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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Cahn, Moses

**DATE:**

09/24/80



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Day of Trial.  
Counsel,  
Filed *24* day of *Sept.* 18*88*.  
Pleads *1*

*Wm. B. Cahn*  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*B*  
Adulterated Milk.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
*William B. Cahn*  
*Sept 25/88* Foreman.  
*Glenn G. Gully,*  
*Nov 11/88* F.S.

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City and County of New York, ss. :

John B. Isham M.D.

Assistant Sanitary Inspector of said city, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
day of July in the year 1880, at premises number  
43 Essex St in the City of New York, the said premises being a place then and  
there where Milk was kept for sale, one Moses Cahn unlawfully did then

and there keep, have and offer for sale three quarts of impure and unwholesome Milk, which had been  
and was then and there watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by the addition of water or other  
substance, or by the removal of cream therefrom, and that such impure, unwholesome, watered, adul-  
terated or reduced and changed Milk, was then and there, by the said Moses Cahn

, unlawfully held, kept and offered for sale against and in  
violation of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, and of such Sanitary Code then and there, and at all  
times thereafter in force and operation, and especially against and in violation of the provisions of a  
section and ordinance of such Sanitary Code which was duly passed and adopted by the Board of  
Health of the Health Department of the City of New York, and by said Health Department at a  
meeting thereof, duly held in said city, on the twenty-third day of February, 1876, in the manner and  
language following, to wit :

" Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following  
" additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be, and the same is hereby,  
" adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code.

" " No Milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced or changed in any respect by the  
" " addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream, shall be brought into, held,  
" " kept or offered for sale at any place in the City of New York, nor shall any one keep, have or offer  
" " for sale in the said city any such Milk."

That said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two successive weeks, in the  
*City Record*, a daily official newspaper and journal published in said city, to wit, in the issues of such  
newspaper of the 24th day of February, 1876, and also of the 2d day of March, 1876, and that said  
ordinance was, at all times alleged herein, in full force and operation in said city and county.

Sworn to before me the 7 day }  
of July 1880 }

Marcus Claibourne

Police Justice.

John B. Isham  
Asst San Insp



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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present :*

That

*Moses Cahn*  
late of the *tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the *sixth* day of *July* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *seventy-eight* at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, unlawfully and knowingly did expose for sale at the  
*premises* known as number *forty three* ~~Essex~~ Street,  
then and there situate, ten quarts of impure, adulterated and unwholesome milk, 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present :*

THAT the said

*Moses Cahn*  
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, at the store and place of business  
of the said *Moses Cahn*  
known as number *forty three* Street,  
in said Ward, City and County, and the said premises being then and there a place  
where milk was kept for sale, unlawfully did then and there keep, have, and offer for  
sale ten quarts of impure and unwholesome milk, which had been, and was then and there  
watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by the addition of water or other substance,  
and that such impure, unwholesome, watered, adulterated, reduced and changed milk  
was then and there by the said *Moses Cahn*  
unlawfully held, kept and offered for sale  
against and in violation of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, and of such Sanitary  
Code then and there, and at all times thereafter in force and operation, and 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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THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present:

THAT the said *Moses Cahn*  
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, did bring into the said  
Ward, City and County, and then and there have and offer for sale, at the store and  
place of business of him, the said *Moses Cahn*  
known as number *forty three Essex* Street, the said  
premises being then and there a place where milk was kept for sale, unlawfully did  
then and there keep, have, and offer for sale, ten quarts of impure and unwholesome  
milk, which had been and was then and there, watered, adulterated, reduced and  
changed by the addition of water or other substance, and that such impure, unwhole-  
some, watered, adulterated or reduced and changed milk was then and there, by the  
said *Moses Cahn* unlawfully  
held, kept and offered for sale against and in violation of the provisions the Sanitary  
Code, and of such Sanitary Code then and there, and at all times thereafter in force  
and operation, and especially against and in violation of the provisions of a section  
and ordinance of such Sanitary Code, which was duly passed and adopted by the Board  
of Health of the Health Department of the said City of New York, and by said  
Health Department at a meeting thereof, duly held in said City, on the twenty-third  
day of February, 1876, in the manner and language following, to wit:

"Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department,  
"the following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and  
"health be, and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the  
"Sanitary Code.

"No milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced, or changed in any  
"respect by the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream,  
"shall be brought into, held, kept or offered for sale at any place in the City of New  
"York, nor shall any one keep, have, or offer for sale in the said city any such milk."

Which said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two  
successive weeks, in the *City Record*, a daily official newspaper and journal published  
in said city, to wit: in the issues of such newspaper of the 24th day of February, 1876,  
and also of the 2d day of March, 1876, and which said ordinance was then and there,  
and at all times thereafter, in full force and operation against the forms of the Statute  
in such case made and provided.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Cain, James

**DATE:**

09/29/80



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Counsel  
Filed 29 day of Sept 1880  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

James Earl

Jemiah Gunning

Larceny and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Thompson

Foreman.

Part no Sept 29, 1880

Pleads Answer

CP 3 1/2 year

0181

**District Police Court**

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

of No. 163 West 29<sup>th</sup> Street,  
being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1898  
at the 21<sup>st</sup> Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, and person of deponent

the following property viz.:

One silver cased watch of the value  
of twenty dollars (\$20)

the property of

deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen and carried away by James Cain alias Jeremiah  
Cummings (now here) for the following  
reasons to wit; That said watch  
was in the left side pocket of a  
vest then and there worn on the person  
of deponent. That said Cain came  
to deponent at the corner of 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
and 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue where deponent was  
sitting on a step of a stoop and  
snatched said watch from said

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vest pocket and ran away.  
 Deponent ran after him when  
 he threw said watch in the street.  
 Officer William Harris of the 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
 stopped said Cain while he (Cain) was  
 running away and arrested him.

Sworn to before me this Robert Connell.  
 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1880  
 McHenry  
 Police Justice

at  
 4<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT POLICE COURT.  
 THE PEOPLE &c.,  
 OF THE COMPLAIN OF  
 Robert Connell  
 vs.  
 John Cain  
 alias  
 Jeremiah Cummings  
 DATED September 20<sup>th</sup> 1880  
 AFFIDAVIT Larceny.

MAGISTRATE  
 McHenry  
 Harris Officer  
 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
 WITNESSES:  
 William Harris  
 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct

0183

**Police Court, Fourth District.**

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*James Cain* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*James Cain*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*520 East 32<sup>d</sup> St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I was on a drunk last night with the complainant. I am not guilty of the charge*

*James Cain*

*Merrett M. Mearns*  
Police Justice.

Taken before me this 20 day of October 1883

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Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE &c.

