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DESCRIPTION:

Lang, Otto

DATE:

11/21/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0105

Witnesses:

Ed. J. Keating

Counsel,

21 day of *April*

1893

Filed,

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Otto Ling

INJURY TO PROPERTY.

[Section 654, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

James P. ...
March 19 1893

A TRUE BILL.

H. J. ... Foreman.
...
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1892

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

of No. 240 Grand Street, aged 39 years,
occupation char tender being duly sworn, deposes and says
that on the 16 day of November 1892

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

Otto Ling (now here) did wilfully and un-
lawfully break and destroy a plate
glass door in the premises No. 240 Grand
Street, in this city, the property of Davoren
and Kerwick, in deponent's care and charge,
and of the value of Fifty-Dollars (\$50.00)
by striking said glass with an iron
file. Wherefore deponent prays that
defendant may be dealt with according
to law

Edward J. Keating

Sworn to before me, this

17 day of November 1892

John W. [Signature]
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0107

Sec. 198-200.

1882 District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Otto Lang

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. Otto Lang

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 34 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 10 Pell St - 5 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Scissor grinder

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.

Otto Lang.

Taken before me this 17 day of April 1890

John Pell... Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0108

BALIED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

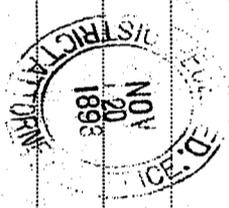
Police Court... District 3

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THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Edmund Volantini
268 1/2 Street
Alto King
Offence *Malicious Mischief*

Dated *Nov 17* 189 *9*

John A. Magistrate
Magistrate
Foley
Officer
117
Precinct



Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. *570* Street *5th*
to answer *G. J. D.*
Caro
F. J. D.

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 *defendant*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Three* 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 *Nov. 17* 189 *9* *John P. Dowling* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ 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 _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0109

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Otto Lang

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

Otto Lang

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *Otto Lang*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one pane of plate glass

of the value of *fifty dollars* of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Patrick Davoren* then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break*

and destroy:

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

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SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said
Otto Lang
of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER,
committed as follows:

The said *Otto Lang*,
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the
City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one pane of plate glass

of the value of *Fifty dollars*
in, and forming part and parcel of the realty of a certain building of one *Patrick*
Davonen there situate, of the real property of the said

Patrick Davonen
then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break and*
destroy.

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Lawlor, Anastatia

DATE:

11/20/93



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Witnesses:

Sarah R. Jennings
James W. Dick

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Counsel,

Filed

day of

20th Nov 1893

Pleads,

Magistrate

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James W. Dick

PETT LARCENY, Sections 528, 529 Penal Code.

Anastasia Lawton

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Officer Conn - 271 State in Prison 1893

A TRUE BILL.

H. C. Ward Foreman.

Part 3 Decubies

Pleads - Pett Larceny
Sentence suspended
R.S.M.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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POLICE COURT, FOURTH DISTRICT.

See Complainant's affidavit within
City and County of New York, } ss.

of No. 335 East 20 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that Anastasia Lawlor (now present) is the person of that name
mentioned in deponent's affidavit of the 8 day of November 1893
hereunto annexed.

Sworn to before me, this 9 day of November 1893 SR Jennings

Chas. M. Burke POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0114

Police Court Fourth District. 1912
Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss. Sarah R. Jennings
of No. 373 East 90 Street, aged 30 years.

occupation Keep House being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 26 day of October 1893 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in day time, the following property, viz:

one gold and diamond scarf pin, one
gold hair pin on lace pin, several
yards of lace, two night dresses, one
silka necker, brooch cuff buttons
one night dress, the property being
altogether of the value of about
fifteen dollars

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of October 1893

the property of deponent and in deponent's
Care

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 Miss Lizzie Ogan, for
the reason that she, on the 15th day of August
went away from the city. That the
said property was in the house
that was about the 1 day of August
said Ogan was employed by deponent
and had charge of the premises
that on said date said Ogan left
deponent and after leaving deponent
discovered some of the above mentioned
property concealed in her, Ogan's room
in the house. Therefore deponent says
that the said Ogan be arrested
held and dealt with according
to law. Sarah R. Jennings

Police Justice

Sec. 193-200.

JP

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Anastasia Lawlor*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 Year*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *745 6 Avenue. 4 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 not guilty*

Anastasia Lawlor

Taken before me this

day of

[Signature]

Police Justice

HIGH QUALITY ORIGINAL

0116

Sec. 151.

Police Court 4 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County
OF NEW YORK. } of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by John J. [unclear] of No. 123 [unclear] Street, that on the 10 day of October 1898 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

one gold and diamond pearl pin, one gold hair pin, one lace trim several yards of pink for night dresses, one silver necklace, one brooch, two cuff buttons, one night dress, the property being a [unclear]

of the value of about fifteen Dollars, the property of Complainant and in complainant's care w by taken, stolen and carried away and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by [unclear]

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

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

Dated at the City of New York, this 5 day of October 1898
[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

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0117

Mrs Marshal 745
Police Court *6th Ave* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs. *[Handwritten]*

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate

Hartigan Officer.

The Defendant *Luggi Lawlor*
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

Officer.

Dated *November 9* 188*93*

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

The within named

Age 28 Irish No 745-6-10

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BAILLED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court... District... 1202

THE PEOPLE, etc.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Richard J. ...
 1333 R. ...
Richard J. ...
 Offence *Larceny*

Dated *Jan 3* 1893

John J. ...
 Registrar.
John J. ...
 Officer.
 Precinct.

Witnesses
Richard J. ...
 No. *333 East 20*
 Street.

No. *207 E ...*
 Street. *145-60a*

No. *195 ...*
 Street. *520*

John J. ...
 500 P. 1

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 *Offendant*

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

Dated *Jan 3* 1893 *John J. ...* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ 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 _____ 189 _____ Police Justice

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Sec. 797.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

In the name of the People of the State of New York, To any Policeman of said City:

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me Thomas J. Brady Esquire,
Police Justice of said City, by Michael P. Quinn of No. 333 East 20
Street, in the said City, that the following property, to wit:

One gold and diamonds scarf pin
one gold hair pin one watch
several ~~knives~~ pens pens, if any
two night dresses one silver
necklace one brooch, two cuff
buttons and one night dress

Has been feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by

Leroy Quinn

and that he has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect that the said property
or part thereof is now concealed in the dwelling house or premises of Michael P. Quinn
situate on a lot of ground fronting on No. 333 East 20 Street in the
Ward of said City.

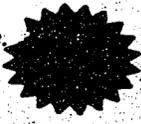
THESE ARE THEREFORE, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to command
and authorize you, with proper assistance, in the day time, to enter into the house or premises of the
said Michael P. Quinn situate as aforesaid, and there make immediate
search for the said property and if the same, or any part thereof
shall be found, then you are likewise commanded to bring the same so found, together with the said

Leroy Quinn

or the person in whose custody the same shall be so found, before me or some other Police Justice in
and for the said City and County, to be dealt with as the law directs. This Warrant unless executed
within five days after its date is void.

Given at the City of New York aforesaid, under my hand and seal,
this 10 day of November thousand
eight hundred and eighty twenty three

Thomas J. Brady Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Inventory of property taken by *J. Fred Hartigan* the Policeman by whom this warrant was executed: *on 9th Nov 1893 at premises No 333 East 20th St*

*One apron
one night dress
one Sechinese*

*J. Fred Hartigan
Det & Clerk*

City and County of New York, ss:

I, *Michael R Hartigan* the Officer by whom this warrant was executed, do swear that the above Inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.

Sworn to before me, this

day of *Nov* 188*9*

J. Fred Hartigan

James C. Burke Police Justice.

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

SEARCH WARRANT.

vs.

Dated

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Justice.

Officer.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0121

Sec. 793.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

of 333 East 70 Street, aged 30 years, occupation keep house being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 10 day of Oct 1893 at the 18 Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, the following property:

one gold and diamond scarf pin, one gold hair pin, one lace pin, several yards of lace, two night dresses, one silver necklace, one brooch, two cuff buttons, one night dress

the property of deponent and in deponent's care and that the deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property has been feloniously taken and stolen by

and that the said property, or part thereof, is now concealed in the dwelling house of deponent situate on a lot of ground fronting on No. 333 East 70 Street, in the Ward of said City. Wherefore, process is requested by this deponent, to search the

house of the said deponent for the said property.

Sworn to before me, this 8 day of Oct 1893 Sarah R. Jennings

M. F. Brady Police Justice.

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank R. Jennings
vs.
George W. ...

