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Stevens, James

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Baldwin, David

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Lorenzo G. Woodhouse

104 North St

John J. Hammer

Office 6th - Cincinnati

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 9th day of April, 1884

Pleads *Not Guilty*.

U. S. THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Stevens

and

David Baldwin

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN MCKEON,

Attorneys at Law, District Attorney.

Read Plea and guilty

A True Bill.

S. J. Ten years each

John McKee Foreman.

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and
Receiving—Stolen Goods.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Stearns
and
David Baldwin

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

James Stearns and David
Baldwin of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE,

committed as follows:

The said James Stearns and
David Baldwin
late of the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the second day of April in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty four with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the store house of Lorenzo
G. Woodhouse there situate, feloniously and
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building
in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept
for use, sale and deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter
described, with intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said
Lorenzo G. Woodhouse then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

four hundred gloves of the value
of fifty cents each

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

G. Woodhouse

so kept as aforesaid in the said store house 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.

Peter B. Olney
District Attorney

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

Police Court District. 1239
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
George S. Williams
104 North St.
1 James Stephens
2 David Baldwin
Offence Burglary
Dated 3 April 1884
Magistrate
John Thompson
Witnesses
John Thompson
David Baldwin
No. _____
Street _____
No. _____
Street _____
No. _____
Street _____
to answer
C. S. Williams

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named James Stephens & David Baldwin guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Three Thousand 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 3 April 1884 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.
Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. David Baldwin

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Chicago Ills

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

Answer. none

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Conductor

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

Answer. I have nothing to say

David Baldwin

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Stephens*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *41 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *Huntersport*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Stone cutter*

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

Answer. *I have nothing to say*
James Stephens

Taken before me this

day of *April*

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[Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 26 years, occupation John J. Wimmer
Police of No.

Sixth Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Soranzo G. Woodhouse

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

Sworn to before me, this 3
day of April 1884 John J. Wimmer

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Police Court—1st District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 104 Worthoccupation MerchantLorenzo G. WoodhouseStreet, aged 44 years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 104 Worth Street,
in Sixth Ward
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building with an
iron frontand which was occupied by deponent as a storageand in which there was at the time no human being, by namewere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open
the scuttle of said premises and entering
thereinon the 2 day of April 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:a quantity of kid gloves and a quantity
of silk gloves in all about the value
of three hundred dollarsthe property of deponent Marshall Field, Harlow N. Higginbotham
Joseph A. Field and John G. McWilliams copartners
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

James Stephens and David Baldwinfor the reasons following, to wit: that deponent was informed
by officer John J. Whimmer that at or about
the hour of 11.30 P.M. he said officer
found said premises broken open and
said defendants in said premises and
the aforesaid property as bags about to be
removed from said premisesLorenzo G. WoodhousePlaced in the hands of the
day of April 1884
J. G. Woodhouse
Police Justice

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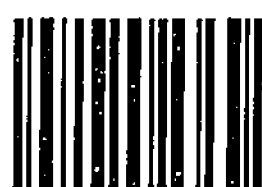
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Wood J. Carabund
115 West St

Bail fixed at
\$1300.
May 2, 1884

4/13/84 Dec 1884
Counsel, No. 2, R. P. H. H. H. H. H.
Filed 30 day of Dec 1884
Pleads Copy of (copy)

Robbery in the first Degree
(Sections 224 and 225)
THE PEOPLE vs.
Frank Stewart
McClelland
and
William Wallace

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN McKEON,

22 New York District Attorney
Not guilty & convicted of an
attempt to kill
A TRUE BILL
22/10/84
Not guilty & convicted of an
attempt to kill
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Not guilty & convicted of an
attempt to kill
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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

Frank Stewart

and

William Wallace

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Frank Stewart and William Wallace of the CRIME OF ROBBERY IN THE First DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Frank Stewart and William Wallace

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 22nd day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Wood T. Canham in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault [each of them] and did take from the person of the said Wood T. Canham a gold ornament of the said commonly called chain, of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Wood T. Canham from the person of said Wood T. Canham and against the will and by violence to the person of the said Wood T. Canham then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity,

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MCKEON~~, District Attorney.

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Dated 188 *Police Justice.*

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City and County { ss.
of New York

Wood J. Camburn, Proven
and Cross examined by Camille
Spencer

Q What is your business?
A I am a Shipping Agent at
115 West Street. I do
business in my own name.
I furnish vessels with crew.

Q Where you in your office
at 115 West St. 2 weeks
ago to-day?

A I was here. I left the
office about 7 o'clock
Saturday evening and I
lost my watch at about
10 o'clock. My place of
residence is 115 West St.
and 19 1/2 East St. I
have no family.

Q At the time you left your
place had you taken any
drinks?

A I had. I drank a few
glasses of beer, nothing
strong. I had taken
some liquor but I was

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not drunk - I knew what I was doing. I passed the street in the car when I intended to stop and ride down to Grand St. Ferry.

Q On the occasion when the watch was taken was the driver in the car?

A No sir - not to my knowledge. There was no Conductor. There was no persons in the car at the time my watch was taken. There were people passing along about the car. I never saw either of the defendants before that evening that I know of. They got away watch and all.

Q After the defendants got away what was the first thing you did?

A I went across to the opposite side of the street - on the North side of Grand Street - and I knocked up to look

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Brady and up to Market
Street, about half a
mile I should say. I
only spoke to one person
when I got off the car.
A man spoke to me
and said "you have lost
your watch, and I said
"That's all right". After
that I spoke to no
one until I got to
1912 I forgot Street, where
I stayed all night.
I have lived here six
years. I know where
~~there~~ there were
Station Horses.

Q Why after you concluded
of your watch in this
why did you wait half
a mile and then go
to bed and sleep all
night and not complain
to a police officer of the
robbery?

A I was ashamed that
having been in a few
years so long and in the
summer I was that I

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should have been robbed in
the way I was. I got
up the next morning
about 8 o'clock

Q Here you were in the
car at 10 o'clock with
plenty of people around
why did you not call
for help?

A I thought I was better
off the way I was.

I took
my breakfast at 1942
Fazith St. I did not
tell any one there about
the robbery. I took break-
fast with John Cornburn
and his wife. I did not
tell them. After break-
fast I went to my
office. There was no
person in the office. I
spent Sunday around the
Glen Island Hotel where
I sleep sometimes. The
car tender's name is
Harry Meyers. I did not
go to any police station

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on Sunday. I told the
Proprietor of the Glen
Island Hotel, Rosenberg,
of my loss. I told him
I had lost my watch
and chain. I say Lewis
I have lost my watch
and chain I have got
into the same racket
that you did. I told
him as near as I can
remember how two
men took the watch
from me in the car.
I did not give Rosenberg
any description of the
men. I thought of
going to the Station
House but did not
because I wanted no
one to know of it. I
slept at the Hotel
Sunday night. I did
not go near any Polici-
man or Station House
on Monday.

Q When did you for the
first time say anything
to the police about this

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(Business?)

Q About ten days after
the robbery occurred

Go to the Court.

I did not complain to
the Police. An officer
came to me and asked
for the particulars of the
loss of my watch and
chain and if I could
identify the parties who
took it. I said I could
and went to the Station
House and identified
the defendant Stewart.
I identify Wallace as
the person who pushed
me back after my
watch was stolen.
Stewart took my watch.

Re Cross.

Q When the officer came
to you what did he
say to you?

A. He asked me if any
one in the House had

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lost anything. At first
I told him I did not
know of any one losing
anything. I did not know
he was an officer. I
can't remember what
the officer said. The
next thing I recollect
of saying was you are
Frank's man and the
officer said he was. I
then told him of my
loss and gave him a
description of the man.
He then told me he
knew some persons arrested.
I described one of the
men as a little bit
taller than myself
with a prominent jaw
and slim and wearing
on a short pique coat.
I did not tell the color
of his eyes and hair. I
said the other man was
a little taller, with a
dark prominent jaw round
hat and short coat.
Wood T. Canbern

Almon before me this
25th of April 1864
J. W. Patterson
Notary Public

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John McDonald saw me
and explained for the
paper.
I am 20 years of age and
reside at No. 19 Morgan
Street. I was the driver
of the car in which
the complainant was. He
got on my car at the
foot of Levee Street and
rode with me to Grand
Street Ferry. He said he
should have got out at
Levee Street and I told
him I would be going
back in about 20 minutes.
He then got off the car
and I went up in the
office. I stayed there about
five minutes and when
I came down I saw
the complainant chasing
Stewart and I saw
Wallace standing on the
back platform of the car
with a watch in his
hand. About an
hour thereafter Stewart

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Called me out of the office and showed me a gold watch and chain and said to me "This is the watch, don't say anything about it"

Cross Examination

I never had any conversation with Stewart before that night. There was no intimacy between us and I had asked him nothing about the watch when he told me about it. I can't say why he told me. When I came out of the office the Complainant was getting off the car and running after Stewart. I was within 20 feet of him. He walked past at first and in about half a minute he began to run. Wallace told me at that time about the watch. Wallace told me Stewart had taken a watch off the man.