VS. THE COMPLAINT OF

*Robert Cornell*  
163 W 29 St  
New York

*John E. Carr*  
163 W 29 St  
New York

*Thomas J. Cunningham*  
163 W 29 St  
New York

Offence,

Dated *Sept 20th* 1880

*Arthur* Magistrate.

*Norris* Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

*William Harris*  
180 W 29 St

*\$500 T. A.*  
*General Services*

Received in District Atty's Office, *Am*

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

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Burglary March 24<sup>th</sup> 1878

Jerry Cunningham alias  
John Short 241 East 21<sup>st</sup> St  
Broke into a Stable 15<sup>th</sup> E 24<sup>th</sup> St  
& stole a horse from E.D. Coma  
was arrested by

Roundsman Dalback 28<sup>th</sup> St  
& paid ransom of 2000 bail  
all March 28<sup>th</sup> 1878

In Court of Sessions he  
was sentenced on a plea  
of guilty by recorder  
Hackett to 2 1/2 years  
in S.P. his picture is  
in the Rogues Gallery  
& his name is on the  
felony book twice in  
the 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct Station  
house

Officer Harris  
18<sup>th</sup> Precinct

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That

James Leary, <sup>otherwise called</sup> Jeremiah Cummings

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

One watch of the value of twenty dollars

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

~~of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one~~

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

then and

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present  
That the said

*James Bain* *Jeremiah Cummings*  
*of the name called*

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

*One watch of the value of twenty dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Robert Cornell*

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

*Robert Cornell*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said  
*James Bain* *Jeremiah Cummings*  
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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Carter, Thomas

**DATE:**

09/10/80



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64 Tuesday 14

J. D. Mott

Counsel,  
L. Spencer

Filed 10 day of Sept 1880

Pleas Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Larceny and Receiving Stolen Goods.

P.

Thomas Barker

and others

vs. The People

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. L. Lusk

Foreman.

Part in Sept. 14. 1880

Pleas Not Guilty

Sentence Suspended

0190

Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No. 227 Delaunoy Patrick Ruddy  
and says, that on the 4 day of September 1880  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent, and from deponent's person

the following property, viz: one double case silver watch

of the value of twenty 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 Thomas Carter (now here)  
for the reason that deponent was on Park Row  
in said city and standing at a drinking  
fountain deponent felt some person take the  
aforesaid watch from the ~~coat~~ pocket of the  
coat then and there worn by deponent  
deponent immediately turn around and  
saw said Carter running deponent pursued  
him and found the aforesaid watch in  
his said ~~coat~~ Carter's possession

Patrick Ruddy

Sworn to, before me, this

9th day of September

1880

day

of James J. Justice

0191

Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Thomas Carter* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Thomas Carter*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*14 Franklin St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Paper box maker*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
~~*William Carter*~~  
*Thomas Carter*

Taken before me this

*5*

day of

*September* 1880

Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Ruddy  
227 Delaney st.  
vs.  
Thomas Carter

A Affidavit—Larceny.

BAILED:

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

Dated

5 September 1880

Magistrate

James J. Officer

Clerk

Witnesses:

\$5.00 to answer

at Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK; } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That

Thomas Carter

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

One watch of the value of twenty-five dollars  
of the goods, chattels and personal  
property of one Patrick Ruddy on the  
person of the said Patrick Ruddy then  
and there being found, from the person  
of the said Patrick Ruddy

~~of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one~~

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

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*  
That the said

*Thomas Barker*

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

*One watch of the value of twenty five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Patrick Ruddy*

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

*Patrick Ruddy*

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

*Thomas Barker*

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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Castellan, Alfred

**DATE:**

09/07/80



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Counsel,  
Filed 7 day of Sept. 1880.  
Pleads

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

I.

Alfred Castellani

3rd day of Sept. 1880

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chapman

Foreman.

Sept. 7. 1880

S. P. 3m years

0197

STATE OF NEW YORK, FORM 89½  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS. POLICE COURT SECOND DISTRICT.

Henry Dulat  
of No. 25 South 5th Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 18 day of August 1880  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried  
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit:

One Mantle Clock

of the value of Forty 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

Alfred Castellan  
(now here) for the reason that  
deponent missed the said prop-  
erty and that the said defendant  
acknowledged in deponent's pres-  
ence that he had taken said  
property and given the same  
to deponent's wife. deponent's wife  
identifies said clock as the prop-  
erty of deponent.

H. Dulat  
Henry

Sworn to before me, this

day

of

August 1880

at

City of New York

John J. McQuinn, Justice

0198

Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)  
OF NEW YORK. ss.

*Alfred Robert Castellan*

being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed, that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

*Alfred Robert Castellan*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

*Twenty Three years*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

*New York City*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

*40 South 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

*Marble Blocks*

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

Answer.—

*I am guilty of the Charge*

*Alfred Castellan*

Taken before me, this

*20*

day of

*Aug.*

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Police Justice

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Henry D. Laith*  
*25 South 2nd Ave*  
*Alfred Castellan*

DATED *August 20 1880*

MUNY MAGISTRATE.

OFFICER



WITNESSES:

*James D. Laith*  
*15 Paul & Co. Home*

TO ANSWER

BAILED BY

No.

STREET

*Leon*

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**POOR QUALITY  
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DOCUMENT(S)**

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**C. Schlang & Bro.**

360 Bower St., New York.

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Not accountable in case of fire, damage, moth or robbery. 25 per cent. per annum. Good for one year only.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:*

That

*Alfred Castellan*

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

*One clock of the value of forty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Henry Dulak*

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present  
That the said.

*Alfred Cassellan*

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

*One clock of the value of forty dollars.*

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

*Henry Dulat*

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

*Henry Dulat*

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

*Alfred Cassellan*

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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**FOLDER:**

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Clancey, Joseph

**DATE:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Cummings, William

**DATE:**

09/13/80



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Counsel,  
Filed *13* day of *Sept.* 188*6*.  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

INDICTMENT.  
Larceny from the person.

*P.*  
*Joseph Lacey*  
*P.*  
*William Cummings*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Charles Lacey*  
Foreman.  
*Sept 13 1886*  
*John J. Gentry*  
S. P. One year each.