Affidavit for Warrant

Dated *May 18 1887*
Frank R. Jennings
Justice.

George W. ...
Officer.
Emmet

Nov. 20/93

Dear Sir,

I take this means of communica-
ting with you because I surmise how
difficult it may be to speak to you,
beside, having my written statement
you can consider it at your leisure.

If I overstep the bounds of Court-
Etiquette in my appeal to you, I crave
your pardon.

I was summoned before
the Grand Jury today to testify against
Anastasia Lawler who is charged
with the larceny of \$15 worth of goods
from my home while she was in charge
of it. I do not know whether she
was held - but the case began by
my getting a search warrant for
her trunk which remained here
after she left my employ - I did

not mean to have her arrested, only to recover my goods. After her arrest I told her repeatedly that if she would not restore them to me, I would not prosecute her - she denied all knowledge of them; the greater part of the goods has now been recovered and by my own efforts.

But she has placed me in an attitude of self defence by writing letters threatening to have me up for her character and breaking open my trunk" when she is proved innocent. I wish the woman was ill, neither do I propose to be obliged to employ a lawyer to defend myself from her attacks. I shall therefore hope for her conviction.

So this is what I want to ask you about; I have a witness who was not summoned today though her name was duly recorded in 57th St-C.H.

It is Mrs. Marshall, 745-6th Ave. She can testify to having seen goods belonging to my nurse worn by Mrs. Lawton in her (Mrs. Marshall's) house where they were afterward found by Mrs. Marshall. Was it not an oversight not to have Mrs. Marshall there today? And there is a ring which she had pawned a year ago, showing this not to be her first offence - and Officer Herdigan can tell you of a Sealskin Coat which had been pawned also - I believe she gets \$1.00 on the coat. There was a prayer book too, stolen and pawned - these last three things do not belong to me.

Only this morning I recovered my husband's scarf-pin from Mrs. James Sisk (office 95 Bldg.) who says she gave it to him. The complaint against Mrs. Lawton was made out first as against Miss Lizzie Eagan as her letters were always so addressed, but

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she herself had the name changed
to Anestaria Lawlor at the 57th St. C. H.

Now, dear Mr. Nicoll, I only want
my side to be fairly represented - I
do not wish to appear as harsh and
unjust. I will not say that Of-
ficer Hardigan has worked against
me, but he certainly has not helped
me. He knew where my husband's
pin was but I had to get it myself.
Mrs. Marshall found the other things.

Went you, please, do what you
can to set my side straight and
greatly oblige

Yours Sincerely

Sarah R. Jennings.

337 East 20th St.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Anastatia Lawlor

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

Anastatia Lawlor

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said

Anastatia Lawlor

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *26th* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one scarf-pin of the value of five dollars, one hair-pin of the value of one dollar, one lace pin of the value of one dollar, five yards of lace of the value of twenty-five cents each yard, three night-dresses of the value of one dollar each, one necklace of the value of two dollars, one brooch of the value of one dollar, two cuff buttons of the value of one dollar each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Sarah R. Jennings

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

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Anastatia Lawlor

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *Anastatia Lawlor*,

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

the same goods, chattels and personal property described in the first count of this indictment

of

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Sarah R. Jennings

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before unlawfully stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Sarah R. Jennings

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Anastatia Lawlor

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Lea, Stephen

DATE:

11/11/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss:
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 4th DISTRICT.

Michael Murray

of No. 699 First Avenue Street, aged 30 years,

occupation Bar-tender being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 10 day of November 1893

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

(now here) did feloniously and maliciously throw a stone at and through a plate glass window in front of premises No. 699 First Avenue and of the value of Fifty Dollars destroying the same

Michael Murray

Sworn to before me, this 10 day of November 1893

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

4th

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Stephen Lee 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. *Stephen Lee*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *N^o 337 West 39th Street February 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bar-tender*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

Stephen Lee

Taken before me this *11* day of *April* 1887
[Signature]
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0132

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court... District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Richard M. [unclear]
699 St. [unclear]
St. Paul Ave

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Offence

Malicious
meddling

Dated

Nov 10
189 *3*

Residence

Magistrate

Wm. [unclear]
Officer.

Residence

21
Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Call [unclear]
Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

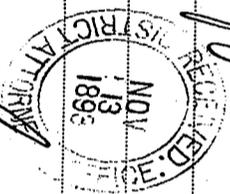
No.

Street.

to answer

1000

Call [unclear]
Street.



Frank [unclear]

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 *[unclear]*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *1000* 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 *Nov 10* 189 *3* *Wm. [unclear]* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *[unclear]* to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *Nov 10* 189 *3* *Wm. [unclear]* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Nov 10* 189 *3* *Wm. [unclear]* Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

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IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Stephen Lea

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

Stephen Lea

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER,
committed as follows:

The said

Stephen Lea

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one pane of plate glass

of the value of

fifty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Michael Murray*
then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break*

and destroy:

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

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said *Stephen Lea* of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *Stephen Lea*, late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one pane of plate glass

of the value of *fifty dollars* in, and forming part and parcel of the realty of a certain building of one *Michael Murray* there situate, of the real property of the said

Michael Murray then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break and destroy:*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Leonardi, Salvatore

DATE:

11/09/93



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M. H. [Signature]

Counsel,

9 [Signature]

Filed

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Pleads,

Myruly 10

THE PEOPLE

Grand Larceny, Second Degree,
From the Person,
[Sections 528, 527, Penal Code.]

vs.
Salvatore Leonardi

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney,
Part 3, November 1931,
Pleas with Larceny

A TRUE BILL.

6 ms per [Signature]

[Signature] Foreman

Witnesses:

Hamish Bergfeld
Off Weigold

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0137

(1885)

Police Court - 5th District.

Affidavit - Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

from the person

of No. 342 East 125th Street, aged 33 years,
occupation House Keeper

Heannah Bergfield

deposes and says, that on the 1st day of November 1893

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

person of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

A Pocket Book containing good and lawful money to the amount and of the value of one dollar and $\frac{5}{100}$ dollars & \$1.⁰⁵/₁₀₀

the property of deponent and her husband Isaac Bergfield

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 Salvatore Lavarolo (now here) from the fact that at about 11 o'clock this A. M. deponent was passing along on the sidewalk on the southerly side of East 125th Street near 1st Avenue carrying in her hand said Pocket Book containing said money, when he said ~~deponent~~ defendant came up, snatched said Pocket Book and ran away deponent gave the alarm and after running one block to the corner of 1st Avenue and 119th Street he was arrested by officer George Mignold of the 29th Precinct Police, and at the time he was arrested the officer informed deponent that he found the said Pocket Book and money in the possession of said defendant, she deponent therefore asks that said defendant be held to answer and dealt with according to law.

Mrs Bergfield

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of November 1893

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0138

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1877.

aged 26 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 29th Street Manhattan Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Marshall Bergfeld and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of November 1893

George Weigold

Chas. J. Fisher
Police Justice.

[Lined area for additional text or notes]

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0139

Sec. 198-200.

5

District Police Court.

1882

City and County of New York, ss:

Salvatore Laranordo 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 a 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.

Salvatore Laranordo

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Italy

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

Answer.

no home.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Carpenter.

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.

Luigi Salvatore

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1889

[Signature]

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0140

BAILIED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court... 5
District... 1166

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

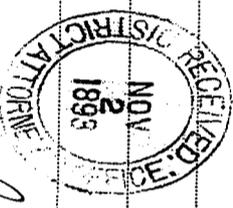
Samuel D. Wood
372 E. 120th St.
Substantive grounds

offence Larceny from
the Person

Dated November 1 1893
Magistrate

M. Sigel
29 Precinct
Officer

Witness Paul M. Uffner.
Street _____



No. _____
Street _____
to assist _____

Lawyer

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

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty* 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 *November 1* 1893. *Henry Teitel* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1893 _____ 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 _____ 1893 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0141

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Salvatore Leonardi

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

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

The said

Salvatore Leonardi,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first*
day of *November*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*three*, in the *day*-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

*the sum of one dollar
and five cents in money, lawful
money of the United States of
America, and of the value of
one dollar and five cents, one
pocketbook of the value of fifty cents*

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

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

0142

BOX:

540

FOLDER:

4915

DESCRIPTION:

Lester, Arthur W.

DATE:

11/11/93



4915

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0143

*we'll have been in
Ed. Lefk
P.S.M.*

Witnesses:
*Sidney Lester
C. H. Waldman*

Pen 131
Counsel,
Filed *16th* day of *Nov* 1893
Pleas: *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
*21 50
410 550
Waldman*
Arthur W. Lester

Forgery in the Second Degree,
(Sections 611 and 621, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

*Part I Nov. 22/93 299
Nov. 20/93 293*
A TRUE BILL.