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and that the ring he
had belonged to and
watch. I did not give
an alarm because I
had to go on my trip.
I do not know where
Stewart was then. I made
no attempt to arrest Stewart
or Wallace. When I
came back from my
trip I made a report
that we had lost a
watch on my car on
my \$40 trip coming east.
I did not mention any
names in my report. I
knew the defendant then
was Mr. Wallace when
I made the report. I did
not tell the officer that
I did not know Wallace's
name. I did not consider
it necessary to report the
name of the thief. I am
not required to report
the name, only the
fact of the robbery.
I just told my father

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about Wallace a week
after the robbery. The
Complainant came to
me about the watch
on Friday morning the
robbery. He said to me
did I lose a watch on
your car and I said
yes. He then described
to me the persons who
took it. I did not tell
him that Wallace was
the name of one of the
men. I tried to see if
I knew who the parties
were, but I did not tell
him the names. I did
not think there was
any necessity to do so.
I do not think it is
necessary to tell the names
of any persons stealing on
my car. I have been
three months on the
road. I spoke to my
partner who is a police
officer about the robbery
and after that officer
McClary came to see

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me and I told him the
names of the parties that
they were Wallace and
Stewart.

I am to be a member of the
26th day of April 1884
J. W. Patterson
Col. J. W. Patterson

John Welsh born and
experienced for the people
I am 23 years of age and
reside at 55th Grand St.
I am a car driver.
I got to Grand Street Ferry
on the night in question
and saw Wallace and
Stewart running past the
office and a man following
them. About an hour
after Stewart came to
me and showed me
a watch and chain and
said "this is the watch ~~for~~
I got."

Cross examined

The man was about 20
feet behind Stewart & Wallace

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I knew the names of Stuart
and Warner. I did ~~not~~
know their names on
the night of the robbery.
I had spoken to them
before that night. They
were both school mates
of mine. I first knew
of the robbery when Stuart
phoned me the watch. He
made me acquainted with
the fact that he had robbed
a man of his watch. I did
not tell any one about
it. I did not tell the
Company who employs me.
I can give no reason for
doing so. When the offer
came after me I told him
what I knew about it.
That was the day before
yesterday. I did not go
to any one to give any
information of the robbery.
I would consider it my duty
to give information of a
robbery if I knew the names
of the thief. I did not
do so in this case.

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I have been a driver for
three or four years.
Known to before me etc.
26th April 1884 John Webb
J. W. Peterson
Police Station

Adjourned to April 27/84
at 10 A. M.

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Sec. 198-200.

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

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *William Wallace*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *446 Cherry St. about a year.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Book-binder*

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*

Wm Wallace

Taken before me this *20th* day of *April* 188*8*
Wm Wallace
Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Wood J. Camberra

of No. 115 West Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that

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

Complainant in the foregoing
affidavit. That William
Wallace, now here, is the
other man mentioned in
said affidavit as being in
the company of the defendant,
Frank Stutts, named in
said affidavit. That said
William Wallace assaulted
deponent at the time and
in the manner stated in

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice

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Said affiant and participated
in the robbery therein set forth.
Sworn to before me this
25th day of April 1884 Wm. J. [unclear]
J. M. Patterson
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Disposition.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

32 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

Frank Stewart

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

514 - 3rd Avenue 6 Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Driver on a Railroad

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

Frank Stewart

Over

Taken before me this 23
day of May 1888
John A. Putnam
Police Justice.

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Police Court

J² District.CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Wood J. Baumgardner aged 37 years

of No. 115 West Street,

being duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that on the 12th day of April 1887, at the 13th 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 Gold Watch and Chain
and a gold chain attached to
the chain of the value of Eighty
five Dollars \$85.00

of the value of Eighty 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

Frank Stewart (now known), and
another man not known to deponent
and who is not now arrested, from
the fact that while deponent was
sitting in a brandy brandy car standing still
at the time at foot of Grand Street at the
hour of 10 O'clock P.M. the said deponent
and another man unknown to deponent
came into said car and the deponent
placed his arms under deponent's chain
punched back his head and seized hold of
deponent's watch and chain and extracted

Sworn before me this 23rd day of April 1887.

Notary Public.

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said property from defendant left Vest
pocket which was worn upon defendant
person at the time and run out of said
car. And while the defendant attempted
to follow the defendant the aforesaid
other man who is not now arrested
pushed back the defendant in the
car thereby preventing the defendant to
follow the defendant and he also
jumped away from said car.

The defendant has subsequently
been arrested by Officer McCalley of the
15th Precinct Police and has been
fully identified by defendant as the
person who committed said Robbery
at the aforesaid time and place.

Subscribed before me } Wood T. Canine
this 23rd day of April 1887 }
J. M. Patterson }
Police Justice

Police Court— District.

AFFIDAVIT—ROBBERY.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer

Witnesses:

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OFFICE OF

CARRAHER & CO.,

No. 332 MONROE STREET, JUNCTION OF GRAND STREET,

STEAM HEATING & PLUMBING WORKS,

Dealers in IRON & LEAD PIPE, BRASS & IRON FITTINGS,
MACHINISTS' & ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

Established 1864.

New York, April 25th 1884

To

"Whom it may concern"

The bearer Jeff Stewart has been
in our employ for some time, and while
with us. We always found him "Honest"
& Industrious

Carragher & Co.

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Court of General Sessions
for the City of New York

The People &c
vs
Frank Stewart }

City and County of New York ss:-

Francis S. Turner being duly sworn
deposes and says: That he is an Attorney
and Counsellor at Law in the City and
County of New York doing business at 154
Nassau St. That on February 12th 1885
Col Charles S. Spencer Esq the Attorney
for the defendant above named asked
deponent to attend to the case of Frank
Stewart in the Court above named as he
said Charles S. Spencer was actually en-
gaged in the trial of a cause in the
Supreme Court of the State of New York
that said cause would take all the day
and part of the next.

Deponent further says that he attended
at the Court of General Sessions part
" before Hon Justice Cowing and ask
assistant District Attorney Fitzgerald
to put the above named case over until
next week as Mr Spencer was actually

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engaged in the Supreme Court in
the trial of a cause That said District
Attorney said he could not put the
case over until the following week then
deponent asked to ~~bring the case~~ go over until today, or, hold
but would ~~not~~ the same subject to the
engagement of said Spencer and the said
District Attorney said he would do so.
Deponent then left the court not think-
ing it necessary under the circumstances
to make a motion before Justice Cowing
who was upon the bench

Given to before me this }
13th day of February 1885) Francis S. Spencer
John A. O'Brien
Notary Public
N.Y.

Record of General

Spencer

The People vs

Spencer

Frank Stewart

Affidavit

Charles S. Spencer

Deputy Attorney

154 Nassau St

N.Y. City

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To Hon Rufus B Cowing

The undersigned, jurors
in the Case of Frank Stewart,
respectfully ask that he be
sentenced to the Division
Reformatory.

New York, February 18th 1885.

Charles A. Kuhner

Geo. Goodfellow

Aug. Brickelmaier

Henry Segan

Brace Litchfield

Daniel Porish Jr

John

Albert H. Litchfield

Augustus Collier

Wm. Brickelmaier

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Stymus, Walter D.

DATE:

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Counsel,
Filed *May 18* day of *May* 188*4*

Pleads *Not guilty (g)*

THE PEOPLE
vs
Walter D. Stymus
Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,
Grand Larceny, 3rd Degree,
and Receiving Stolen Goods.
(Sections 49, 500, 502, 503, 504, and 505)

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~WHEELER H. PECKHAM,~~

District Attorney.

I do hereby certify
pleads
A TRUE BILL.

May 19

John W. Olney

May 19/84
Edmund R.

Edgar S. Stinson
Officer Centineus Crest.

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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

Walter D. Stymus

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

Walter D. Stymus

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Walter D. Stymus*,

late of the 22nd Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the ~~nineteenth~~ day of *March* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, about the hour
of *twelve* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of *John B. Schatwell*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to
commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal
property of *the said John B. Schatwell*,
in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and
there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the
State of New York, and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT.

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

_____ Walter D. Styms _____

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

The said ~~Walter D. Styms~~ _____

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the said
_____ day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-~~four~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the
night time of said day, with force and arms, ~~one~~ one

of the value of one hundred
and fifty dollars, one watch
of the value of fifty dollars,
two napkin rings of the value
of eight dollars each, six
forks of the value of three
dollars each, one seal-skin
cap of the value of twelve
dollars, and one ruff of the
value of twenty dollars. _____

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one _____ John B.
Shotwell _____ in the dwelling house of

the said John B. Shotwell

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

Peter B. Olney,

District Attorney.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said
day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty- with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

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

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have (the said

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

WHEELER H. PECKHAM, District Attorney.

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 _____

[illegible]

Police Court - 10 District.