0207

FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

*Robert Hodge*

of No. *212 Madison* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says that on the *6th* *7th* day of *September* 188*8*  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent, *from and the*

the following property viz: *One bill of the denomination value of one*  
*dollar one bill of the denomination and value of two dollars*  
*paper currency of the United States Government. all*

of the value of *three* 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 *from the person Joseph Clancy and*  
*William Cummings (now here)* for the reason that  
deponent is informed by *officer* *Blond* that he saw the  
*accused* *Joseph Clancy* place his hand in the left  
pocket of the pants of deponent and that the said  
*William Cummings* had his hand in the act of placing  
his hand upon the breast of deponent. All this  
while deponent was sleeping upon the doorstep  
in front of premises *Nº 212 Madison Street*

*Robert Hodge*

State of New York City and County, ss.  
of New York *3* Officer *George Blond*  
after 7<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes and

*Sworn to**Sworn to, before me this**day of September**1888*

POLICE JUSTICE.

says that on or about two o'clock a.m. on the morning of the 7th of January A.M. he saw & he accused Joseph Clancy in the act of placing his hand in the left pocket of the trousers of Robert Hodge who was sitting sleeping upon the doorstep of premises 212 Madison street and that William Cummings did then place his hand upon the breast of the said Robert Hodge. That deponent found upon the person of Joseph Clancy one bill of the denomination of two dollars concealed within the undergarments of the said Joseph.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January 1886

George W. Blount

J. M. H. Attorney

John Justice

0209

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*William Cummings* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*William Cummings*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*Twenty nine*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*Nutley*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*444 Cherry St*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Laborer*

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

Answer.—*I am not guilty*

*Wm. Cummings*

Taken before me, the  
*James J. Sullivan*  
day of *August* 1880  
Police Justice

0210

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK }

*Joseph Clancy* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Joseph Clancy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Twenty four*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*10.5 Delancy St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Labourer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Joseph Clancy*

Taken before me, this *7th* day of *September* 18*80*  
*James J. Sullivan*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

0211

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK }

*Joseph Clancy* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,  
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Joseph Clancy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Twenty four*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*105 Delaney St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Labourer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Joseph Clancy*

Taken before me, this

7th day of

September

1880

Police Justice

0212

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Robert George*  
212 Madison St.

AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.

*Indictment*  
*William SEC*  
1880  
DIST. ATTORNEY

Dated

*Sept 7* 1880

Magistrate.

Officer.

*Putnam*

*Clark*

*7th*

Witnesses

*Edw. W. Phelps*  
*The West Police*

\$ *500* to answer

*to each*

at *Yamat* Sessions

*Comd*

Received at Dist. Att'y's Office,

*Ed. S. P. M.*

0213

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That *Joseph Blancey and William Cummings each*  
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

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

*One* Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *a* United States Treasury Note of the  
denomination of *one* dollar and of the value of *one* dollar

*one* Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *a* Bank Note of the denomination of  
*one* dollar and of the value of *one* dollar

*One* Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *a* United States Treasury Note of the  
denomination of *Two* dollars and of the value of *Two* dollars

*One* Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Note of the denomination of  
*Two* dollars and of the value of *Two* dollars

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Clark, Frank

**DATE:**

09/08/80



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29 / 13  
Counsel, *Raymond Stein*  
Filed 8 day of Sept 1880  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

INDICTMENT.  
Petit Larceny of Money from the Person.

THE PEOPLE

16. & 14 '88.  
432  
J. H. Hopper

*P.*  
*Frank Clark.*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

*part in Sept 13. 1880*

*pleads guilty*  
*Sentence suspended*  
**A True Bill.**

*Thomas Clark*  
Foreman.

02 16

*4th*  
District Police Court  
CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK  
of No. *424 East 16th* Street,  
being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the *4th* day of *August* 18*88*  
at the Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, *and from the person of deponent.*  
the following property viz.:

*One Leather pocketbook  
containing good and lawful  
money of the United States  
consisting of Silver Coins  
of the value of nine dollars.  
And two one dollar bills  
viz all of the value of  
Eleven dollars \$11.00.*

the property of

*deponent (unmarried)*

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 *Frank Clark (now here)*  
from the fact that deponent was  
walking down 1st Avenue  
and held in her left hand  
the pocketbook aforesaid and  
said Frank Clark came  
up to deponent and snatched  
said property from deponent's  
hand and ran away with  
the same. *Ellen Deery*  
*Mark*

Sworn before me this

*4th*  
*August* 18*88*  
*John W. [illegible]*  
POLICE JUSTICE

0217

Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

*Frank Clark* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Frank Clark*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York.*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*432 East 44th St.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Boiler-fitting.*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty.*  
*Frank*

Taken before me this

day of August 187

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Police Justice.

0218

Police Court--Fourth District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
OF THE COUNTY OF

*Allen Derry*

*vs*  
*413 vs E. D. Derry*  
*Frank Clark*

BAILED :

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

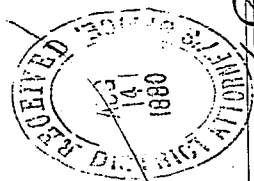
Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence



Dated *August 8th* 1880.

*Morgan* Magistrate.

*E. D. Derry* Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

*Officer Doolay*  
*1st Precinct*

*1570 Derry*

*Com*

Received in District Att'y's Office,

0219

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That *Frank Clark*

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

*Two* Promissory Note *2* for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *United States Treasury Note* of the  
denomination of *One* dollar and of the value of *One* dollar *each*

*Two* Promissory Note *2* for the payment of money, the same being then and there  
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *Bank Note* of the denomination of  
*One* dollars and of the value of *One* dollar *each*

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

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

*One* pocket-book of the value of *One* dollar.

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0220

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

241

**DESCRIPTION:**

Clark, Thomas

**DATE:**

09/07/80



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0222

Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No. 20 Varick Emma Jost  
 and says, that on the 21 day of August 1880  
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously ~~taken~~ <sup>attempted to be</sup> taken, stolen, and carried  
 away from the possession of deponent, and from a store at  
said premises  
 the following property, viz: Good and lawful money  
of the United States consisting Bills  
silver and copper coins in all

of the value of about twenty eight Dollars,  
 the property of deponent's Mother Christessah  
Gross

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property  
 was feloniously ~~taken~~ <sup>attempted to be</sup> taken, stolen, and carried away by Thomas Clark

(now here) for the reason that deponent  
 caught him behind the counter and  
 in the act of pulling the money drawer  
 which contained the aforesaid property,  
 and attached to said counter, ~~and~~  
 and attempting to take, steal and carry  
 away the aforesaid property.

Emma Jost.

Sworn to before me, this

of August 1880

Police Justice.

0223

Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*Thomas Clark* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,  
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Thomas Clark*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *N. S.*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. ~~20~~ *71 Greenwich St -*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *I am guilty !*  
*Thomas + Clark*  
*Mark*

Then before me, this

day of

Police Justice.

0224

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

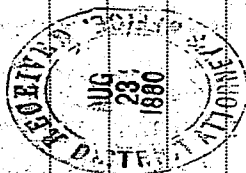
Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Emma Joet*  
*20 Varick St.*

*Thomas Clark*



Dated, *21 August 1880*

*Smith* Magistrate.

