes past nine o'clock that night. I
 met the prisoner on Third St. off Sixth ave.
 She asked me to come in and have a nice
 time. I asked her what she charged. She said
 a dollar. I says, "all right. I went in and I paid
 a dollar and had fourteen dollars in my
 pocket. She says to me, "Are you not going
 to give me any more?" I says, "No;" so that
 was all right. Then after all was through
 I got up and put my hand in my pocket
 and says, "Have lost fourteen dollars." She
 says, "You Irish son of a b h, I will
 knock the head off you." With that the other
 sister ran right in; so I halloed out then
 for police. There was no police come to me;
 she said she would have me arrested; I
 said I would have her arrested. I ran for
 the door and gave the door a chuck and
 it did not open. Afterwards I gave it a

Kick and it did open. I ran on the stoop, the sister came out and she gave me a shove and shoved me down three steps. I stood at the door until another gentleman got a policeman; she said, "I will have you arrested; I will go with you." At that time the gentleman and the policeman was coming down. I went with him and she went with him. I had the pocket book and the money when I entered the room and there was nobody but the prisoner and me in the room until I missed it. Cross Examined. I was not in the room more than five minutes. I felt her hand taking it, but I did not say anything. I felt her hand in my left side pocket. I was only about two or three minutes on the bed. I did not consent to the prisoner taking the pocket book, I thought she would give it to me again when I said I lost it I never meant to let her keep the pocket book.

John M. McGowan sworn and examined. I arrested the prisoner about 20 minutes after ten on the complaint of the last witness in front of 131 West Third St.; she was on the street at the time. The complainant accused her and she said she was willing to go to the station house; she said she did not do it.

Agnes Cunningham sworn and examined in her own behalf testified. I have heard the statement of the complainant, it is not true. Did you take any money from him that night? No sir, I did not. Did you receive any money from him except the sum he has mentioned? No sir, I received nothing. When did you first hear about him having charged you with taking this fourteen dollars? Why not till he got up and he put his hand in his pocket and said that I took fourteen dollars. I did not. I asked him to come in and he did of course, and I asked him to stay. He did so, and we had connections and that was all. He got up and said I stole fourteen dollars from him. I tried to keep him in there. I called the lady in the back room and asked her to go for an officer so that I could show whether I was guilty or not. I was willing that the officer should search me; he was not willing for that, he opens the door and gives me a shove and of course threw me over; he went into the street and a young lady came in and said she could not find an officer. I went into the street, it was quite some time before any officer was up at all, it was twenty

minutes after when I got arrested; it was more
 than half an hour after he left the room. I
 waited by the house; the complainant never
 lost sight of me at all, he was with me all
 the time waiting for an officer. I did not
 see the pocket book, only the money he gave
 me. He says he took the dollar out of his
 pocket book and gave it to me; he took his
 dollar out of his vest pocket. I have never been
 arrested before. Maggie Murphy sworn and
examined testified I live at 133 West Third St;
 that is not a house of assignation, I am a
 married woman living there with my hus-
 band and child. I remember Saturday night
 a week ago when the prisoner was charged
 with stealing from a man in the house. The
 prisoner called me in and said that the
 man charged her with stealing from him
 fifteen dollars; she said, I want you to go
 and get me an officer right away; he insist-
 ed on going and she wanted to keep him
 until the officer came; he knocked her down.
 I went out and I could not find an officer;
 when I got back the complainant was in
 the street with quite a crowd around him.
 I am no relative of the prisoner. I knew
 that the prisoner was a prostitute; she

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very seldom went out; she used to take
in washing and ironing. I did not
know that night that she was taking a
man into her room.

The jury rendered a verdict of
guilty.