THE PEOPLE, vs
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

112-887

John A. Storture

Apr 23 met w/

1 George West Street

2 Edmund Hoffington

3 George J. Smith

4 Walter A. Storture

Offence

March 11th 1884

21. A.

Magistrate.

Sturges Forward Officer.

Carthage Precinct.

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 Walter R. Storm

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 June, 12 1884 August 1884 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 *Police Justice.*

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named George W Barrett, Bennett Wolfe
George Simmons guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order him to be discharged.

Dated 19th 12th 1887 James J. White Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. Walter D. Slynus

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Hard wood finisher

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

W. D. Slynus

Taken before me this 14
day of April 1888
David J. Smith
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edgar S. Stanson
aged 36 years, occupation Detective Sergeant of No. the Central Office Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John B. Shotwell
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 31st } Edgar S. Stanson
day of March 1884 }

Andrew J. White
Police Justice.

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Police Court—3^d District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:

of No. 163 West 46th Street, aged 23 years,
 occupation Medical Student being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that the premises No 163 West 46th Street,
 in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling House

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling House
 and in which there was at the time ^{no} human being, ~~by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly removing a
scuttle from the roof of said house,
which said house is situated in the 22nd
Ward of the City of New York

on the 19th day of March 1884 in the night time, and the
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Seal Skin Dolman and two Silver
Stapkin Rings and about six silver
forks in all of the value of Two
Hundred and Fifty Dollars

the property of John B^{ro} and Bodie Shotwell
 and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

Washington Barrett, Bennett Wolfenstein,
Walter D. Stymus and George Simmons
 (now here) for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent is informed by De-
TECTIVE Sergeant Edgar S. Slawson of the Central
Police Office, that he (Slawson) saw said
Barrett, Wolfenstein and Simmons in company
together on Saturday the 22nd day of March 1884.
That on the same day and about one hour after
said Barrett, Simmons and Wolfenstein were
seen together as aforesaid, said Wolfenstein
entered the store No. 246 BATTERY with much

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Charles Selig, 14 Orchard St.
being duly sworn says. Pawtucket
falls stone I know the accused George
Barnett I don't know his name I met
him on the 30th of March at my stone.
Stymus was with him. Barnett came
in my store on the 19 or 30th of March
it was on Wednesday and he asked for
some bracelets and told him I had
none. And shortly thereafter Barnett &
Stymus came in and asked me if I
wanted to buy a seal skin balloon
and a cap and jewelry & silver ware
& told him I did not. And they wanted
a few minutes and they went out and
Mr King was passing there & saw
them. there was no further conversation
on the morning of the 19th, I don't
know if it was Wednesday the 19th.
I did not see them after the 20th
on the afternoon of the day of the
arrest they came in & now say it was
Thursday the 20th of March
from before me

This 12th day of April 1874

Andrew Smith

Police Justice

Charles Selig

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Wolfenstein case

Monday April 7th 1894.

Officer A. Connor being recalled and
cross examined by Mr Kaufman.

I had a conversation with Stymus
after his arrest on Broadway - Wolfenstein's
name was mentioned in that conversation by
Stymus - Stymus said Wolfenstein was an
innocent man and didn't have anything to
do with the affair, that he (Stymus) knew
he was an innocent man.

Sworn to before me this

7th day of April 1894

Arthur J. Smith
Police Justice

Charles A. Connor

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Simmons Case

Walter D. Stymus cross examined by Mr. Probert.

I came home about a month ago or a little over - have been living with my folks at 103 E. 60th St. - Have been in the habit of riding around more than 2 or 3 times a week with Simmons when he was delivering his route - I formed his acquaintance in 46th St. at a Base Ball Club association - I don't just remember the time in the evening that night that I was in company with Simmons - I think it was as early as half past 7 - I didn't leave him for more than 5 or 10 minutes until after 11.

Sworn to before me this 7th

day of April 1884

Arthur J. White
Police Justice

W. D. Stymus

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Simmons Case

John H. Ellis being duly sworn testified as follows;

My title Court.

I reside at 521 West 50th Street - am now collecting rents.

Examined by Mr. Rogert.

The defendant Simmons has boarded in my family for 10 years - I saw him on Wednesday evening March 19th at about 7 O'clock at my home - he remained there that night until he went to bed - he went to bed at about 8 O'clock - my room is right along side of his, just a door between - he remained there that night, I didn't go to bed until after 11 O'clock and he was asleep then - my wife was there also - he didn't go out that night because it was storming - he sat and smoked until about 8 O'clock when he went to bed - he could not have gone out of the house without my seeing him as he would have to go back into the kitchen - I am positive he was there, that he was asleep - have known him 10 years - he is no relative of mine.

Sworn to before me this 7th.

day of April 1894

Andrew M. [Signature]

Police Justice

John H. Ellis

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Simmons Case
Lawyer

Charles E. ~~Lyon~~ being duly sworn testifies as follows:

My Ues Court -

I reside at 875 - Sixth Avenue - former
bookkeeper for Mr Wall - the defendant is
in the employ of Mr Wall about 4 years -
in the morning he drives a bread wagon
& collects - I am in the habit of seeing him
every day - I sometimes see him in the
evening after he is through work, say 2 or 3
times a week - he was at my home on the
14th March in the evening about half past
7 - he left about 11 o'clock - that I am not
mistaken about -

My Mr Magistrate Kaufman

It is admitted that Simmons has been
known by the name of Jud.

Simmons being now called explains that
his real name is George Simmons &
that George stands for Jud - that his
nick name is Jud.

My Mr Kaufman:

I have not seen him sign his name as
Jud. - I saw him on Monday evening about
half past 7 - It was not after 8 o'clock -
I think he came in the store about 5 or
half past.

Sworn before me this 7th
day of April 1884
Charles E. Lawyer
Justice

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Barnet Case

Say in Mr. Barnet being duly sworn testified as follows:

By the Court:

I reside at 165 W. 46th St. - Am in the Nichols business.

By Mr. Spencer: -

George Barnet is my boy - I recollect Elias Probas coming after him on the night of the 19th of March. - My wife also knows it - Elias Probas came to the house about 7 O'clock and rang the bell and George went down to the door and then came up and asked his mother if we could go down 8th Avenue - he wanted to go down 8th Avenue with Charlie and they went away together - the boy came home about 1/2 past 10 O'clock or 1/4 of 11 - As was there in the house that night - my wife never goes to bed until the boy comes in - Charlie came to the house right after supper about 20 minutes past 9 - I didn't see him when he came home but I heard him - I didn't see him until the next day - his mother sat up. The boy is home every night - he never stays out later than 1/2 past 10 or 11 O'clock unless he goes to the Theatre - he is 21 years old - I was in my bedroom when the boy came home - The lights were not

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out. I did not look at the clock. - I could
not be mistaken as to its being after
11 O'clock.

Shown to before me this 7th day

of April 1884

Andrew Smith

Police Justice

Squire R. Barrett

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Barnet Case

Charles Boehlas being duly sworn testified as follows;

My (the) Omit:

I reside at 802 - Fifth Avenue - Butler -

My Mr. Spencer: -

I know George Barnett - I know about Wednesday the 19th of March - that evening I went to Barnett's home about half past 7, I rang the bell and George Barnett came down and went with me to 8th Avenue, we stand there until about 1/2 past 10 and I went from there with him to his home again and he went up stairs and I went home - I reached his home about 1/2 past 10 (11 o'clock) didn't remain there at all, as soon as he came down we went to 8th Avenue to a Lager Beer Saloon and remained there until about 1/2 past 10 o'clock Wednesday evening the 19th March - there was a gentleman there playing the Piano and singing - the name of the party who keeps the Saloon I don't know - it is between 46th & 47th Sts on the east side of the way - I and Barnett were in this place until 1/2 past 10 o'clock didn't leave the room at any time after going there until we left at 1/2 past 10 o'clock. Upon coming out of the Saloon I went with him to his house

Chas A Boehlas.

Sworn to before me this 7th

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Andrew G. Smith - Police Justice

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Barret Case

Peter Young being duly sworn testified as follows:

My the Court:

I reside at 754 - Eighth Avenue - Grocery & Saloon - between 46th & 47th Streets - I

My Mr. Spencer:-

I remember the evening of the 19th of March - I remember seeing George Barret and Clara Prohbas in my place that evening - They came there about 1/2 past 7 o'clock - There was a man there playing the Piano and singing - I fix the time as 1/2 past 7 o'clock because I came home about 1/2 past 8 o'clock and Barret and this other man came in a little while after that - I am a salesman for Thurber & Co for 4 years - after I got home I went up stairs and had my supper and then came down and Barret and this other gentleman came in and that was about 1/2 past 7 o'clock - I didn't go out of the place that evening - I saw Barret and this other gentleman there all that evening - There were others there, they all left about the same time - I fix the time by looking at the clock - it was about 1/2 past 10 o'clock when they left - I am positive Barret was in there from 1/2 past 7 until about 1/2 past 10 o'clock - I could be mistaken about 10 or 15 minutes but

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I could not be mistaken for one hour.
Sworn to before me this 7th
day of April 1884.