*Habington* Officer.

*Price* Clerk.

Witnesses

*Christina Joet*  
*20 Varick St.*

§ *570* to answer

at *Carroll* Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

0225

Form 11.

Police Court—First District, Halls of Justice.

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

of No.

20 Varick

Emma Jost

Street,

on

the

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being duly sworn, deposes and says that

day of

August

in the year 1890

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

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Thomas Clark (nowhere)

who did seize deponent by the throat with  
his hands and threw deponent down and  
choked deponent

without any justification on the part of the said assailant

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

Sworn to before me, this

21

day of

aug

1890

Emma Jost

POLICE JUSTICE.

0226

Form 11.

Police Court, Halls of Justice.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Emma Joet

20 Varick St

Thomas Clark

AFFIDAVIT, A. & B.

Dated

21 August 80

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JUL 23 1880  
CLERK

Justice.  
Kavanaugh  
Officer.

Witness,

Christina Joet

20 Varick St

\$ 5.00 to Ans. General Sess.

Bailed by

No.

Cover

0227

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present:*

That

*Thomas Clark*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid  
on the *twenty-first* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Emma Jost*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms unlawfully  
did make an assault and *her* the said *Emma Jost*  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound, and ill-treat, to the great damage of the  
said *Emma Jost* and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

0228

51  
Filed  
day of Sept 1880  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

Thomas Clark

Assault and Battery.

B. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. A. Smith

Foreman.

Indicted Sept. 7-1880  
on another indictment

0229

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present :*

That

*Thomas Clark*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, aforesaid on the *twenty-first* day of *August* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force  
and arms, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one  
thousand dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value  
of five hundred dollars each : twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars,  
and of the value of one hundred dollars each : thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars,  
and of the value of fifty dollars each : fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the  
value of twenty dollars each : sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value  
of ten dollars each : eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and  
of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars  
each : ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each :  
one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each :  
one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar  
each : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due  
and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind  
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars : two promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied of the value  
of twenty dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes,) be-  
ing then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each : ten promissory notes for the payment of money  
(and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each : ten  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatis-  
fied, of the value of three dollars each : fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as  
bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each : thirty promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value  
of one dollar each : bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the  
jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as  
double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each : three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the  
value of ten dollars each : six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each :  
fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each : ten gold  
coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each : thirty gold coins (of the  
kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each : gold coin of the denomination to the jurors  
unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver  
coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each : sixty silver coins (of the kind usually  
known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each : one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as  
quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each : three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes),  
of the value of ten cents each : six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five  
cents each : one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each : silver  
coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value  
of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each : five hundred coins  
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of Amer-  
ica, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomi-  
nation of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each : two hundred due bills of the United States  
of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the  
denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each : five hundred due bills  
of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as frac-  
tional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Christiana Gross*

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0230

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

241

**DESCRIPTION:**

Clifford, Patrick

**DATE:**

09/16/80



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0231

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

241

**DESCRIPTION:**

Weston, John

**DATE:**

09/16/80



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130  
Filed 6 day of Sept. 1880.  
Bm

Pleas: Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Patrick Clifford

John Weston.

Indictment for Receiving  
Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Case No. Sept 17, 1880

Not Guilty P.R.

Pls on oath.

A True Bill.

As I have charged by the  
Grand Jury that Patrick Clifford  
and John Weston

James  
Richardson

Foreman.  
No 1 Ind + acquitted.

0233

POLICE COURT—DISTRICT.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

Henry Smith  
of No. 5 Albany Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 5 Albany St-  
Street, 1st Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling  
house  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house  
were BURGLARIOUSLY  
entered by means unknown to deponent

on the ~~night~~ <sup>morning</sup> of the 29 day of August 1880  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away viz:

~~Two coats three vests three~~  
~~pairs of pants and one hat~~  
~~one coat vest and one pair of~~  
~~pants and one knife~~

of the value of fifteen dollars  
the property of John Enggreen put in care of  
deponent and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and  
carried away by Patrick Clifford and John Weston

for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent is informed  
by John Martin that on the  
morning aforesaid he found said  
Clifford and Weston in the premises  
aforesaid with the property above  
mentioned in their possession

Sworn to before me  
this 29th day of Aug 1880

Henry Smith Police Justice

0234

Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

*John Weston* being duly examined before the undersigned,  
according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty  
to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*John Weston*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*45 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Holland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*5 Albany St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Sailor*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Wm. M. J.*

Taken before me, this

day of

1871

Police District

0235

Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

*Patrick Clifford* being duly examined before the undersigned,  
according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty  
to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Patrick Clifford*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*33 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*No home*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Ciler*

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

Answer.

*I am not-guilty*

*Pat Clifford*

Taken before me, this

day of

1890

POLICE JUSTICE.

0236

POLICE COURT— DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Smith  
of Delaune  
Patrick Clifford  
John Weston

Dated Aug 22 1880

Smith  
Magistrate.

Hamm  
Officer.

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Clerk.

Witnesses:  
J. E. Smith  
J. E. Smith

Committed in default of \$ 1000 Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

0237

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:That Patrick Clifford And John Weston.  
Each —late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the twenty-ninth day of August — in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight with force and  
arms, about the hour of two o'clock in the day time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house ofHenry Smith —  
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of forciblythey the said  
Patrick Clifford And John Weston —then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels, and  
personal property of

John Lurgreen —

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and  
burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such  
case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York  
and their dignity.And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, the said

Patrick Clifford And John Weston Each

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

One coat of the value of five dollars —  
One vest of the value of five dollars —  
One pair of pantaloons of the value of five  
dollars —

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

John Lurgreen —

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0238

CITY AND COUNTY OF  
NEW YORK,

*aforesaid*  
And THE JURORS ~~OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK~~  
~~in and for the body of the City and County of New York~~  
upon their Oath, ~~present~~: *aforesaid* do further  
*present*:

That *Patrick Clifford* and *John Weston* each  
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the *twenty-ninth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* with force and arms, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One coat of the value of five dollars*  
*One vest of the value of five dollars*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of five*  
*dollars*

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *John Lungreen*  
by *Patrick Clifford* and *John Weston*  
and certain other persons, to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said *John Lungreen*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have  
(the said *Patrick Clifford* and *John Weston*)

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 pro-  
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0239

**BOX:**

19

**FOLDER:**

241

**DESCRIPTION:**

Cody, Richard

**DATE:**

09/10/80



241

62/  
Counsel,  
Filed 10 day of Sept 1880  
Pleads ~~Not Guilty~~

THE PEOPLE

vs.

20<sup>th</sup> March  
1st March  
Ind. per

*P.  
Richard Leedy.*

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Richard Leedy*

Foreman.