A. Waldman
Foreman.

*Part 3. December 5/93
Pleas Attempt. Forgery
Pen 3 yrs P.S.M.*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0144

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 53 years, occupation Insurance of No.

410 East 50 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Frank Dean

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day } Sidney Lester
of Nov 1893 }

Chas. B. Burke Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 39 years, occupation Insurance of No.

777 10 Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Frank Dean

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day } Chas. B. Burke
of Nov 1893 }

Chas. B. Burke Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0145

Police Court, 1st District.

(1858)

City and County of New York } ss. Frank. Deau
of, No. 530 5th Avenue Street, aged 31 years,
occupation Cashier 5th Avenue Bank being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 23 day of October 1893, at the City of New
York, in the County of New York Arthur M. Lester
(number) with intent to injure

and defraud, feloniously did
make, forge and counterfeit,
and cause and procure to be
falsely made, forged and counterfeited
and willingly act and assist in
the falsely making, forging and
counterfeiting a certain check or
draft instrument purporting to be
drawn to the order of said Arthur M. Lester
and bearing the signature of Sidney
Lester as the maker of said check
and under the following circumstances
deponent is informed by Charles H. Waldman
777 10th Avenue that the said defendant
on the 21 day of October 1893 came to
said Waldman place of business at the above
address and purchased from said Waldman
a bill of goods and in payment
therefor gave to said Waldman a certain
check drawn on the Fifth Avenue Bank
to the order of said Arthur M. Lester and purporting
to have been made and issued by one
Sidney Lester for the sum of forty dollars
said Waldman received said check and
said check was received by deponent as Cashier
of the 5th Avenue Bank from the Mutual Bank
through the Exchange. Deponent is further
informed by Sidney Lester of 410 East
58th Street that the said check here to
attached and purporting to bear the signature
of said Sidney Lester was never made
or issued by him and that said
and that said check is false and

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0146

fraudulent and made with the intent
to cheat and defraud. Wherefore defendant
asks that the said defendant may be
tried with us the law directs

Frank Nelson

Sum to be returned }
11th day of August 1933 }

Wm. C. Drake
Att. Gen.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0148

BAILIED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court... District... 1199

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs. THE COMPLAINANT OF

Frank A. DeWitt

328-5000

Arthur J. Roberts

1
2
3
4

Offence

Dated Apr 11 1893

Benjamin Bunker Magistrate

Joseph J. Bonner Officer

20 Precinct

Witnesses Sidney Taylor

No. 110 East 57th Street

No. 110 East 57th Street



No. 570 to answer

570 to answer

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 Defendant

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

Dated Apr 11 1893 Benjamin Bunker Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0149

No 1476 New York, Oct 21st 1893
THE FIFTH AVENUE BANK OF NEW YORK.
THROUGH THE NEW YORK CLEARING-HOUSE ASSOCIATION.
Pay to Arthur W. Lester or Order.
Forty Dollars.
\$ 40.00
Sidney Lester

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0150

Arthur W. Lutes
C. M. Waldman

NEW YORK THE CITY

1850

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0151

1721

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Arthur W. Lester

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

Arthur W. Lester

of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Arthur W. Lester*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-third* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with intent to defraud, feloniously did forge a certain instrument and writing, which said forged instrument and writing is as follows, that is to say:

No. 1476

New York, Oct. 21st 1893

*The Fifth Avenue Bank^{of New York}
Through the New York Clearing House Association*

Pay to Arthur W. Lester or Order

Forty 00 _____ *Dollars*

\$40⁰⁰

Sidney Lester

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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0152

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Arthur W. Lester
of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Arthur W. Lester*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with intent to defraud, did feloniously utter, dispose of and put off as true, a certain forged instrument and writing, which said forged instrument and writing is as follows, that is to say:

No. 1476 *New York, Oct. 21st 1893*
The *Fifth Avenue Bank* ^{*New York*}
Through the New York Clearing House Association,
Pay to *Arthur W. Lester or Order*
Forty ^{*00*} *Dollars.*
\$40.00 *Sidney Lester*

Arthur W. Lester
the said *Arthur W. Lester*

then and there well knowing the same to be forged, 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

0153

BOX:

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FOLDER:

4915

DESCRIPTION:

Lewis, John W.

DATE:

11/13/93



4915

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0154

Witnesses:

Mary E. Kern

Maria Weston

W. O. Shortt
Phila.

S. E. Flagg
4.6. sep.

W. S. Carver

[Handwritten mark]

Counsel,

Filed 13 day of Nov 1893

Pleads,

[Handwritten signature]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John W. Lewis

[Handwritten signature]

[Handwritten signature]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

24th Regt
A TRUE BILL.

W. O. Shortt Foreman.

Grand Larceny, second Degree [Sections 528, 537, 538 — Pennl. Code.]

#1

Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Mary E. Kern

of No. 239 West 14th Street, aged 49 years,

occupation Keep a boarding house being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 1st day of November 1893 at the City of

New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

A quantity of jewelry of the value of about One hundred 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 John Lewis (now here) for the reasons that said property was missed from deponent's and the defendant a waiter in deponent's household and was suspected of committing the larceny and deponent upon searching the defendant's valise found the jewelry here shown therein and deponent identifies it as her property Mrs. E. Kern.

Sworn to before me, this

[Signature]
1893
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0156

Sec 198-200.

1883 District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

John Lewis 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 Lewis*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Connecticut*

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

Answer. *237 West 14th St. 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waiter*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
John Lewis

Taken before me this

John Lewis
1893

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0157

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court--- 2 District. 1186

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary E. Keen
23rd W. 14th St

John Keen

Offence
Fraud

Dated Nov 6 1893

Magistrate
Squell
Officer
No. 11



No. _____
Street _____

to answer
[Signature]

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 _____

defendant

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

Dated Nov 6 1893 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ 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 _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0158

HAMILTON DISSTON,
P. O. BOX 841.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16, 1893.

Henry Unger, Esq.,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 14th. inst to hand. I do not remember ever having employed John Lewis, although he might have been employed by me. I will be glad to say anything in his favor, if I can remember his name, providing, of course, he was a faithful servant.

Yours Truly,

Hamilton Disston

I gave Disston all particulars as to date antecedent to so far as they could be ascertained from the record or press men's statements.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0159

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 W. Lewis

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

John W. Lewis

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

John W. Lewis

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

divers articles of jewelry of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one hundred dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Mary E. Kern

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.

De Laurence Nicoll
District Attorney

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

John W. Lewis
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

John W. Lewis

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

divers articles of jewelry, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one hundred dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Mary E. Kern

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Mary E. Kern

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

John W. Lewis

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4915

DESCRIPTION:

Lifter, Samuel

DATE:

11/29/93



4915

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0162

Witnesses:

Joe Tappan

Retiree comm. of Const. Sgt
Comms. in Pen. - P.S. M
d

~~May, 1893~~
Counsel,
Filed 29 day of Nov 1893
Pleaded *M guilty, Dab*

THE PEOPLE

Assault in the First Degree, etc.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

*41 Nov '93
550 No. 100 P
Daniel Dwyer.*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part of Dec. 11, 1893
Dec 10

A TRUE BILL.

H. O. Mad
Foreman.

Park 3 Dec. 14. 1893.

Pleaded Assault 3rd deg

Pen 1 yr P.S. M

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0163

Police Court— 3 District.