Andrew Smith
Notary Public

Peter Young
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Marret Case.

Walter D. Styrons being called and cross examined by Col. Spencer testified as follows:

I lived home prior to going West last May - I did not rob my mother of her jewelry and run away - I swear I did not steal her Bracelets - I did not steal any of her jewelry and go away with it - That is as true as anything I have sworn to - My mother has sent to me for her Bracelets since I have been in jail.

Sworn to before me this 4th

day of April 1894

Andrew J. White
Police Justice

W. D. Styrons

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Marret Case

John Seerey being duly sworn testified as follows:

By the Court:

I reside at 410 - 49th Street - drive a Milk Wagon -

By Mr. Spencer:

I was present at this saloon at this concert. I saw George Marret there - he came in between 1/2 past 7 and 8 O'clock - he went away near 11 O'clock between 10 and 11 O'clock - he was there all the while - I also saw this young man Elias Prohbas - I got to this place about 7 O'clock - I find this man as being 7 O'clock because I looked at the clock - I am married - I went down to this Lager Beer Saloon and was sitting there when he (Marret) came in - he went away before me - I got home at 11 O'clock - he remained in the saloon all that evening and he left before me - I was home at 11 O'clock.

+ Examination

I cannot say how often I have seen him in that saloon - I have not seen him there after 11 O'clock - I have seen him in the place for the last 4 months say 2 or 3 evening in the week - I am not very friendly with Marret.

Sworn to before me this 7th

day of April 1884

Charles J. White John Seerey
Police Justice.

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Barrett Case

Henry Werner being duly sworn testified as follows:

By the Court.

I reside at 2 Race Place - I have been a salesman for my father for 4 years in the coat business - am now in the clothing business with the Rosenberg Manufacturing Company.

By the Court.

I was in this saloon on the night of the 19th of March - saw George Barrett there - he came in about 25 minutes past 10 - he went out between 1/2 past 10 and 11 o'clock - he was there all the while - I was in there before he came in - I got there about 1/2 past 6 - I came up from the house about 6 o'clock - I was in next door to the place and went in there about 1/2 past 6 I make it a rule to stop in there - I was there about 3/4 of an hour before Barrett came in - I remained until after he left - I remained all the time he was there - he didn't go out of the place until he left - when he left he went out with Charlie Probas and others - they both left together in company with another man, it was not 11 o'clock - I looked at the clock when they went out - I left there

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about 1/4 of 12 O'clock - I remained there after
they left about 1/2 hour.

+ It by Mr Kaufman -

I guess I have seen him altogether about
a dozen times in that saloon, that is all
the time I have known him. - I only know
him from coming in there - to the best of
my knowledge the latest I heard him in
there is about 10 or 11 O'clock - the latest
I seen him remain there that night was
1/2 past 10 O'clock - he never remained there
later than 25 minutes to 11 O'clock as far as
I know.

room to be seen this 7th day of April 1884.

Arthur M. White
Police Justice

Henry Kerner

Adjourned to Saturday April 12th.
1884 at 3 O'clock P.M.

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Barnett Case!

Susan P. Barnett, 168 West 46th
 Street being only seven days lined
 there are the 19th of March. I was the
 mother of the defendant George C.
 Barnett and that evening Charles
 Bohrer came for him at the house
 about 20 minutes past 7. We wanted
 him to go down to a saloon where
 some singing & he went. We between
 10 minutes. At 1/4 past 11 he came home
 & went to bed. I was up my husband
 had gone to bed & he stayed there
 until morning.

Sworn to before me
 this 12th day of April 1884 } Susan L. Barnett
 Andrew White }
 Police Justice

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Sworn Case.

Laura Ellis, 521 West 50th St.
being duly sworn says.

I am acquainted with George Sumaris he lives with me I have lived with me I have worked for me for 10 years ago. At the 19th of March he came home at ¹²/₂ past 2 o'clock of his usual time my husband was home that evening he remained home that evening from the time he came in until he went to bed he was constantly in my sight he went to bed about 8 o'clock my husband passed through his room (after he retired to bed and I am positive he did not leave the house until the next morning) Cross Examined

If the date being the 19th of March on account of it being a very rainy night that night after he retired to bed I passed through his room 3 or 4 times; I am positive he was in bed after 10 o'clock that night.

Sworn to before me } Laura Ellis.
this 12th day of April

Charles F. Smith
 Justice

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Simmons Case

Emma Sawyer. 895-6th Ave
 being duly sworn deposes says.
 I am the sister Charles E. Sawyer, I was
 at his residence on 14th day of March.
 I know George Simmons He was there
 in my company that evening, I saw
 him that evening at 25 minutes past
 9 o'clock. He remained there until 1/4
 past 11 o'clock. As he never left my sight
 from the time he came in until
 1/4 past 11 o'clock.

Cross Examined

I fix it as being the 14th of March
 because it's Monday evening and it
 being St. Patrick's day he promised
 to come there that afternoon at 7
 o'clock in the evening. He came in
 at 25 minutes past 9. I looked at the
 clock when he came in. And when I locked
 the door I had a clock in that room. He
 did not see me on the 16th. He occasionally
 calls at my brother's house, to play cards
 there is no particular day when he calls.
 He has been there on Sunday. in fact
 fewer days than ~~than~~ Sunday.
 I am before me
 this 13th day of April 1894. Emma Sawyer
 Andrew J. [Signature] Deed Justice.

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Emily Pomeroy

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Dear Sir,

I have
waited till the late day in
waiting to you because my
hope in obtaining the evidence
against Kellie's
hunts in one getting, but
then I saw that Kellie was
a man between Kellie's
and myself to reward
a wrong. I went to work
for Kellie in the firm
belief that he was all he
represented himself to be. I
obeyed him without question,
knowing what I was about
him. I realize what he is
and how shamefully he has

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just now I feel that I
 may have strong feelings
 entirely over all I have
 known, and I feel when I speak
 with the eyes that I have
 seen everything, and that about
 it I have felt the same
 and I feel my heart that
 I have myself a sense of
 what I have done.

I hope for the day when
 not so much of the world
 I have been forced to see
 the first but I think of how
 hard I have tried to be
 at once, but I feel that
 I should go to the heart of
 the matter and see, Mr. Allen
 Hubbard's statements are false
 I never mentioned anything
 before at any time.

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I kindly beg to write
to you, and I am full
of the conviction that the
necessary conditions of my
well-being are not far from
me. I would like to know of you
and have been I feel towards
the man that has caused
me much trouble and
has been a long time
in my life. I would like to
know of you and would not
think I wished to shield
him. As I know how I was
interested in him and be
lieved that God's grace must
rest upon such a villain.
I beg of you Mr. Allen to
fully and satisfactorily and
help out if you can.

Your Respecting
Friend

General Sessions Court.

The People

Plaintiff

against

Walter S. Hyman

Defendant

Applicant

E. M. FRIEND,
Attorneys for Defendant

25 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK CITY.

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Court of General Sessions

The People vs. }
agst. }
Walter D. Symus }

City of New York B;

Deponent
Luckow of No 120 West 40th St in
said city being duly sworn says
That he is personally ac-
quainted with Walter D. Symus
defendant above named and has
been so acquainted for a number
of years. That said Walter D.
Symus is a hard wood finisher
and as such was in the employ
of deponent for about one year,
that he was always industrious
faithful and honest, of good be-
haviour and it was owing to sick-
ness that said Symus was compelled
to leave deponent's employ.

Deponent further says
that he has frequently heard others
speak of and concerning said Symus
and he has always heard
him spoken of as a person of

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good character. That he has
the utmost confidence in him
and cheerfully joins in the
prayer for a suspension of the
judgment of the Court herein.
Sworn to before me
this 3rd day of May 1887
Chas. R. Fisher,
Commissioner of the
V.P.C.

H. Luskow

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Court of General Sessions
The People
agst.
Walter D. Symms

City County of New York ss

Many A.
Parkridge being duly sworn deposes
and says, I carry on the Crock-
ery business at No 856. Sixth Avenue
in said city in said city and am
personally acquainted with and
have for a number of years known
Walter D. Symms, he has been
in and about my place of
business during many years, has
repeatedly performed services for
me and I have had occasion to
find out his true character, and
I cheerfully aver that he has
always proven to be an honest
trustworthy and reliable young
man, he has always been industri-
ous and willing to work, and as long
as I have known him has conduct-
ed himself in a proper manner.

Sworn to before me this } M A Parkridge
3rd day of May 1884 }
Chas. R. Dickert
Commissioner of Deeds N.Y. Co.

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Court of General Sessions.

The People }
agst. }
Walter D. Symms }

City & County of New York ss -

John L.
Lawler of No 665 Fifth Avenue in
said City being sworn says, I carry
on business at above place and
have known Walter D. Symms for
the period of Eight years, during
that time he has always proven
himself to be an honest, trustworthy
and good boy, faithful and
industrious and I cheerfully cer-
tify to the same.