Part 100 Sept 10. 1880  
pleads P.R.

Pen 6 months.

0241

FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

Louis Anderson  
of No. 36 Henry Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says that on the 6th day of September 1880  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent.

the following property viz: One Coat, Vest, pants and one ladies  
cloak all

of the value of thirty 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 Richard Cody (not here)  
for the reason that on a stormy night at 11 o'clock <sup>the</sup> deponent  
saw the accused enter his sleeping apartment and  
take the coat and carry away the aforementioned property  
that deponent followed the accused who ran away  
and was upon the information of deponent was  
arrested by Officer Larkin of the 7th Precinct  
Police. Deponent identifies the property found in  
the possession of the accused as the property of the  
deponent and the same taken stolen and carried  
away in the manner aforementioned. Louis Anderson

Sworn to, before me this

the

day of September  
1880  
J. M. Patterson

POLICE JUSTICE.

0242

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Richard Cody* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,

viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Richard Cody*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Twenty*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*140 Madison st*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Brass-polisher*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Richard Cody*

Taken before me this *6th* day of *September* 1880  
*J. M. Dawson*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

0243

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Don Hudson*  
US.  
*36 Henry St.*



AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.

BAILED:

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *September 6<sup>th</sup>* 1880

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

*Patterson*

*Harkey*

*7<sup>th</sup>*

*Witness*  
*Officer Harkey*  
*7<sup>th</sup> District Office*

\$ *1000.* to answer  
at *General Sessions*  
*Concl*

Received at Dist. Att'y's Office,

0244

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That

*Richard body*

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

*One coat of the value of ten dollars.*  
*One vest of the value of five dollars.*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of*  
*ten dollars.*  
*One cloak of the value of five dollars.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Louis Andersson*

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

*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present,*

That the said

*Richard body* —

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

*One coat of the value of ten dollars.*

*One vest of the value of five dollars.*

*One pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars.* —

*One cloak of the value of five dollars.*

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

*Louis Anderson*

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

*Louis Anderson*

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

*Richard body* —

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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

0246

**BOX:**

19

**FOLDER:**

241

**DESCRIPTION:**

Coleman, Thomas

**DATE:**

09/24/80



241

0247

Filed 24 day of Sept. 1883

Pleas

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

Thomas Coleman

Assault and Battery.

B. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part 2nd Sept 24 1883

pleads guilty.  
City Prison 5 days.

A True Bill.

Charles East

Foreman.

0248

4 Dist Police Court

State of New York }  
 City of New York }

William Schneider  
 of No 626 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street in the City  
 of New York. being duly sworn depose  
 and says: that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August  
 1880 deponent was, feloniously, and  
 and beaten by Thomas Coleman who  
 struck deponent on the knee with  
 a large piece of iron which said  
 Coleman threw at deponent; that  
 in consequence of the injuries received  
 from said blow deponent has been  
 confined to the house until the present  
 time and is still suffering from  
 the effect of said blow. That said  
 assault was made with the felonious  
 intent to kill deponent or do deponent  
 bodily injury. W. Schneider

Sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup>  
 day of September 1880  
 Merrett A. C. [Signature]  
 Police Justice

0249

New York Sept. 6. 1880

To Whome it may  
Concern. —

That Mr. W. H. Sinder  
is not able to open against  
the person or persons that  
infringed the Union at  
present — I cannot tell  
the result

J. M. Donoghue 375 E 10th  
St. N. Y.  
1

0250

New York August 24/80

This is to certify that  
Mr. William Snider cannot  
leave his room at present  
he is suffering from a  
severe wound it will  
take some time before  
he is able to walk

Yours Resp<sup>t</sup>  
James M. Donough M.D.  
357 E 10 St

0251

New York Aug<sup>2</sup> - 20 - 1880

This is to Certify that  
Mr. W. Sledge, Can. of attend  
Court - he has a severe  
wound on the knee and  
cannot leave his bed  
Yours Respect-

James M<sup>o</sup> Donoghue M. D.  
357 - E 10 st -

0252

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

Police Court, Fourth District.

*William Clark*  
of the Police Court Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880

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

*Dependent arrested*  
Thomas Coleman (nowhere) on the  
Complaint of one William Schneider  
for that he said Schneider was violently  
and feloniously assaulted and beaten by the  
said Coleman, <sup>the deponent is informed by said Schneider</sup> ~~that~~ *that*  
~~said~~ *a blow* on the leg with a certain  
piece of iron which the said Coleman  
then and there had and held in his hands  
thereby wounding & maiming said Schneider.  
Dependent further says that the said Schneider is  
now confined at his residence 21-626 East 17<sup>th</sup>  
Street, and is unable to appear at Court to  
make complaint by reason of the injuries  
received at the hands of said Coleman as  
aforesaid.

*William Clark*

Sworn to before me this

29<sup>th</sup> day

1880

*Wm. M. M. M.*  
Police Justice

0253

Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William Clark*  
*an* *an* *an*  
*William Schneider*  
*Thomas Coleman*

Dated

*August 21<sup>st</sup>*  
*1850*

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness

*William Schneider* 626. & 18<sup>th</sup>

*W. J. A.*  
*W. J. S.*

Disposition

*1000 B*

*Ex. Aug 24<sup>th</sup> at 10 A.M.*

*29. 9. A.M.*

0254

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Thomas Coleman* —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid  
on the *nineteenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and *seventy-eight* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *William Schneider*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms unlawfully  
did make an assault and *him* the said *William Schneider*  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound, and ill-treat, to the great damage of the  
said *William Schneider* and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0255

**BOX:**

19

**FOLDER:**

241

**DESCRIPTION:**

Collins, Joseph

**DATE:**

09/29/80



241

0256

State of Ark. 25

78-1-76 1/2

4.1

Kent

76-1-76 1/2

Both

22-1-77 1/2

6-12-18-75

0257

**GLUED PAGES**

0258

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

of No. 352 W 12th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 25 day of October 1880 the City of  
New York, in the County of New York,

*William Burke*  
He purchased of Joseph Collins  
now present of Nos 32 Clinton  
Place in said City, the annexed  
specie of paper marked "A" con-  
taining writing and numbers and  
paid him fifty cents therefor.  
That said paper is commonly known  
as a lottery slip and purports to  
winne deponent a chance in the  
drawing or drawn number of a  
lottery in Georgia and Kentucky.  
That the sale of said slip was not  
authorized by the laws of the State of New York.

Sworn before me this  
10th day of  
October 1880  
Police Justice

W. Barker

0259

39.16 P.

153 Blocker

FORM TO

Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Reuter

~~352 W 12th St~~

Horton & Co

vs. Hann Co  
to return for  
to return

AFFIDAVIT.