1891

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

of No. 359 Abou Michael Michaelson Street, aged 63 years,
occupation dealer in Oil being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 19 day of Nov 1893 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Samuel Lifter
(now here) who struck deponent two
Violent blows on the head with a piece
of iron pipe cutting him severely,
and the said assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 20 day }
of Nov 1893, } M. Michaelson

John W. ... Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0164

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Samuel Lifter 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. *Samuel Lifter*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *41 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *56 Norfolk Street - 6 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Tea and Coffee dealer*

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

Answer. *I am ~~not~~ guilty
Samuel Lifter*

Taken before me this *3* day of *Nov* 189*3*
Samuel Lifter

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0165

BAILED,
 No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street
 No. 5, by _____
 Residence _____ Street

93,01238
 Police Court...
 District...
 1245

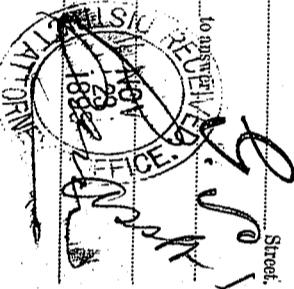
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
 Michael Michaelson
 Samuel S. S. S.
 Offence: Blow & Assault

Dated Nov 20 1893
 Magistrate: Johnson
 Precinct: 12

Witnesses: James S. S.
 No. 56 by James S. S.
 Street: _____

No. 9 by Nathan Weston
 Street: 364 Grand St

No. 1000 by G. S. S.
 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 Defendant

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

Dated Nov 20 1893 John P. S. Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0166

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Samuel Lifter

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

Samuel Lifter

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Samuel Lifter

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *multeenth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Michael Michaelson* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and *him* the said

Michael Michaelson, with a certain *piece of pipe*

which the said

Samuel Lifter

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and wound,

with intent

him

the said

Michael Michaelson

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

Samuel Lifter

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Samuel Lifter

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said

Michael Michaelson, in the peace of the said

People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said

Michael Michaelson

with a certain

piece of pipe

which the said

Samuel Lifter

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, 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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0167

THIRD COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Samuel Difter

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Samuel Difter

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said *Michael*
Michaelson in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *his* the said

with a certain *piece of pipe*

which

he

the said

Samuel Difter

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head

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Michael Michaelson

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, ~~stab, cut,~~ bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said

Michael Michaelson

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

0168

BOX:

540

FOLDER:

4915

DESCRIPTION:

Lindenberg, Emil

DATE:

11/17/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0169

Witnesses:

Moses Rammberg

L. Schlang

Parson Brown

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M. Rammberg. Rem

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M. Rammberg

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Counsel

Filed

17 day of

Nov 1883

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THE PEOPLE

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Selling
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others

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Emil Lundenberg
(witness)

Grand Larceny, second Degree.
[Sections 528, 529, Pennl Code.]

LANCY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman
Dec. 8/83

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0170

1912

Police Court Fourth District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss. Moses Samueley
of No. 536 Third Avenue Street, aged 39 years,
occupation Assistant Tailor being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 30th day of October 1893 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day- time, the following property, viz:

Nine pieces of silk of the value of about
fifty dollars \$50.00

the property of Falk and Samueley of which
firm deponent is a co-partner

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 Emil Ludenberg (now here)

for the reason that the defendant was
deponent's employ as salesman
that deponent misde a quantity of
property and caused the defendant's
arrest. That deponent is informed
by Paul Burger that he Burger caught
the said property from the defendant.
Deponent further says that the defendant
failed to account for said
property and appropriated the proceeds
to his own use and benefit. Therefore
deponent prays that the defendant be
dealt with as the law directs.

Moses Samueley

For Falk & Samueley

Sworn to before me this
of October 1893

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0171

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 27 years, occupation Ladies Tailor of No. 200 West 43 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Moses Sinnerberg and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 10 day of April 1893 } Jean Burger

W. F. Brady Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0172

Sec. 193-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Emil Ruedenberg 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. *Emil Ruedenberg*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *43 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Austria*

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

Answer. *619 1/2 West 122 St New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk & salesman*

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. Emil Ruedenberg*

Taken before me this *10* day of *July* 189*9*
Wm. J. Brady
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0173

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

136-93,0.
 Police Court... 4
 District... 1201

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
James Murphy
Paul Anthony
 Office
Grand Jurors

Dated *Nov 10* 189*3*

H. Brady
 Magistrate

Witnesses
James Dwyer
Geo. Murphy
 Precinct.
 Street.

No. _____
 Street _____

No. *1000*
 Street *St. N*



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 _____

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *fifteen* 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 *Nov 10* 189*3* *H. Brady* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Emil Lundenberg

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

Emil Lundenberg

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Emil Lundenberg

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

five yards of serge of the value of one dollar and seventy-five cents each yard, five yards of silk of the value of seventy-five cents each yard, two pieces of sleeve lining of the value of two dollars each piece, one and one quarter yards of farmers sateen of the value of one dollar a yard, seven spools of sewing silk of the value of fifty cents each, and a quantity of whalebone, (a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of seven dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Moses Dannenberg

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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0175

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Emil Lundenberg
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

Emil Lundenberg

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

the same goods, chattels and personal property described in the first count of this indictment

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Moses Dannenberg

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Moses Dannenberg

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Emil Lundenberg

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0176

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Witnesses:

Moses Damberg

feather

✓ Aaron Schlang

Pawn Broker

9 Ave 26 + 27th St
worked for him

✓ Appelman Tametbaum

Mr Nassano + John

Diamond Dealer

✓ E. Lindenberg

Feather

194 West 134th St

✓ Subhana officers +

craft for 8th

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleads,

Guilty to

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Emil Lindenberg
(2 cases)

Grand Larceny, Second Degree
[Sections 528, 534, 537 Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

H. Conrad

Foreman.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0177

Police Court Fourth District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Moses Dannenberg
of No. 536 Third Avenue Street, aged 38 years.

occupation Dealer in Dressmakers & Tailors supplies being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 3 day of November 1893 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the time, the following property, viz:

a quantity of tailor's trimmings
consisting of five yards of silk serge of the
value of eight ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ dollars, about five yards of
Taffeta silk of the value of 3 ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ dollars, 2 pieces
of silk slure lining of the value of two ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ dollars
a quantity of muslin of the value of seven dollars
one and a quarter yards of flannel of the value of
one ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ dollar, seven spools of sewing silk of the value
of three ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ dollars, the property being altogether of
the value of twenty seven ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ dollars

of a
Sweeney & Lyman
1893
day

the property of Sell and Dannenberg of which firm
deponent is a partner

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 Emil Rudenberg, now here, for the

following reasons. That deponent said that the de-
fendant was in deponent's employ as a salesman.
That deponent has reason to suspect that
defendant caused his arrest, that
deponent is informed by Mrs. Theresa
Lerner, that she, Lerner bought a quantity
of muslin, silk and spool silk from the
defendant that deponent is further informed
by Otto Edelstein, that he, Edelstein bought
a quantity of spool silk and quantity of Taffeta
silk and a quantity of muslin. That deponent
is further informed by Joseph Schultze
that he, Schultze bought a quantity of
silk from the defendant deponent further
says that the said defendant feloniously
took said and carried away the said

property without Defendant's knowledge
and essence and that the Defendant has
admitted having taken the property
and appropriated the same to his own use
and benefit. Therefore Defendant
prays that the Defendant be dealt with
as the Law directs

Done & before me
this 6th day of November 1893 M. Tannery

Wm. F. Hardy

J. J. Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0179

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 29 years, occupation Adolf Edelstein
349 E 81st Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Moses Danenberg
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 6th day of November 1895 } Adolf Edelstein

W. F. Brady Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 45 years, occupation Theresa Lederer
632 Lexington Ave Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Moses Danenberg
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 6th day of November 1895 } Theresa Lederer

W. F. Brady Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0180

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1891

aged 29 years, occupation Joseph Schultz
Sailor of No.

499 Livingston Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Moses Dannenberg
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 6 day
of November 1891

Wm. Schuyler

Wm. Schuyler Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0181

Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Emil Luedenberg 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. Emil Luedenberg

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Austria

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

Answer. 194 W 134 St - 2 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Salesman

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

day of November 1893

M. J. Justice

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0182

RAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court... District.

135-1210

1201

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

Moses Demmick
136 No. 3rd Ave
Emil Luchinsky

Offence *Larceny*
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Dated *November 6* 189*5*

Grady Magistrate.

Frank Murphy Officer.

Arthur Spencer Precinct.

Witnesses *Harro Koser*

No. *652* *Livington Ave* Street.

Charles Soderstrom

No. *349* *E 81* Street.

Joseph Schuchly

No. *199* *Livington Ave* Street.

577 to answer

Conrad

100 E 1st St, NYC
100 E 1st St, NYC

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 *Defendant*

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

Dated *November 6* 189*5* *Grady* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 189 _____ Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0183



City of New York Recorder's Chamber

New York 189

A. Schlang,

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while he worked for
him.

L. Sammbaen.

GOOD QUALITY ORIGINAL

0184

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Emil Lundenberg

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

Emil Lundenberg

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Emil Lundenberg

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

nine pieces of silk of the value of six dollars each piece

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Moses Dannenberg

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.

BEST QUALITY ORIGINAL

0185

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

Emil Lindenber
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *Emil Lindenber*

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

nine pieces of silk of the value of six dollars each piece

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Moses Dannenberg

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Moses Dannenberg

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Emil Lindenber

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Linderman, Joseph

DATE:

11/06/93



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0187

Witnesses:
George Gabriel
Fred. Brewick

Counsel,
Filed
PleaNs.

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THE PEOPLE

Grand Larceny,
(From the Person,
Degree,
[Sections 828, 829, Penal Code.]