Sworn to before me this
3rd day of June 1861

Chas. R. Fisher
Commissioner of Deeds

W. J. C.

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Court of General Sessions

The People }
vs. }
Walter D. Lyons }

City & County of New York ss.

Englebert — Daniel Smith
of said City being duly sworn de-
poses and says, I carry on business
at No 121 West 46th Street and have
known the defendant Walter D.
Lyons about a year - during
that period I have always found
him to be an honest, trustworthy
and reliable young man and cheer-
fully join in asking a suspension
of judgment herein.

Sworn to before me this } Englebert Smith
3rd day of May 1884 }
Chas. A. Fisher
Commissioner of Deeds, N.Y. Co

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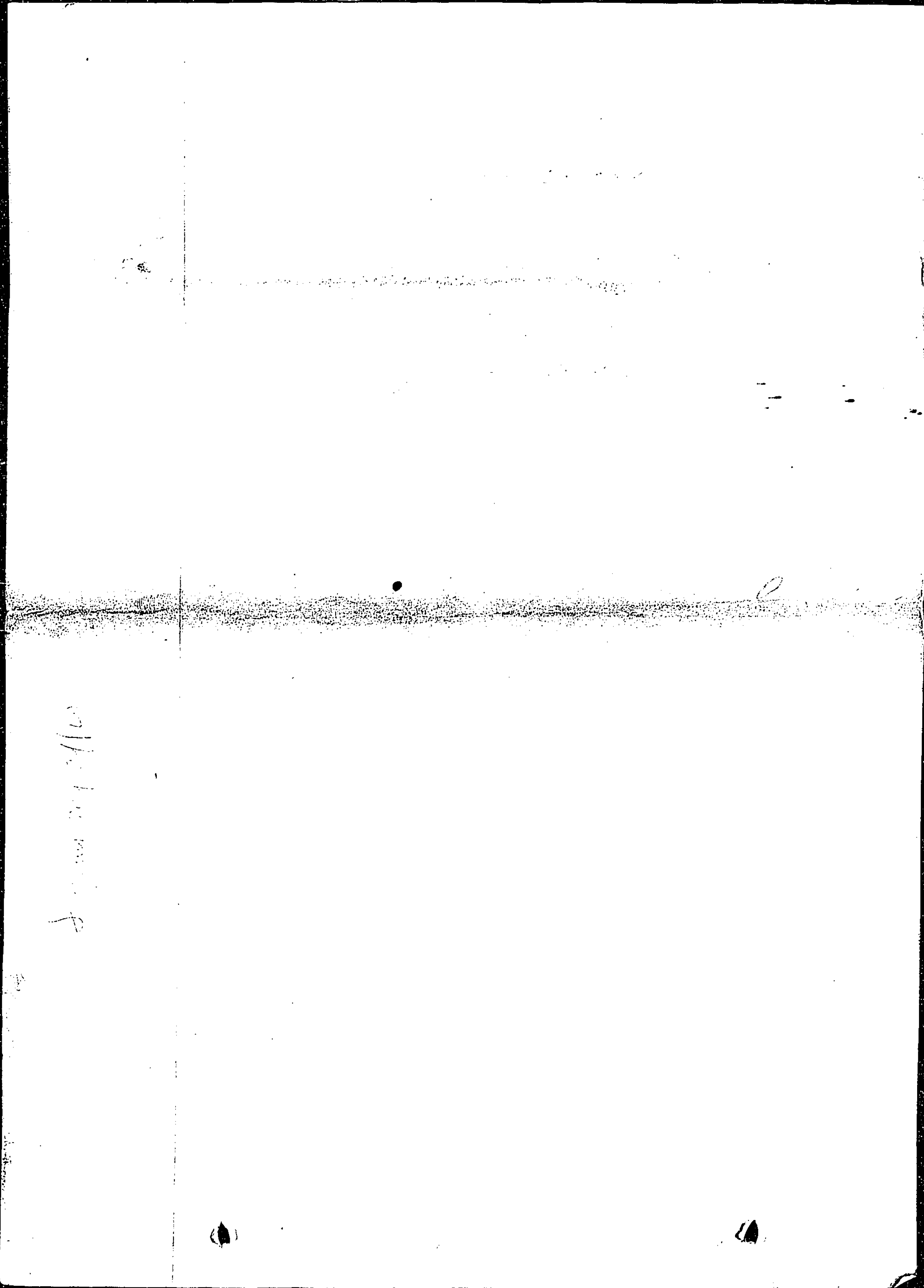
2nd District Police Court,
New York, April 12th 1884

This is to certify that the appended minutes of the testimony in the case of The People ex rel John B. Shotwell against Bennett Wolfenstein before Hon. Andrew J. White, Police Justice is a correct transcript of the stenographic minutes.

James A. Lyon
Official Stenographer
Borough Police Justice.

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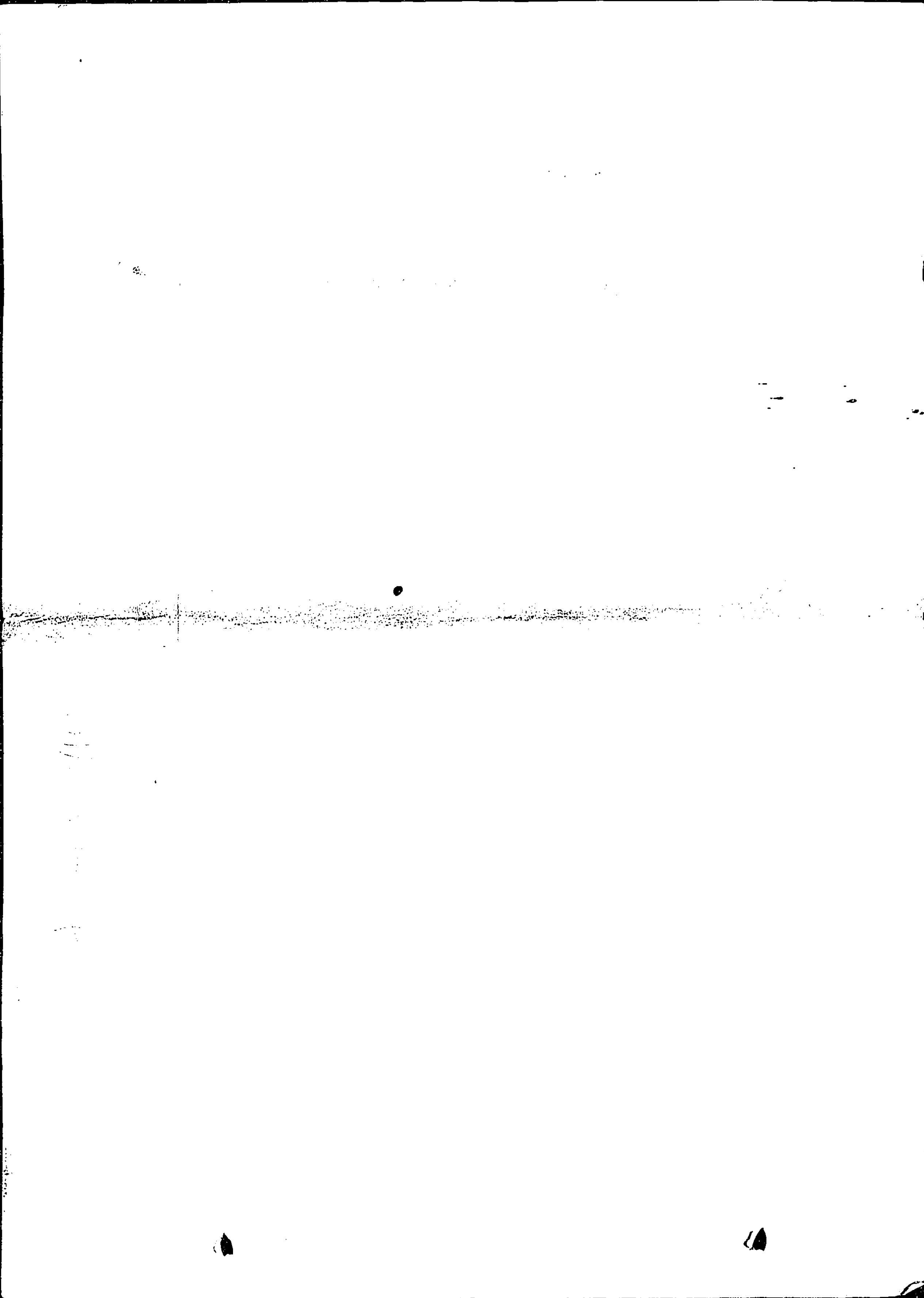
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from my office

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Barnett CaseJohn B. Shotwell being duly sworn
says onDirect Exam — by — The Court

I am the complaining witness in this case and reside at No. 160 West 46th Street. I am a medical student. I have been absent from my residence and when I left it I closed it up — there was no one there except the night watchman. I lost from that house a watch, some silver forks, spoons, a seal skin Jaeger and cap and muff. They would cost about \$400. The muff and Jaeger belong to my wife & the rest of the things belong to me. I don't know of my own knowledge who took them. I last saw them in my house previous to seeing them at Police Headquarters. That was on the 6th of March 1884. I saw them home another next time I saw them was in Police Headquarters.