Joseph Collins

Dated,

25 October 1880

Justice

Capt. Drogan Officer.

Witness,

Backed by  
John Chady  
9th - 6 Avenue

500 to 500

0260

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present:*

That

*Joseph Collins*

late of the *fifteenth* Ward in the City and County aforesaid,  
on the *twenty fifth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *—* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,  
furnish, and supply to one

*William Burke*

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

*William Burke*

a certain paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said  
paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is  
to say:

*State Ex Oct*  
*25*

*78 - 1 \$ 6/4*

*Kent*

*76 - 1 - \$ 6/4*

*Bots*

*22 - 1 - \$ 7 1/2*

*6 - 12 - 18 \$ 5*

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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0261

113

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 16 day of Dec 1880

Pleads

SELLING LOTTERY POLICIES.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Collins  
(L. Collins)

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

Dec 22 1880

Attorney at Law & Criminal District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. M. Cooper

Foreman.

0262

2 R. S. Title 8, Part 1, Chap. 20, Article 4.

Police Court, Second District. } ss.  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

*Michael Crowley* of No. *the*  
*15th Precinct Police* Street, in said City and County,  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *25th* day of *August*,  
18*88* at No. *132* Street, *Clinton Place* in said City, he saw there  
in charge of the place,

*Joseph Collins* (now here,)  
and that said place was openly, publicly and unlawfully kept and maintained as an  
office or place for the vending or selling of instruments or papers known as "LOTTERY  
TICKETS," or *Policy Slip* and that the paper  
here attached which purports to be  
such ticket or slip was purchased  
by deponents from said Collins at said  
premises on said day for the sum of  
*Twenty Cents* the sale of —

which deponent charges was in violation of the statute in such case made and provided,  
and prays that said *Joseph Collins*  
may be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to, this *26* day of *August* 18*88*  
before me,

Police Justice.

*Michael Crowley*

*My Comm. Expires*  
*August 26th 1888*

0263

Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Joseph Collins* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*Joseph Collins*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Thirty Nine Years.*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*New York City*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*153. Bleecker.*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Clerk*

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

ANSWER.—*I am not Guilty*

*Joseph Collins*

Taken before me, this

*26th* day of *October* 1880

Police Justice.

0264

Form 116.  
264  
Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Bradley  
15  
Joseph Collins  
Offence: *William Lewis*

Dated August 26<sup>th</sup> 1900

Murray Magistrate.

Bradley 15

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. *Barclay* Street.

*John Shady*

No. *94 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue* Street.

No. Street.

300  
Received in *Attorney's Office*  
Attorney's Office.



0265

Court of General Sessions

The People of the State  
of New York

vs.  
Joseph Collins

City and County of New York ss  
Joseph Collins being duly  
sworn deposes and says, that prior  
to the finding of the indictment  
against him for violating the  
lottery law, he had been engaged  
in the business for a very short  
period, to wit, about two months;  
that immediately thereafter, he  
abandoned the business, and  
has not since, and is not  
now engaged therein, and <sup>will</sup> ~~the~~  
~~never~~ never to engage in it again.  
Sworn to before me

this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 1891. Joseph Collins  
Edmund S. Price.

Notary Public.  
N.Y. County

0266

General Sessions

The People re

against

Joseph Collins

Defendant

Peter Mitchell  
of Counsel

0267

BE A.25

17.3.41/20

0268

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present :*

That

*Joseph Collins*  
late of the *fifteenth* Ward in the City and County aforesaid,  
on the *twenty fifth* day of *August* in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *—* at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,  
furnish, supply and procure, and cause to be vended, sold, bartered, furnished, supplied  
and procured, to and for one *Michael Crowley*  
a certain paper and instrument, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is  
to say :

*B. Ex A 25*  
*17 . 3 . 41 B20*

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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0269

**BOX:**

19

**FOLDER:**

241

**DESCRIPTION:**

Connolly, Thomas

**DATE:**

09/20/80



241

0270

Counsel,

Filed *Sept* day of *1880*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P.*  
*Thomas Connolly*  
*otherwise called*  
*Thomas Griffin.*

INDICTMENT.  
Larceny from the person.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Chas. L. L.*

Foreman.

*I Read, fully*

*Cart no Sep 20/80*

*LP 18 month.*

0271

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

Form 112.

ss:

Police Court - First District.

of No. 113 East 118th Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 3rd day of Sept 1889

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

the following property, viz: And from deponent's  
person  
One Silver Watch

of the value of Six \$7.00 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

Thomas Connolly  
Alias Griffin Now here and another  
whom deponent does not know  
That at about 9 O'clock P.M. on  
said day deponent was standing  
in Cherry Street when the prisoners and  
said other approached him. That  
they invited deponent to drink and  
while said other engaged deponent  
in conversation the prisoners snatched the  
watch from a vest pocket of deponent &  
ran away but was subsequently found  
in the possession of said Connolly alias Griffin

Jan Bostrom

Sworn to, before me, this

18

Police Justice.

0272

City and County  
of New York

I the J. Charles of the  
4<sup>th</sup> Regiment being sworn says  
that he arrested said Arnold  
in a building in Roosevelt Street  
and at the time of such arrest  
he found the watch within  
described in the prisoners possession

John. F. Charles

Sworn to before me this  
7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1880

at New York  
J. M. [unclear] Justice

0273

Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

*Thomas Connolly*

being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Thomas Connolly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer,

*19 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*This City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer

*19 Duane*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Blacken boots*

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

Answer.

*I was drunk when I took the watch but I meant to return it*

*Thomas Griffin*

Taken before me this

day of

18

Police Justice.

0274

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

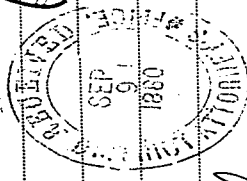
Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Wm H. Johnson*  
*113 E. 118th St*

vs.  
*Thomas Connolly*



2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
5 \_\_\_\_\_  
6 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *Sept 7* 188*0*

*Henry* Magistrate.

*John J. Walker* Officer.

*4* Clerk.

Witnesses: *Call the officers*

\$ *300* to answer

at *Open* Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

BAILED

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence, \_\_\_\_\_

0275

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present:*

*That Thomas Connolly otherwise called Thomas Griffin*

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

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

*One watch of the value of six dollars and  
fifty cents —*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *John F. Bostrom*  
on the person of the said *John F. Bostrom* then and there being found,  
from the person of the said *John F. Bostrom* 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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DESCRIPTION:

Cropsey, Thomas

DATE:

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Counsel,  
Filed 11 day of Sept. 1888  
Pleads for Guilty.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Cropper

Indictment, Larceny.

made up of

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

Sept. 29, 1888.  
Placed under District Attorney.