153-2-28 78.

Joseph Linderman

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Part 3 Nov 17/93
Pleads Attemp
9.2.2 deg.

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.

Part 3, Nov. 17/93

Trieth and jury
Hanson of St. Paul
Nov 17/93

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0188

7576-314
Public School

1912

Police Court Third District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York ss.

of No. 337 Street, aged 27 years.

occupation Fireman being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 27 day of October 1899 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the time, the following property, viz:

Five Dollars in Good & Lawful Currency money of the United States

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent

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

(now here) for the reason that George Gabriel of No 476 East 11th Street saw said Defendant's hand in Deponent's watch pocket of Deponent's trousers.

He therefore now Deponent charges said Defendant with taking, stealing and carrying away from his person and possession said money and prays that he be dealt with as the Law directs.

H. B. Berman

Sworn to before me this 28 day of October 1899

James M. [Signature] Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0189

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 27 years, occupation Merchant of No. 476 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Frederick Busack and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27 day of Oct 1921

Geo Gabriel

John W. ... Police Justice.

[Lined area for additional text]

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0190

Sec. 198-200.

1882 District Police Court.

City and County of New York ss:

Joseph M. Linderman 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 to 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 at the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Joseph M. Linderman

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 Years of Age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

I have no home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Butcher

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
Mr. Joseph Linderman

Taken before me this
day of *Oct* 189*3*

John A. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0191

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court...
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
J. M. [unclear]
District: 1140

Dated, Oct 19 1893
Magistrate: [unclear]
Officer: [unclear]

Witnesses: Geo. Hebrail
No. 426 2 Street

No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York until he give such bail
Dated, Oct 19 1893 [unclear] Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS,

PART III.

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 The People :
 : Before
 of the State of New York : Hon. James Fitzgerald,
 : - against - : and a Jury .
 Joseph Lindeman . :
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Indictment filed November 6th, 1893.

Indicted for Grand Larceny in the First Degree.

New York, November 16th, 1893.

APPEARANCES .

For the People, Assistant District Attorney
Robert Townsend.

For the Defendant, Mr. T. M. Canton.

F R E D E R I C K B I E R S I E C K, a witness for the people,
sworn, testified:

I live at No. 532 Sixth Street, and I am a truck-
 driver by occupation. I recollect Sunday, the 22nd of
 October. I was out sailing that day, and returned to
 the city about seven o'clock. I intended to go to a
 ball on that evening. I had a \$5 bill in my pocket;
 it was in the watch pocket of my trousers. I put it
 there between eight and half-past eight o'clock in that
 evening. I went around to a friend's house No. 256 4th
 Street, and laid down on a truck to wait for him. I had
 the \$5 bill in my pocket at the time I laid down on the
 truck. I fell asleep. When I woke up I saw my friend

and he asked me if I lost anything. I felt in my pocket and found that the \$5 bill was gone. My friend immediately started to run after this defendant. The defendant ran into an officer's hands and was arrested. I accused the defendant at that time of stealing the \$5 out of my pocket. He said nothing in reply, except that I wanted to give him a fish. The defendant was searched in the stationhouse, but no money was found on him.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I have seen the defendant before that night, but have never talked to him. I have known him by sight for some time. I did not offer the defendant any fish. I had not been fishing on that day; I was out sailing. I was perfectly sober when I laid down on that truck. I am positive that the \$5 bill was in my pocket. I intended to spend \$2 of it at the ball, and give the remaining \$3 to my mother, which I promised her. I remember distinctly putting the \$5 bill in my little watch pocket before I laid down on that truck. When I got on the truck the defendant was on it. He asked me if he would take my laundry, and I told him no, that I would take it myself. My friend George Gabriels told me that he had seen the defendant leaning over me and putting his hand in my pocket; that was my ground for accusing the defendant of stealing \$5 from my pocket.

G E O R G E G A B R I E L S, a witness for the People, sworn,
testified:

I am a truck-driver. I have known the complainant in this case eight or nine years. On Sunday, the 22nd of
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day of October I met the complainant on the corner of Fourth Street and Avenue B. I went upstairs into my sister's house, leaving the complainant sitting on a truck. While I was up in my sister's house I looked out of the window, and I saw the prisoner lying right across the complainant's chest. I ran down stairs and asked my friend if he had lost any money. When I reached the door I looked again at the defendant to make sure. When I ran to the truck the defendant drew his hand out of the complainant's pocket, jumped off the truck and ran. I ran after him. He ran into the officer's hands between 4th and 5th Streets on Avenue B. I told the officer what I had seen, and he took the defendant into custody. He was searched in the stationhouse, but no money was found on him. When arrested by the officer he told the officer that my friend, the complainant, wanted to give him a fish.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I first saw the complainant on that Sunday between half-past seven and eight o'clock in the evening. I met him on the corner of Houston Street and Avenue B, and went from there to Fourth Street and Avenue B to visit my sister. It was my intention to go to a ball on that evening in company with the complainant. I don't know whether the complainant had been drinking on that afternoon because I was not in company with him. When I met him he took the \$5 bill out of his pocket and showed it to me. I am positive that he took it out of his fob pocket. He had a watch and chain on, but that was not

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ORIGINAL

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taken. The \$5 was not found on the person of the defendant.

J O H N N. B I S S E R T, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer attached to the Third Precinct. I arrested the defendant on the night of the 22nd of October. I had the post on Avenue B from Houston to Seventh Street, and at about nine o'clock I saw the defendant running past on Avenue B between Fourth and Fifth Streets. I saw a man about five or ten feet back of him. I stopped the defendant and asked him what the trouble was; he said nothing. Then the witness came up and accused the defendant of stealing \$5 from the pocket of his friend. I asked the complainant if he would make a charge; he said he would, and I brought all the parties to the stationhouse. The defendant said he didn't pick his pocket at all, but that the complainant called him over to give him a fish.

M R. B I E R S I E C K, recalled:

I left the house about half past seven o'clock. I laid down on the truck, I think, between ten and half past ten o'clock. I spent the time between seven and ten o'clock in conversing with friends on Avenue B.

D E F E N S E .

J O S E P H L I N D E M A N, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I work for Mr. Thomas H. Hall, 207 and 209 East 37th Street, as hall boy. I have been employed there for nearly a year, and they can speak as to my character.

(4)

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ORIGINAL

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I never saw the man who accuses me of stealing \$5 from him before the night of my arrest. I was walking through Fourth Street. The complainant was sitting on a truck. He called me over. He had a fish and a knife in his hand and he offered me the fish. I stayed there a few moments when his friend came out and said that I had taken some money out of his pocket. I did not have any money; I was searched and no money was found on me. The complainant wanted to cut me with the knife which he held in his hand, and that was the reason why I ran away. I stopped as soon as I reached the police officer, and was about to tell him of the assault made upon me when the complainant's friend came up and charged me with stealing \$5. I was not laying across the chest of the complainant as his friend has testified.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I lived in 81st Street at the time of my arrest with my father. My mother is dead. My father's name is Herman Lindeman; he lives at 423 East 81st Street, on the top floor. He works for a butcher named Ottenberg on 102nd Street near First Avenue. I have never been arrested before for any crime. I ran away because I thought the complainant would cut me with the knife which he held in his hand. I was running for a policeman at the time of my arrest. I told the officer that the complainant wanted to give me a fish, and also wanted to cut me with the knife.

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J O S E P H H A L L, a witness for the defendant, sworn, testified:

I am a cigarette manufacturer, doing business at 207 East 37th Street. I know the defendant. He was in our employ as a hall-boy for nearly a year. During that time I never heard anything against him.

Handwritten notes:
Joseph Hall
M.A.X.
General Director

M A - X A L E X A N D E R, a witness for the defendant, sworn, testified:

The defendant gave my name here as a witness who would know him. I was subpoenaed last night. I do not know him, or anybody connected with him.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty of Grand Larceny in the Second Degree.

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being persons in the second degree.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty of

knowing or anybody connected with him.

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the defendant. He was using here as a witness who testified:

M. V. ALEXANDER a witness for the defendant, sworn,

time I never heard anything against him.

our employ as a hall-boy for nearly a year. During that

301 East 24th Street. I know the defendant. He was in

I saw a cigarette manufacturer, doing business at

plied:

JOS EPH HATI, a witness for the defendant, sworn, test-

Indictment filed Nov. 6 1893

Court of General Sessions Part III

The People,

vs. Joseph Lindemann

abstained from testimony

Nov 16 1893

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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

Joseph Lunderman

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

Joseph Lunderman

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

The said

Joseph Lunderman

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the right time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the sum of five dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Frederick Biersack on the person of the said Frederick Biersack then and there being found, from the person of the said Frederick Biersack 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.