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last Thursday - I identified
the things there as belonging to
me.

Cross Exam. by - all. Spencer

2 Of your own knowledge you know
nothing of any connection of Barrett
one of the defendants with this
affair?

A. No sir.

By Mr. Boyert

2 Do you know anything about the
defendant Simons / having any-
thing to do with this matter?

A. No sir.

Sworn to before me this }
3rd day of March 1884 }
Andrew J. White

Police Justice


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Edgar S. Stansson of Police Court
Office, a Sergeant being duly sworn
testified as follows: in the case of

the Defendant, Barrett.

I arrested the Defendant Barrett
on the 22nd of March. I saw
him on the Boverly on Saturday
the 22nd of March and followed him
to 23rd Street and 4th Avenue - he
took the 4th Avenue car; he sat
on the rear platform and I took
the next car and followed him to
23rd Street where he got off. He
then took one of the green cars
the 42nd & Grand Street line and
rode to 6th Avenue between 33rd
& 34th Street on the rear of the
Car. He then took a 6th Avenue
Car and rode on the front platform
of the Car to 45th Street and 6th
Avenue, then he met and conversed
with Wolfenstein one of the defend-
ants and went in a store with
him and was out of my sight a
moment and when he came out
he disappeared. I next saw

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Barrett in a baker's wagon be-
 longing to Wall, Corner 45th St &
 6th Avenue, he was sitting in
 the wagon and Wolfenstein was
 standing on the steps in com-
 pany with Geo. Simons. The
 wagon drove through 46th Street
 to Broadway. I didn't follow
 it. I remained on 6th Avenue.
 In a short time Barrett re-
 turned and met Wolfenstein on
 the East side of 6th Avenue near
 47th Street. They went through
 47th St. from 6th Avenue, over
 the Bridge of the 4th Avenue
 Rail Road Company and at
 Lexington Avenue they parted
 Company. Wolfenstein walked
 away and I followed Barrett.
 He went to 47th St. & 3^d Avenue
 and remained on the corner. I
 went to 46th St. & from there to
~~Lexington~~ 3^d Avenue. I remained at
 46th St. & 3^d Avenue. The 3rd
 Avenue car came along and
 Barrett got on the rear platform
 of it & rode on it down to the
 Bowery near Houston St. & got off

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and went into No. 276 Boring.
Wolfenstein rode a little further
& got off & went into No. 276
Boring & dropped a bundle he
was carrying at the back end
of the Counter. M. O'Connor was
sitting in there in a chair and
I walked in and told O'Connor to
arrest Barrett which he did &
I arrested Wolfenstein. I saw
Wolfenstein carry this bundle
into No. 276 Boring - it is a
store where they sell musical
instruments, banjos, boxing gloves.
In the presence of M. King and my-
self at Police Headquarters, Barrett
said the things in the bundle were
given him by a man named
Stymus to try and sell or pledge

James Lamm - by - M. Spencer

He said he didn't have anything
to do with the burglary. I never
seen Barrett in the vicinity of
this house that was robbed and
of my own personal knowledge
I don't know that he had any

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Connection with that burglary - I only know what I have been told. This bundle was not opened in Mr. Barrett's presence. Outside of Mr. Barrett's statement that Styamus gave him the bundle I have no personal knowledge ^{of anything} against him. I don't know anything about the general reputation of Barrett.

Sworn to before me this }
31 Day of March 1884 } Edgar S. Spencer
District Judge

Walter D. Styamus one of the defendants being duly sworn testified as follows on behalf of the prosecution.

Direct Exam - by - "The Court"

Mr. Spencer objected to the witness as self confessed burglar being allowed to testify against the defendant Barrett, who was a respectable boy.

Objection overruled

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I am a finisher. I was arrested
 on the 22^d of March 1884 for con-
 nection with a burglary at 163
 West 46th St. I met George Simons
 one day in a Baker's wagon &
 I took a ride with him - he asked
 me if I could do a job with him.
 Two days after that I met
 Barrett and he told me to meet
 him subsequently in 46th Street.
 I met him and he asked me if I
 would go at this house No. 163
 West 46th St. and I told him
 "yes" & he told me to meet
 him corner 46th St & 8th Avenue
 that afternoon - I don't recollect
 the date. - I met him & he told me
 to meet him that night on 46th
 Street between 5th & 6th Avenue
 near the Church. He went to
 Theatre that afternoon. I met
 him that night & we were to
 do the job that night & some-
 thing turned up and we didn't &
 he asked me to meet him the
 next night or the next morning
 & he said then he would get a
 Crow bar. the next time he met

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me he told me he had his choice
 of five crowbars & had selected
 one & paid half a dollar for it.
 He brought it up - it was wrap-
 ped up in paper & we went that
 night to No. 163 & went in the house.
 We separated in the morning & I
 met him the next night. I met
 him at Broadway and 46th
 St. about 8 o'clock at night. We
 came through 46th St & stood in
 Barnett's door way - then I went
 to No. 155 West 46th St - went through
 the house and onto the roof & he told
 me to leave the stuff we got in
 his cellar. I don't know the num-
 ber of Barnett's house - it is opposite
 the house that was robbed - he
 told me to stay there until morn-
 ing & he would go there the first
 thing in the morning. I next saw
 him in Madison Avenue the
 next morning about 9 1/2 o'clock -
 that was the morning after we
 had stolen this property and it
 had been left in Barnett's cellar.
 We walked across the 45th St. Rail-
 road bridge to 3rd Avenue and took

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the downtown elevated train at 44th St. and 3^d Avenue & got off at Grand St & the Bivery and went into a place near Houston Street. Barrett went in first and asked the man if he had any bracelets for sale. He saw somebody in there that he didn't like the look of & walked out. We walked up the Bivery, two or three blocks and went into another place and asked for settings of a ring - there were three or four in there I thought were detectives. We walked up and through McDougall St & through Washington Park & up through to 12th St & 6th Avenue & up to 13th St he had a bundle and I had a satchel. Sometimes we changed packages - they contained this stolen clothing. I had it in a saloon on 6th Avenue - Barrett & I went in there and played pool - he wanted to take the goods up town but I said "no", to leave them there and the next morning he came there & wanted me to take them up & that

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is the last I saw him I saw him
the day after before I was arrested
at I. After that I didn't see him
dispose of or try to dispose of any
of the goods. I ~~saw~~ saw him
again ~~until~~ ^{before} I saw him Saturday
night but I don't recollect when
it was.

Examination - By - Mr. Spencer

I was in Essex Market Prison be-
fore I came here. I was alone
when I was arrested on 6th
Avenue between 12th and 13th
Streets by Detectives Blawson and
O'Connor - they told me down-stairs
I might as well go along with them
and make no trouble - they asked
me what I was doing down there
in Collin's cellar. I didn't say -
I was hiding from them about
20 or 25 minutes. I seen them
at the bar before that. I work for
Alving - I told them I was hid-
ing from some one up-stairs - that
was false - they said I might as

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well come along & have no
 words about it. Slanson said
 "Charlie we might as well
 take him to the station-house." They
 said I need find out what for
 when I got there. On the way
 there they told me they arrested
 me for connection with the bur-
 glary at 14th West 46 St. - that said
 Barrett told on me - where I was
 & where I could be found and
 then I made up my mind to
 get even with Barrett for it
 & I told them everything I knew
 about it. I told them the same story
 then as I have stated here today
 in reference to Barrett. I told them
 I was in the City about 3 weeks
 from Kansas City & I went to
 work here for Schacky in 53^d
 St & Broadway & had left there.
 I told them I met Geo. Simon
 & took a ride with him one day
 in the baker wagon & he asked
 me to do a job with them & I
 said "yes". He told me what it
 was & he told me to meet him
 at 40th St. that morning & that I

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met Barrett & we arranged it. It was Simons that first spoke to me about it. I surmised what he meant when he asked me if I would do a job with them. I asked Simon what kind of a place it was & he said the parties who lived in the house were away in the country - he told me the street but wouldn't tell me the number of the house - he said he wouldn't tell me that until he saw Barrett - after that he told me to meet him in 46th St. when he got through serving his bread route. I had never been engaged in any other burglaries that made me understand what he meant by "doing a job." It is my business whether I was arrested before or not - I never was arrested for any such case as this. It was the same morning that Simons spoke to me about this burglary that Barrett spoke to me about it - he told me to be around that night. I didn't say that Barrett asked me to commit this burglary