Removal of Refuge.

A True Bill.

Chapman

Foreman.

Sept 10/88

James C. Chapman.

Patrolman

Removal of Refuge.

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

FORM 89½

SS.

POLICE COURT SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. 339 6th Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 14th day of September 1882  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried  
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit:

Seven Ladies Lace Pins and  
One Ladies Set of Jewelry and  
Five Scarf Pins - in all

of the value of Forty five 00/100 Dollars,

the property of

deponent's husband Edward Person  
but in deponent's care

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

(nowhere) for the reason that  
deponent caught said Cropper  
in the act of taking stealing  
and carrying away said property.

Mary Person

Sworn to before me, this

14th

day

1882

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Fifth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Thommas Bropsey* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Thommas Bropsey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*12 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*N.Y. City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*121 W 19 St-*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Clerk*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Thommas Bropsey*

Taken before me, this

*4<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*Sept*

*1888*

*[Signature]*

Police Justice.

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Form 894.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Admittance—Larceny.

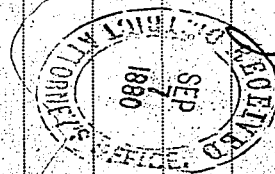
Mary Pearson  
339 6th Ave  
Thomas Crooksey

DATED Sept 1 1880

Duffy MAGISTRATE.

Wicks Jr OFFICER.

WITNESS:



Wicks Jr TO ANSWER.

BAILED BY:

No. \_\_\_\_\_ STREET.

A. McRill  
Foreman

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**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL  
DOCUMENT(S)**

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**New York Juvenile Asylum,**

176th STREET @ 10th AVENUE,

Office and House of Reception, 61 West 13th Street,

ELISHA M. CARPENTER, Superintendent,

E. D. CARPENTER, Supt. House of Reception.

New York, Sept 2 1880

Thomas Crosey  
Discharged from the  
Juvenile Asylum, and  
returned to the Court of  
General Sessions by order of  
Judge Childersleeve

E. D. Carpenter  
Sept 6 1880

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For Henry A. Gilder Sheene

Dear Sir  
Thomas

Cropper, the boy whom you committed to our care the 10<sup>th</sup> inst. for stealing, was here from Dec. 21/77 to Dec 17<sup>th</sup>/78 & from Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>/79 to May 3/80.

His depravity & wickedness seem to increase with his years & we would recommend the House of Refuge as being the most suitable place for him. His chief desire, at present seems to run in the direction of liberating himself & a few companions from restraint & in view of his influence upon the other boys, we would ask his discharge from the Juvenile Asylum & his commitment

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Thomas Coksey*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-  
said, on the *fourth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms

*Twelve pens of the value of three  
dollars each*

*One pen of the kind called a Breast  
pen of the value of fifteen dollars*

*One pair of earrings of the value  
of ten dollars*

*Two buttons of the kind called  
Sleeve buttons of the value of  
five dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Mary Pierson*

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Pleads

day of

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

James Cumiskey

Felonious Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Alexander  
Foreman.

Sept. 17 - 1880

Tried and convicted

A. & B.

J. H. Pen. F.D.

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## Police Court—Fourth District.

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

of No.

305 West 25th

on

Friday

the

13th

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

day of

August

in the year 1888

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

he was violently <sup>and feloniously</sup> ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

James Cumiskey (now here) who did while  
deponent was in premises No. 783 Second Avenue  
willfully maliciously and feloniously cut and  
stab deponent with a Pocket Knife which  
he said James Cumiskey held in his hand  
cutting deponent on the right side of the Head

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

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

Sworn before me, this

14th

day,

of

August

1888

James M. Kiernan

John H. Munn  
Police Justice.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

*James Commiskey* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Commiskey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *229 E. 57<sup>th</sup> St.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Boatman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. I was under the influence of liquor I know nothing about the occurrence I formed my self in the sidewalk bleeding*  
*James Commiskey*

Taken before me this

14 day of August 1888

*John A. Lewis* Police Justice.

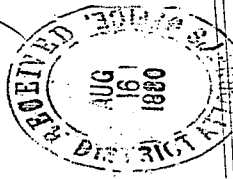
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Police Court--Fourth District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James McKeown*  
*305 W 23rd St*

*James Cunningham*



Offence, *Attorney General's Office*

Dated: *August 14th* 1880

*Blair H. Hammer* Magistrate.

*Samuel* Officer.

*D. Howard* Clerk.

Witnesses,

*Chas. Cunningham*

*Post Office Building*

*Davenport's Office*

*& W. H. Swan*

*Committed*

Received in District Att'y's Office,

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 The People  
 vs  
 James Carmichael  
 Court of General Sessions. Before  
 Recorder Smythe. September 17, 1880.  
 Indictment for felonious assault and battery.  
 James M. Kieran sworn and examined.  
 I live 305 West Twenty fifth St; my place of bus-  
 iness is 785 Second Avenue corner of Forty  
 Second St. I saw the prisoner on the 13<sup>th</sup> of August.  
 I never saw him before to my knowledge. On the  
 13<sup>th</sup> of August about 2 o'clock in the afternoon I  
 noticed this man in a secluded place in  
 front of the premises; it is an entrance that  
 has been closed. I keep a liquor store; this door-  
 way, which we call a family entrance, was closed.  
 The prisoner was sitting there a good while, two  
 hours, it was between four and five o'clock; he was  
 lying out in the centre of the sidewalk. I asked  
 him very gently to move away, to get out in the  
 air, that it would do him good - to go where  
 he got his liquor; he got up and moved around.  
 I saw him open a large pocket knife, I did not  
 think he opened it with any evil intention.  
 I paid no attention at all to that. He moved along  
 to a neighbor's place of mine who keeps a lager  
 beer saloon. he had several empty lager beer  
 kegs, he got ~~pitching~~ <sup>throwing</sup> them around; he drove  
 him away from there; it was the same block.  
 He then returned back again and made a  
 movement as though he wanted to sit down.

on the door step. So I put my hand gently on  
 his shoulder and said, "Move away from here  
 young man, I don't want you around here." He  
 moved away a few steps further South towards  
 Forty Second St. and just as he turned he struck  
 me right and left and cut me in the face, I  
 presume with a Knife. I saw the Knife in his  
 hand previously; he opened it. I was cut over  
 the right eye; I noticed the Knife in his hand  
 the first time I drove him from the sidewalk.  
 I did not see the Knife in his hand at the  
 time he turned back. I saw it in the station  
 house. I did not notice his hands when he  
 struck me; he struck me unawares entirely.  
Cross Examined. He had been under the influ-  
 ence of liquor previously, but he seemed perfectly sober  
 after this occurrence. I did not see anybody beating  
 him. I did not see his face all cut and bleeding; the  
 shirt was torn when he was sitting on the stoop. I  
 noticed that he had an undershirt on - that was  
 all he had on. I did not see anybody beat him  
 around there. I suppose there are some bad people  
 around there; there are evil cops in every neighbor-  
 hood; the officer did not come on the scene at all.  
 The prisoner was arrested in thirty ninth st. it  
 might have been half an hour afterwards. The doc-  
 tor is not in Court; the Captain sent me down to  
 Bellevue hospital to have my eye sewed - he sent