Frederick Biersack
De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Lingard, George

DATE:

11/20/93



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Witnesses:

Ruel W. Poor
C. A. Schmidt

See
Thos W. Laughlin
before desk room
of Miss Carter
Esq. Mr. Darlington
then appears a
notarizing judge
see his license
bearing of

~~Robertson~~ 172
35711
Counsel,
Filed day of 1893

Pleads,
THE PEOPLE
vs.

George Dingard

Forgery in the Second Degree.
[Sections 611 and 621, Penal Code.]
(Indorsement, etc.)

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney.
A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.
H. P. ...
George ...
H. P. ...

Done

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New York, September 15th 1896.

To His Excellency

Honorable Levi P. Morton,

Governor of the State of New York.

My dear Sir:-

I desire to petition your Excellency to extend executive clemency and grant pardon to Colonel George Lingard who is now an inmate of Auburn Prison.

Colonel Lingard commenced the service of his sentence there on December 1st, 1893, now nearly three years ago and while at Auburn, as I have been informed, he has been an exemplary prisoner and a valuable assistant.

The crime for which he was sentenced was Forgery in the Second Degree and he received a sentence of Nine years and nine months. On this sentence, I am informed, he will gain three years, four months and twenty three days for good behavior and will be compelled to serve six years, four months and seven days. The earliest date of his discharge will be April 7th, 1900.

The reasons for which said executive clemency and pardon are asked are that longer confinement will have an injurious effect upon the mind of the prisoner, who if now restored to his family will probably have his tone of mind restored and be able to contribute to the support and comfort of his wife and children which is very necessary these times.

Colonel Lingard seems to be truly penitent for the crime he committed and sincere and resolute in his spirit of reformation and tries by his conduct and life to atone for the wrong done all that he can. Hence it seems

*See Washington
Letter attached*

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to me that law and justice by this time should be satisfied in his case, and I feel that I am only doing my duty in endeavoring to facilitate and secure his release and thus to reunite a devoted and loving father with equally fond and devoted wife and children.

I beg that your Excellency will favorably consider this petition.

very trspectfully yours

Thomas parlington

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WE, the undersigned desire to unite with
Mr. Thomas Darlington in petitioning Your Excellency
to extend executive clemency to Colonel George Lingard and
we hope and trust that Your Honor will see your way clear
to grant said prayer for his pardon.

- Henry Clews & Co.
- Francis E. Laimbeer
- Charles E. Page
- Jno. Croake
- Wm. Ogden Giles.
- J. F. Aubry
- S. T. Maddox
- Almet F. Jenks
- A. W. Tenney
- Jos. D. Baker
- Lewis G.R. Tewksbury
- Wm. R. Warrall
- Robt. Appleton, Jr.
- Lorenzo Lovejoy
- Jerome Buck
- Thomas F. Donnelly
- James F. Maccabe.
- J. A. O'gorman
- John P. Schuchman
- Wm. Sulzer
- William A. Sweetser
- Thos. F. J. Brennan

New York August 17th 1896.

Revd. Horatio Yates,
Chaplain of Auburn Prison,
Auburn, New York.

My dear Sir:-

I desire to prepare and to present to His Excellency, the Governor of New York, a petition for executive clemency and pardon on behalf of Colonel George Lingard, who I believe is now an inmate of Auburn Prison, and I beg if he is worthy as I believe he is, that you will have the kindness to favor me with a few lines in regard to him to assist me in my efforts, and to bring this petition properly before the Committing Magistrate, Ex-recorder now Judge Smyth and the District Attorney, Colonel Fellows.

Some time ago I held close business and personal relationship with Colonel Lingard for about eight years being the attorney for The Aldine Publishing Company, the publishers of The Aldine, The Art Journal of America, of which Colonel Lingard at the time was one of the owners and I know that he made many prominent business friends here during that period, who will be pleased to sign his petition for pardon for him.

The Colonel is socially well connected, has a most worthy and devoted wife; three children and a son-in-law and principally on their account he anxiously seeks release; while yet he is able to go into business again begin life anew, put aside and forget the past and again be a man among men.

His gallant and meritorious services as an officer

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during our Civil War should, I think also entitle him to some consideration. He certainly has been taught a terrible lesson during his imprisonment of nearly three years and he seems sincere and resolute in his spirit of reformation and tries to atone for his crime all he possibly can.

Unfortunate losses in business and a mistaken attempt in an evil hour, to recuperate the same by stock speculation led to his downfall and as I am informed, on account of Colonel Lingard's failing to comply with the extortionate demands of ex-inspector and ex-chief of the Detective Bureau McLaughlin, he incurred his enmity and damaging personal influence. In his helpless, dazed and distracted condition he pleaded guilty under the impression that he would receive only about one half the sentence given also desiring to avoid publicity for the sake of his family and friends. He felt reluctant and ashamed to appeal to them for aid to help him prepare and contest his case, as he should have done, for it may be said in his favor that there were grounds for showing that he had authority to endorse the checks and therefore he should have stood trial.

Whatever you may say in your answer will be used only with the parties herein named and you may rest assured it will be held strictly confidential, I am sure that a good prison record will very materially help me with Judge Smyth and the District Attorney.

Many personal friends and parties of influence in this City I know will be pleased to unite with me in recommending and soliciting a commutation of sentence or a pardon for Colonel Lingard.

In the sympathy and goodness of our hearts should

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we not feel that law and justice have been satisfied in his case; and should we not lend all the aid that we possibly and consistently can to obtain his release and thus to reunite a devoted and loving father, with equally fond and devoted wife and children. I am sure we will never regret it, but will have only the happy consciousness of having done our duty.

Thanking you in advance for your kindness and hoping to hear from you soon, I remain

very truly yours

Thomas parlington.

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Auburn, Aug. 14th, 1896.

Thomas Darlington, Esq.,
206 Broadway,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of the 12th inst, received. In reply I would say that the sentence of George Lingard began on the 1st day of December 1893. The crime was forgery (2nd). He received a sentence of Nine (9) years and Nine (9) months. On this sentence he will gain 3 years, 4 months and 23 days for good behavior and will be compelled to serve 6 years, 4 months and 7 days solid. The earliest date of discharge will be April 7th 1900.

Lingard has been an exemplary prisoner during his confinement here and has proven himself a valuable assistant in the position he now occupies namely, book-keeper at the Woman's Department of this institution.

He is in good health. I consider him a man well worthy of executive consideration.

very resp'y yours.

James C. Stout

Agent & Warden.

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Auburn, Aug. 21st, 1896.

Thomas Marlinton, Esq.,
Atty. at Law
206 Broadway,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of the 17th, reached me last evening. Have been absent from home.

If I could assist you in any way I would gladly do so. I know nothing against Lingard's record here as the Principle Helper, James C. Shaw, has that matter in charge.

If the Governor should write me in regard to his case I would be at liberty to say from my knowledge of the man of his work, of his faithfulness to duty, had I the power, I would release him at once.

Yours Respectfully

Horatio Yates,

Chaplain.

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Auburn, Sept. 11, 1896,

Thomas parlington, Esq
Counsellor at Law
206 Broadway, N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 27th ultimo, requesting information in regard to the conduct and duties of George Lingard, an inmate of this prison, I would say that I have known him well since his imprisonment here of nearly three years. He has been clerk or book-keeper in my department almost this entire period, has been fully trusted in every way consistent with his position and the rules and regulations of the prison, and has been very useful and strickly obdient and trustworthy in every particular. Not once to my knowledge has he violated the prison rules. He seems to have a deep, sincere and genuine feeling of penitence, and shows the same spirit in his determination to reform and never commit crime again. In this way and also by giving most useful and faithful service, he is certainly trying to atone for his crime all he can and to make himself worthy of executive clemency. Another feature, aside from his crime, he has firmly maintained his manhood so useful in making a new start in life.

As you state in your letter, I trust you will treat this as confidential, for officers of the prison do not as a rule take any part in having prisoners pardoned.

very truly yours

B. F. Winegar

Clerk Auburn, State Prison.

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J O H N L Y O N
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW:

Rochville Centre, Queens Co.

N.Y. Sept. 7th, 1896.

Thos. Darlington, Esq.,
Counsellor at Law,
205 Broadway, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Darlington:

I understand, or I am informed, that an application is to be made to the Governor for pardon on behalf of Col. Geo. Lingard and I desire to assist you, his counsellor, in any way in my power.