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first - he asked me to do it and I said "yes." He and Simons were the only two that asked me to do it. I told Barrett that I had promised Simons I would do it. I met saw Barrett. I don't recollect the date of the month - I met him at 46th St. between 5th & 6th Avenue - no one else was present. We walked over the 46th St. rail road bridge - that was two or three nights before the burglary was committed. I don't recollect the day of the month, but I think it was on a Wednesday night. On the 19th of March I met him about 7^{1/2} or 8 o'clock in 46th St. I left him about 8 or 8^{1/2} o'clock - we were together about 10 or 15 minutes. It was about 8^{1/2} or a quarter to 9 o'clock at the night when I got into the house. I went up through the flat house at 155 West 46th St. to the roof - I pulled the bell, no one came to the door & I opened it & went in, it was a catch door. I didn't meet anybody in the house. I went up four flights of stairs

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and up a pair of stairs leading to the
 roof on to the roof. I never did any-
 thing of this kind before. When on
 the roof I walked to ch 157 and
 sat down & sat near the chimney
 on the edge. I was there about
 20 or 25 minutes until Simons
 came there & we tied a rope ~~to the~~
~~rope~~ to the chimney & lowered
 ourselves down - the rope was
 about 20 feet long - we lowered our-
 selves to ch 159 & walked to ch 163
 & Simons broke the scuttle open
 with the crowbar & we got in there
 through the scuttle & plundered the
 house - stole this property. We
 came out by the basement door.
 Barrett didn't take any part in the
 burglary to a certain degree - it was
 about 11/10 o'clock when we left this
 house. We had the stuff bundled
 up & took it to Barrett's house - I
 don't know the number of it. Simons
 had the key of Barrett's hall door.
 He unlocked the door and took
 the stuff and went to the cellar
 with it - I didn't meet Barrett then.
 I don't remember whether we cooked

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Barrett's door after that - we didn't steal anything in Barrett's house. I think we didn't lock Barrett's door. I next saw the bundle the next morning - I got it from Barrett's cellar - I had gotten Barrett's key from Simons & opened the door & got the bundle. I never was locked up in Kansas City - nor never was arrested there. I was there eight months & from there I came to New York City. I went from here to Kansas City. I was arrested twice in my life - I don't know when I was arrested the first time, it was in 1897 or 1899 - I was 21 years old in February, I think Capt. Killalea arrested me then - he arrested me twice for teasing Chinamen. I was not charged with robbing them nor was not tried in the General or Special Sessions. The reason I told on Barrett is because he told on me & that is the only reason -

By "The Court"
 2 Were you ever arrested for larceny
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of any kind?
of course.

Re-Direct Exm - by - Mr. Goeller

I don't know what share Barnett was to have in the robbery, we had no understanding as to that & had no conversation about that at any time. I have known Barnett 6 or 7 or 8 years in this City. George Simons was the one who told me that the way to get into this house was by the roof. When we got to the roof of No. 143 the scuttle was closed & George Simons broke it open with a crowbar. Barnett gave me the crowbar before the burglary and told me to meet Simons on the corner of 30th St & 6th Avenue

Sworn to before me this

21st day of March 1884

Andrew J. [Signature]

W. D. Styrmus

Police Justice

Richard King, a detective officer of the Central Office Police, being sworn says as follows:

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Direct Exam - by 'The Court'

I have heard the testimony of the last witness in reference to meeting him & Barrett in the Bowery at apt. 276 - it was the morning of the 20th of March coming out of 276 Bowery - Barrett had a satchel & Styums a bundle I think - I never saw them before that. I am positive that Barrett is the man that was with Styums at that time

Cross Exam - by Mr. Spencer

There was apparently something in this satchel when I saw them. Styums has talked to me about this matter.

Sworn before me this
3rd day of March 1883
Andrew Smith

Richard King

Police Justice

Charles O'Connor, a Police officer, attached to the Central Office being sworn testified as follows: on

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Direct Exam - by - "The Court"

On the morning of the 20th of March between the hours of 9 & 10 o'clock I was standing in the doorway of No. 276 Bowery. Barrett came there and had an umbrella in his hand and a small yellow satchel. He enquired of the man behind the counter if he had any bracelets for sale - he immediately went out and I did not suspect anything wrong. On the 22nd of March I was sitting in the same store making inquiries relative to a watch which had been stolen. Barrett came in there then and asked for a pair of glasses and put them on and looked at a paper and I recognized him from seeing him on the 20th. In about two minutes after that Wolfenstein came in there and threw a bundle at my feet & Wolfenstein walked out and Slanson came in & told ^{me} ~~him~~ to arrest Barrett & he had Wolfenstein in his custody. I asked Barrett if he knew Wolfenstein and he said "No". That is all I know about it except the conversation I heard at

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Police Headquarters - Symms told all
he knew. No more than he told here
to day.

Sworn to before me this

3rd day of March 1884

Charles J. Smith

Charles O'Connor

Police Justice

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In the case of

Wolfenstein

Walter D. Stymus being duly sworn  
testified as follows:

1 Direct Exam - Q - "The fact"

The others Barrett & Stymus told me they spoke to Wolfenstein about this affair. I saw Wolfenstein on the 17<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup> of March, corner 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue & 49<sup>th</sup> Street. I saw him & I, he knew the robbery was to take place but he said he would have nothing to do with it. On Friday I also saw him in 46<sup>th</sup> St. He was talking about the place in 46<sup>th</sup> St. That was after the burglary was committed - he said then the reason he didn't go around to 46<sup>th</sup> St. was because he didn't <sup>want to</sup> have anything to do with it. The next time I saw him was in the Central Office I don't know how the property came into his possession. He

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Said nothing to me at all about  
the burglary & said he would  
have nothing to do with it.  
Sworn before me this  
31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1884

Andrew Smith Police Justice

Richard King, a Police Officer  
attached to the Central Office being  
duly sworn testified as follows:  
I don't know anything about  
Wolfenstein in this matter & the  
next first time I saw him  
was when Officer Slawson  
brought him to Police Headquarters.  
Sworn before me this  
31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1884  
Andrew Smith Police Justice

Edward S. Slawson a Police Officer  
attached to the Central Office testified  
as follows being sworn -

All I know about this matter is  
that I saw this bundle in Wolfenstein's



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procession. I saw Barrett meet him & 45<sup>th</sup> St & 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue. They parted and met again & went through 47<sup>th</sup> St & I met saw him get off the car near Prince St & Baveny ~~they~~ went into the premises 276 Baveny & when he came up he didn't have the bundle. I asked him where the bundle was & he said he didn't know. He didn't tell me where he got the bundle or what was in it - I didn't ask him.

Sworn to by me & the  
31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1884  
Andrew J. Smith

Police Justice

Charles O'Connor, a Police Officer attached to the Central Office being sworn testified as follows:

I had a conversation with Wolfenstein he said he got this bundle from a man up-town & he was hired to carry it down-town - he didn't say that

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who tried him to do it.  
Sworn to before me this  
3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1884  
Andrew Probst

Police Justice.

Bennett Wolfenstein of No. 117 East  
55<sup>th</sup> St. being duly sworn testified  
as follows

Direct Exam by Mr. Kaufman

I am one of the defendants in this  
Case & was a Conductor on the  
6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Rail Road. I did not  
commit this burglary nor did I  
know it was to be committed.  
This bundle was given me by  
Simons & Barnett was there at  
the time. I was collecting for  
Mr. Dean at 111 East 54<sup>th</sup> St &  
on Saturday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of March  
I had been to the Hotel Royal  
to collect a bill from Mrs  
Alman. On the corner 46<sup>th</sup> St  
I met Barnett & we walked  
a few blocks and we met

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Simons who asked me if I  
would carry a bundle to a  
Jewelry store at 276 Broadway  
for him. I said "yes". I did &  
left it there; he said it would  
be worth a few dollars to me.  
I never had a conversation  
with Hyman in reference to  
a burglary & no statement  
was made to me by anybody  
that a burglary was to be  
committed. I know Hyman

Sworn to before me this  
3rd day of March 1884  
C. W. Johnson

Police Justice



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The Case of --- Simons

Edgar S. Slawson, a Detective Sergeant  
of the Central Office, being duly sworn  
testified as follows:

Direct Exam - by --- W. Rogers

I only know of the connection of  
Simons in this affair from what  
I heard the defendant Styms say -  
I know nothing of my personal knowledge  
of the matter.

Sworn before me this

31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1884

Simons

Edgar S. Slawson

Police Justice

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Natta D. Styms being sworn
testified as follows:

Direct Exam by The Court

I met Simons, I don't remember
the date and I don't remember
where. I ~~was~~ rode with him in
a baker's wagon & he asked me

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if I would do a job with him
 and I told him "yes". He told
 me what it was & he asked
 me ~~when~~ to meet him at 4th
 Street that ~~night~~^{morning} and I did. We
 met him and talked the matter
 over him and I asked him
 when we were going ~~to~~ to
 do it & he said he would find
 out that night and the third night
 after that we did the job.
 Before we did it Simon said
 he would get a rope & he brought
 it there & handed it to me & I kept
 it and the crowbar & took them
 on the roof & he tied the rope to
 the chimney & he lowered him-
 self to the other roof first and
 I went next to 159. We walked
 across the roof & he took the
 crowbar when we got to 150
 he opened the scuttle & went
 down and I handed him the
 lantern & he took off his shoes
 & we went through the house.
 I got the stuff that is here &
 some other things & we then
 got out of the basement door

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with ~~them~~ ^{the stuff} and walked out & put them in Barrett's cellar. Then I walked to Broadway between 46th & 47th Street & then through 48th Street to 8th Avenue & up the 8th Avenue to 49th Street on 50th St, I ain't sure which & I left him Corner 50th St & 9th Avenue. I went down town & met him the next morning Corner 46th St & 8th Avenue - then he gave me the keys of Barrett's house. & I got the stuff from there & he drove up & put the goods in his wagon & he kept them there until he served his route & he told me to meet Barrett at the Corner of 46th St & Madison Avenue. I waited on the Corner of Madison Avenue & 45th St. with the goods for 10 or 15 minutes & Barrett came along & we went to 3rd Avenue & 47th St & took a down down train to 47th St & went to Grand St & walked up the Bowery. Simons told me before the burglary to go to

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with ~~them~~^{the stuff} and walked out & put them in Barrett's cellar. Then I walked to Broadway between 46th & 47th Street & then through 48th Street to 8th Avenue & up the 8th Avenue to 49th Street or 50th St, I ain't sure which & I left him Corner 50th St & 9th Avenue. I went down town & met him the next morning Corner 46th St & 8th Avenue - then he gave me the keys of Barrett's house. & I got the stuff from there & he drove up & put the goods in his wagon & he kept them there until he served his route & he told me to meet Barrett at the Corner of 46th St & Madison Avenue. I waited on the Corner of Madison Avenue & 45th St. with the goods for 10 or 15 minutes & Barrett came along & we went to 3rd Avenue & 47th St & took a down down train to 47th St & went to Grand St & walked up the Bowery. Simon told me before the burglary to go to

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ring Hubbard's bell and if anybody met me to say I had a parcel for Goelch & he told me if I didn't meet anybody to go straight to the roof which I did & he followed me up.

Cross Exam - by - Mr. Bogert

I was with Simons two nights before the burglary was committed & went to the premises two nights before the burglary was committed - that was about 7 1/2 or 8 o'clock at night about 15 minutes - I met him at 46 St & Broadway by engagement & went with him to Ch. 155. I met him the next night about 7 1/2 or 8 o'clock & went to Barnett's hallway with him - we were together five or ten minutes. Each night of the burglary I first met him in 46 St & Broadway at 8 o'clock at night. I met Barnett before I met

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Simons. I left Simons in
46 St. at 6 o'clock & went to
No. 155 alone & I met
him on the roof about 15 minutes
after that. After the burglary was
committed I left him at 11 or
11 1/2 o'clock that night. I was
with him from about 8 1/4 to 11 1/2
o'clock that night.

Re. Direct - by - Wm. Goeller

After getting in the house
Simons held the lantern & he
& I picked the goods out. I gave
him the lantern - there was
no arrangement made between
us as to the division of the
proceeds of this robbery.
Sworn before me this
31st day of March 1884 } W.D. Stymus

Arthur J. Smith Police Justice

Richard King being duly sworn
Says, I am a Police Officer
attached to the Central Office
Simons told me he gave those

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goods to Wolfenstein.
Sworn before me this } Richard King
3rd day of March 1884 }

Aureus J. Walsh Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Sullivan, Maggie

DATE:

04/30/84



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Witnesses:

John Harris or Harris
9 Duane St.

Counsel,

Filed 30 day of April 1884

Pleads Not Guilty (May 1)

15-10-11
THE PEOPLE
vs.
MAGGIE
SULLIVAN
Grand Larceny 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

Ind remitted

A True Bill.

Pen 5 year.

John M. O'Leary Foreman.

May 15th 9 PM

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

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John James
9 Duane St.
Maggie Sullivan
1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Offence *Grand Larceny*

Dated *April 23* 188*4*

William H. Sullivan Magistrate,
Officer

Witnesses *William H. Sullivan*
John James
Street _____

No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
\$ *000* to answer *General Sessions*
Office
APR 24 1884
TO ANSWER

Chas

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 *Maggie Sullivan*

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 *April 23* 188*4* *W. H. Sullivan* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

First District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ^{ss}

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

Question What is your name?

Answer Maggie Sullivan

Question. How old are you?

Answer 28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 105 Henry Street, about two months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Domestic

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

Answer. I am guilty of the charge

Maggie Sullivan

Taken before me this 23
day of August 1888
[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 9 Duane Street, aged 38 years,
 occupation Engineer being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the 23 day of April 1888 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 nighttime, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money of the United
States consisting of three ten dollar
bills, two one dollar bills, and silver
coins of different denominations and value
amounting to one dollar and a half
in all amounting to and of the value
of thirty three dollars and a half (\$33.50)

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 Maggie Sullivan (now here)
 from the fact that on the above date
 at the hour of about 1 o'clock a.m.

Deponent engaged a room for himself
 and said Maggie in Chatham Street. That
 after Deponent and the said Maggie entered
 said room Deponent bolted the door of
 said room. That Deponent had then in
 his pants pocket the aforesaid amount of
 money. That ~~Deponent~~ Deponent said pants on a seat
 in said room, and having remained about
 an hour in bed in said room with said Maggie
 Deponent got up from bed and missed the
 aforesaid property. That Deponent then suspected
 the said Maggie of stealing said money

Subscribed before me, this
 1888 day

Police Justice.

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And caused said Maggie's arrest by officer
William R. Linn of the 6th Precinct Police
who found the aforesaid property on her
possession - whereupon defendant charges
said Maggie with larceny stealing and
carrying away said money from his
possession

Summon to before me
this 23 April 1894

John Harris
Police Justice

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
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 1888 Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.

Police District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

Offence—LARCENY.

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ to answer

Sessions.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1418

DESCRIPTION:

Sullivan, Timothy

DATE:

04/10/84



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Witness:
Lawrence Blanton
Officer 21st Precinct

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Counsel,

Filed 10 day of April 1884

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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(Section 410.)

CONCEALED WEAPON.

Timothy Sullivan

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

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John Noles Foreman.

(*Off Term Jurors*)
WMS

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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

Timothy Sullivan

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

Timothy Sullivan

of the CRIME OF CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

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

SECOND COUNT.

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

Timothy Sullivan

of the CRIME OF POSSESSING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said *Timothy Sullivan* late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did wilfully and furtively possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as a *revolver*, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN MCKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 508.

4 District Police Court.

UNDERTAKING TO ANSWER General Sessions.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An order having been made on the 7 day of April 1884 by

Henry Murray a Police Justice of the City of New York. That
Timothy Sullivan be held to answer upon a charge of
Carrying Concealed Weapons

upon which he has been duly admitted to bail in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars.

We Timothy Sullivan Defendant of No. 450

West 19th Street; Occupation Car Driver, and
Charles Murphy of No. 528 West Street;

Occupation Store Keeper Surety, hereby undertake that the above named

Timothy Sullivan

shall appear and answer the charge above-mentioned, in whatever Court it may be prosecuted; and shall at all times
render himself amenable to the orders and process of the Court; and if convicted, shall appear for judgment, and
render himself in execution thereof, or if he fail to perform either of these conditions that we will pay to the People
of the State of New York, the sum of Three Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

day of April 1884

Henry Murray POLICE JUSTICE.

Timothy Sullivan

Charles Murphy

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Sworn to before me this
day of April 1881
by Charles Murphy

Charles Murphy
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and house
holder within the said County and State, and is worth \$2500 Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of stock and fixtures
in the liquor store No 528.
West Street. worth twelve hun-
dred dollars. Charles Murphy

New York Criminal Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to answer.

Timothy Sullivan

Taken the 7 day of April 1881

H. Murray Justice.

Filed day of 1881

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

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Lawrence Clinton
of No. *The 21 Precinct* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *6* day of *April* 188*4*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *Alphonse arrested*

Timothy Sullivan (nowhere in
East 33rd Street) at the time
of such arrest he found in the
possession of the said defendant
and concealed upon his person
in his right hand a hip pocket of
his pants a slung shot there shown
in violation of the Penal Code
Section 410

Lawrence Clinton

Sworn to before me, this
of *April* 188*4*
by
John J. Lawrence Police Justice.

[illegible]

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

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 29/1 1882 Henry Murray Police Justice.

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

Dated 20th 1882 Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Timothy Sullivan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

450 W. 19th One year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Car Driver

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

Answer.

*I had the slung shot given to
me about one year ago. and
kept it home in the pocket of the
my clothing. I mean on Sunday.
I forgot to take it from my pocket
yesterday. and did not know I had
it with me until arrested*

Timothy Sullivan

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.