I speak of him from personal acquaintance and from facts obtained from his prominent relatives and friends in this county, (Queens Co.) covering nearly his whole life. He always bore an excellent reputation; his integrity and honor stood high and were never questioned. I was amazed to learn of his imprisonment only recently while I was acting as attorney and counsellor for his younger brother, who was administrator of their lately deceased father's estate.

Only to me and to this brother is his present situation known in this County. For the sake of his relatives and friends he maintains the strictest secrecy, clinging to it as he would to his very life, hoping for release and return to them to begin life anew and with good prospects. His relatives are well to do and will assist him in any way within their power--aside from his family's share in his father's estate--and would be only too happy to welcome him home.

Were it not that he enjoins absolute secrecy--- and I believe it best that he should maintain it---I could

easily obtain hundreds of prominent names to his petition in this county. His father successively held office in this county as County Clerk, County Treasurer, and Sheriff. He was also a distinguished officer of U. S. Volunteers during our Civil War, holding the rank of Major Gen. at its close. Col. Lingard, your petitioner, also served with much gallantry and merit through our entire Civil War, gaining the full rank of Colonel at Gettysburg for conspicuous bravery. His many prominent military friends, ex-officers of that period, as well as officers now belonging to the U. S. Army, would gladly come to his aid with their signatures to his petition were his situation known to them. But he prefers to suffer most anything rather than disclose his imprisonment and permit it.

He has an interesting family, consisting of his wife and three children. Never was there a more devoted and affectionate family. They constantly pray for his release, which seems to them to be necessary to their very life. Aside from his crime he has maintained his strong manhood and respectability, and is deeply and sincerely repentant. He tries in every way to atone for his crime. His release would surely bring complete reform and an upright and honest life. I deeply feel for his dear, estimable wife and stricken family, and earnestly pray for his release and their happy re-union, believing he is well worthy of it after his intense sufferings of mind for nearly three years in prison, which has taught him a terrible fearful lesson; and also because of his penitence and atonement as most clearly and sincerely shown in his frequent letters to his family and other relatives, which I have often seen in my careful study of his case. And,

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from the same source, I have learned that certain and necessary rigors of prison life are fast and seriously affecting his health, partly on account of his age, being nearly 54, and more especially on account of the sufferings he experienced in Libby and Andersonville prisons and in the field during our Civil War. Could he only be released while still in fair health his prospects would be bright. I most sincerely and firmly believe he will never commit crime again nor the least offense against the law in any way. As a guarantee of my standing I refer to the following:

Augustus Van Wyck, Justice Supreme Court, 2nd Judicial Dist.
Wilmot M. Smith, " " "
Garret J. Garretson, County Judge of Queens County.
Augustus N. Weller, Surrogate of Queens Co.
Theo. Koehler, senator from Queens Co.
Morton Cromwell, Assemblyman from Queens County.
Frederick Storm " " "
Jacob Stahl " " "
Rockville Centre Bank, Rockville Centre "

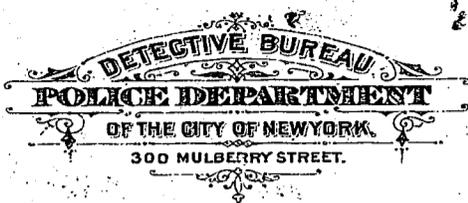
very truly

John Lyon

Att'y & Counsellor at Law,
Rockville Centre
Queens Co.,
N. Y.

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New York,

Dec. 1st, 1893.

Hon. Frederick Smythe,

Recorder.

My Dear Sir:-In compliance with your request I have the honor to submit herewith a brief history of the career of George Lingard, recently convicted in a trial before you, and now awaiting sentence.

In 1881 Lingard was in the employ of a publishing house in Vesey street, and while there obtained from the Chase National Bank of this city the sum of \$5000. on a forged check. He was arrested for that offense by Detective Sergeant Cosgrove, and was discharged on examination, the complainant refusing to prosecute.

About 2 years later Lingard was in the employ of a Mr. Dreyfuss, a dry goods merchant doing business at the time in Walker street, and obtained about \$4000. from him by means of forgeries he committed. He was arrested by Detective Sergeant Heidelberg, and was again discharged, the complainant refusing to prosecute.

He was subsequently in the employ of Garrett & Son of Philadelphia, Pa., and obtained from them by his forgeries the sum of \$500. He is now wanted in Philadelphia for that offense.

In the years 1889 and 1890 Lingard was in the employ of Chas. A. Schmidt, a manufacturer engaged in business at 449 West 14th street, as bookkeeper. He forged 207 checks in that time, and obtained on these forged checks from the Garfield National Bank upwards of \$15000.

now before me for

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New York,

Recently he has been employed by the Eastwood Wire Company of Belleville, N.J., and he committed a number of forgeries on them, obtaining by these forgeries about \$5000. His method was as follows: He had access to the mail matter, and opened it; he would abstract checks from the letters received, and forge the endorsement of Mr. John H. Eastwood, and then deposit these checks in the Bedford Bank in Brooklyn, N.Y., in which he had opened an account.

It is very probable that in the last 15 years Lingard, by his forgeries, has obtained upwards of \$60,000., and has parted with the greater part of it in purchasing immunity from punishment. He has nearly always managed to get the complainant against him to refrain from prosecuting him by paying him back part of the money obtained by his forgery.

He was last arrested on Nov. 3rd ultime on the charge of which he now stands convicted.

Very respectfully,

Wm. W. McLaughlin

Inspector, Detective Bureau.

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The following information was obtained from the records of the
 Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, on
 the subject of the above captioned land.
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 and is owned by ...
 The land is ...
 The land is ...

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 the subject of the above captioned land.
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 and is owned by ...
 The land is ...
 The land is ...

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 Singard
 High Road

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THOMAS DARLINGTON,
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Evening Post Building,
206 BROADWAY.

New York, 28th Nov. 1893

Hon. F. Smyth
Recd.

My dear Sir, I can
say nothing in favor or against
George Lingard during the last six
years. I have not seen him until
he was arraigned before you for
that period.

For ten years preceding
that he was the Chief Clerk of James
Sutton who was then my client. I
used to see him frequently - took him
out to Sandy Hill as a witness &c

He was then a gentleman - of no
bad habits that I knew - I often heard
of his wife as an estimable lady

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He has a child or children now about
grown up. What you can find it
consistent to do in his favor is
all that I can ask -

I am very truly yours
Thomas Darlington

Robert
P. V.
Furness
Boston

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Simpson, Crawford & Simpson,
6th Ave., cor. 10th St.

No. 44195

NEW YORK, May 9th 1890

Earfield National Bank

C. A. Schmitt

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

Fifty eight ⁸⁷/₁₀₀

\$58 ⁸⁷/₁₀₀

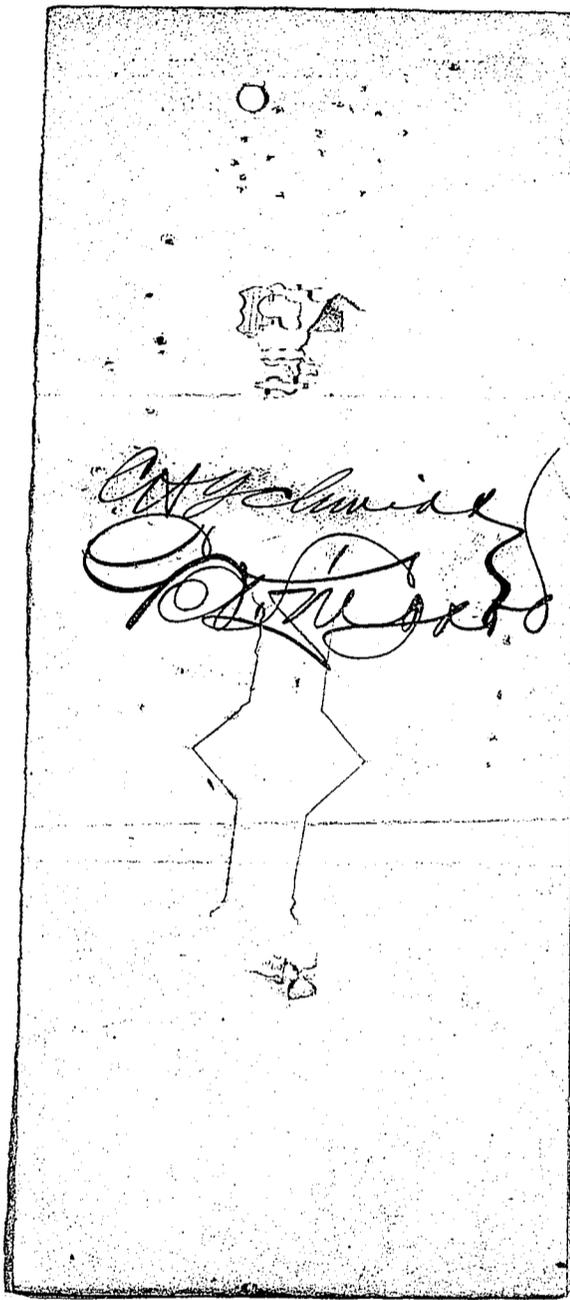
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Police Court, 2 District.

1901

City and County of New York, ss. Ruel W. Poor
of No. 71 1/2 W. 23rd Street, aged 33 years,
occupation Cashier Garfield Nat^l Bank being duly sworn, deposes and says,
or about that on the 9th day of May 1890, at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, George Luigard did,

with intent to defraud, make
forge and utter an instrument
purporting to be the act of another
by which a pecuniary demand or
obligation was created and affected
and by which rights and property
were transferred and conveyed in
violation of Section 511 of the Penal
Code.

Deponent further says: that he
is the Cashier of the Garfield
National Bank, in the City of New
York and that at the time herein
before mentioned the defendant
was a dealer with said Bank.
That on or about said day the
defendant deposited to his account
in said Bank the annexed check
drawn by the firm of Simpson,
Crawford and Simpson upon said
Garfield National Bank to the
order of one Christian A. Schmidt
for the sum of Fifty eight ⁸⁷/₁₀₀ Dollars.
That on or about said day the de-
fendant deposited said check which
was indorsed by the name of the
payee being affixed thereto, ~~to his~~
in the said Garfield National Bank
and the amount of said check was
credited to his account. That subse-
quently the defendant drew against
said account and withdrew the
money to his credit created by
reason of the deposit of said check

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Deponent is informed by said Christian
A. ~~Schmidt~~ ^{Schmidt} (now here) that he is
the payee mentioned in said check
and that the signature of endorsement
affixed on said check is a
counterfeit imitation and a forgery
and was so affixed without his know-
ledge or consent and that he
never received the money called
for in said check.

Wherefore deponent charges the
defendant with forgery and asks
that the defendant be arrested
and dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me
this 30th October, 1893

J. H. M.
Police Justice

Paul W. Poor

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Christian A. Schmidt
aged 56 years, occupation Drumming of No.

449 West 14th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Ruel W. Poor

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

Sworn to before me, this 31
day of October 1893 }

R. Schmidt

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court. 1883

City and County of New York, ss: -

George Luyard 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. George Luyard

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 50 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 485 Halsey St. Bklyn 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Bookkeeper

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

Answer. I am not guilty

George Luyard

Taken before me this

day of November 1883

Wm. H. Jones

Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. In the name of the People of the State of New York, To the Sheriff of the County
OF NEW YORK, } of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by Ruel N. Poor
of No. 71 Ave 73 N. 23^d Street, that on the 9th day of May
1890 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, George Luigard

did with intent to defraud, make forge
and utter an instrument in writing, whereby
a pecuniary demand was created and
transferred
on oath of

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

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 2nd DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 31st day of October 1890 [Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

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485 Walnut St. Boston
John J. Kelly 255 Army
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ruel W. Ross

vs.

George Leonard

Warrant-General.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate

Officer.

The Defendant _____
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

State of New York,
County of Kings, } SS.
CITY OF BROOKLYN.

Stephen O'Brien
of No. *123 E. 137th St. N.Y.*
being duly sworn says that he is acquainted with the hand-
writing of *Edward Hagan*

the Police Justice, who issued the annexed Warrant and that
the signature to this Warrant is in the handwriting of said

Stephen O'Brien DeSoy

Sworn to before me this *3* day of

Robert Hagan
Justice of the Peace of the City of Brooklyn.

This Warrant may be executed in the County of Kings.

Jacob Hagan
Justice of the Peace.

Dated this *3* day of *Nov* 18*93*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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486 Walnut St. Boston
Simon Law
Ans of Kelly 235 Army
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ruel W. Ross
vs.
George Langford

Warrant-General.

Dated _____ 188

_____ Magistrate

_____ Officer.

The Defendant _____
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

_____ Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

_____ Police Justice.

State of New York,
County of Kings, } ss.
CITY OF BROOKLYN.

Stephen O'Brien
of No. *123 E. 137th St. 409*
being duly sworn says that he is acquainted with the hand-
writing of *Edward Hagan*

the Police Justice, who issued the annexed Warrant and that
the signature to this Warrant is in the handwriting of said

Stephen O'Brien Det. Sgt.
Sworn to before me this *3* day of
Nov 188
Jacob Hagan
Justice of the Peace of the City of Brooklyn.

This Warrant may be executed in the County of Kings.

Jacob Hagan
Justice of the Peace.

Dated this *3* day of *Nov* 188*93*

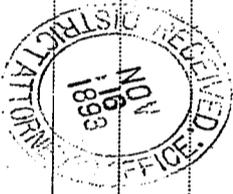
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\$15.000 bail
Ex. City to 14 Nov at 2 PM

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

Police Court... *N 3* District... *1215*
 THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Quell W. Jones
713 73 Ave. 23rd
George Ludwig
 2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____
 Dated, *Nov 4* 1893
Stueck Magistrate
W. Brown & McLaughlin Officer
100 Precinct
 Witnesses _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 No. *15000* Street *Ed. J. Smith*
 to answer *Ed. J. Smith*
Ed. J. Smith
Ed. J. Smith



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

defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *fifteen thousand* 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, *Nov 4* 1893 *Frank W. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said *George Lingard* of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *George Lingard* late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, having in *his* possession a certain instrument and writing, in the words and figures following, that is to say:

*No. 44195 New York, May 9th 1890
Garfield National Bank
Pay to the order of C. A. Schmidt
Fifty eight ⁸⁷/₁₀₀ — Dollars
\$58 ⁸⁷/₁₀₀ Simpson Crawford Simpson*

on the *back* of which said instrument ^{and writing} there was then and there written a certain forged instrument and writing commonly called an *Endorsement* which said forged instrument and writing, commonly called an *Endorsement* is as follows, that is to say:

C. A. Schmidt

with force and arms, the said forged instrument and writing then and there feloniously did utter, dispose of and put off as true, with intent to defraud, *he* the said *George Lingard* then and there well knowing the same to be forged, 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

540

FOLDER:

4915

DESCRIPTION:

Londrigan, John

DATE:

11/10/93



4915

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Witnesses:

John Lee
W. Kehoe

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleads

W. Kehoe

THE PEOPLE

Robbery, (Sections 224 and 22 of Penal Code.)

23 November 1893

John L. Longigan

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

23-NOV-93

Foreman.

Handwritten signature

Park 3, November 20/93

Pleads - Grand Jury

23

5 yrs of P. B. 11/25/93

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Police Court District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

John Lee of No. 378 Washington Street, Aged 47 Years Occupation Laborer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 29 day of October 1893 at the 5 Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One silver cased watch and twenty five dollars in money together of the value of thirty five dollars

of the value of thirty five DOLLARS, the property of Deponent

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

John Lindergau (arrested) and an unknown man not arrested) from the fact that at about the hour of 11.30 Pm of said date deponent was accosted by the deponent, on Washington Street near Laight that the deponent seized deponent by the throat and with the assistance of the unknown man forcibly rifled deponent's pockets and carried away the above mentioned property

John Lee

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of November 1893. Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

John Lindergan 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.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

John Lindergan

Taken before me this

day of *November* 189*7*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0235

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

John J. [Signature]
378 [Address]

John J. [Signature]
John J. [Signature]

Offense

Date

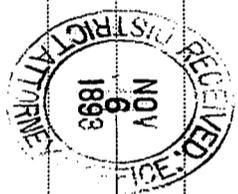
Michael [Signature]
Magistrate
Officer

Witnesses

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street



No. Street

25011
to answer

Committment
10.30.93

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

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

Dated, 189 *Police Justice.*

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

Dated, 189 *Police Justice.*

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

Dated, 189 *Police Justice.*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0236

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 Londrigan

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

John Londrigan

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

The said

John Londrigan

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *29th* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, in the *right*-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *John Lee* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault; and

one watch of the value of ten dollars, and the sum of twenty-five dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of twenty-five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *John Lee* from the person of the said *John Lee* against the will and by violence to the person of the said *John Lee* then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away,

the said John Londrigan being then and there aided by and accomplice actually present whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid, unknown.

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

*De Laurey Neoll
District Attorney*