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an officer in company with me to have my eye  
 dressed and stitched. Thomas Donnelly sworn  
 I am an officer of the police of the 24<sup>th</sup> Precinct. I  
 arrested the prisoner on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August in  
 thirty ninth St. in a stable yard. He was all over  
 blood and was washing himself. It was from 5 1/2  
 to a quarter to six I guess in the evening. I did  
 not search him at that time. I brought him to the  
 station house. I found this knife on him (knife  
 produced). I told him I arrested him for stabbing a  
 man at the corner of forty second St. and Second  
 Ave. he said nothing but walked along with me.  
 He walked with me to 38<sup>th</sup> St. and I handed him  
 over to another officer. He brought him to the  
 station house. I went back to the complainant at  
 42<sup>nd</sup> St. and Second Ave. to find out whether he  
 was much hurt or not. I found him behind  
 the bar in a liquor store with a small  
 scratch over his eye. I said, "Did you get stab-  
 bed?" He said, "yes." I went to the Court the next  
 morning with the prisoner and the complain-  
 ant was there; the complainant made a state-  
 ment that this prisoner was asleep on the door  
 step and he went out of the store to wake him  
 up and it seems the prisoner assaulted him.  
 The prisoner was in the box all the time. Cross  
 Examined the prisoner was bleeding from the  
 face when I saw him, his nose was bleeding.

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the door step. So I put my hand gently on <sup>I am here</sup>  
 and he was all over blood. Was he not cut on the  
 arms? I did not take notice of that. I did not see  
 blood running down his hands. I did not take  
 him to the station house. I don't know what occur-  
 ed between the other officer and him going towards  
 the station house. He had only the one shirt on  
 him and that was torn off. I could not swear  
 that he was positively drunk, but I guess he was  
 under the influence of liquor. James Burnisky,  
 sworn and examined, testified in his own behalf.  
 I am a boatman and work on board the sand  
 boat Damesville. I worked up to the night that I was  
 arrested. I was going up the Second Avenue and  
 there was a dimness of vision come over my eyes  
 and I sat down on a lager beer keg that was lying  
 on the curbstone; there was a man came over  
 from the store and ordered me away or shoved  
 me away, and that is the last I remember  
 until I found myself lying on the sidewalk flat  
 on my back; there was a crowd around me and this crowd  
 took me into a corner store and then took me  
 out of there and walked me down the block; then  
 there was another crowd come and took me  
 away from there to a stable yard where I washed  
 the blood from my face and arm. I went  
 up with a policeman as far as Third Avenue  
 and he transferred me to another policeman  
 who took me to the station house. I have no  
 recollection of striking the complainant.

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I am a married man and have lived in New York 33 years.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of assault and battery. He was sent to the penitentiary for one year.

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Testimony in the case of  
James Cumiskey  
filed Sept. 15.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present :

That

*James Cumiskey*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*thirteenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and *eighty* with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *James M. Keernan*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *him* the said *James M. Keernan*  
with a certain *knife*  
which the said

*James Cumiskey*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound  
with intent *him* the said *James M. Keernan*  
then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County  
aforesaid, the said *James Cumiskey*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *James M. Keernan*  
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an  
assault and *him* the said *James M. Keernan*  
with a certain *knife* which the said *James Cumiskey*

in *his* right hand, then and there  
had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, wilfully  
and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat,  
strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to *kill* and there wilfully and feloniously  
do bodily harm unto *him* the said *James M. Keernan*  
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.

THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-  
said, the said *James Cumiskey*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of *James M. Keernan*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another  
assault and *him* the said *James M. Keernan*  
with a certain *knife*  
which the said

*James Cumiskey* in *his* right  
hand then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,  
and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death  
of *him* the said *James M. Keernan* with intent *him* the

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

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

*James Cumiskey* with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *James McKiernan* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make another assault and *kill* the said *James McKiernan* with a certain *knife* which the said *James Cumiskey* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *James McKiernan* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

A True Bill.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Foreman

*Charles A. Smith*

Sept. 17 - 1870

tried and convicted

at 4 P.M.

14. Jan. 1871

*FD*

Felony Assault and Battery.

THE PEOPLE

Filed 17 day of Sept 1870  
Pleas *Not Guilty*

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Dangel, Charles

DATE:

09/07/80



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Counsel,  
Filed *Sept* 188*0*  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P.*

*Charles Dangle.*

INDICTMENT  
Larceny from the person.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Chas. Hamant*

Foreman.

*Part No Sept 7. 1880*  
*pleads P.D.*

*Per H. month,*

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

*Jennie Rose*  
of *the House of Detention* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says that on the *17* day of *August* 1880  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent, *and from the person*  
*of deponent*  
the following property viz.: *One Woollen Shawl*

of the value of *Five* Dollars  
the property of *deponent and Thomas Rose her*  
*her husband*.

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect; and does suspect, that the said property  
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *Charles Wangel*  
(now here) *from the fact that deponent*  
*was walking on Water Street corner*  
*of Leatharin St. when said Charles*  
*came up to deponent snatched the shawl*  
*from deponent's person and run away*  
*with the same and from the further fact*  
*that deponent is informed by John*  
*Mr. Sweeney of the 4th Dist. Police that*  
*he caught said Charles with the aforesaid*  
*property in his possession*

*Jennie Rose*  
*mark*

Sworn to, before me this

*17*day of *August* 1880

POLICE JUSTICE.

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City & County of New York

I John McEwen of the 4th Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes and says that on the 14th day of August 1880 he arrested, Charles Wangel (now here) with the property described in the within affidavit of Annie Rose, in his charge possession

McEwen  
Subscribed before me } John C. Ewen  
this 14th day of Aug 1880 }

McEwen  
John C. Ewen

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Charles Dangel* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles Dangel*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *twenty one years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *Philadelphia*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Work on the Canal*

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

Answer. *I took the shawl. I gave her one dollar to stay with her and she was going to get away from me in a Liqueur Bar.*

*Charles Dangel*  
*mark*

Taken before me, this

*17*

day of

*August*

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POLICE JUSTICE.

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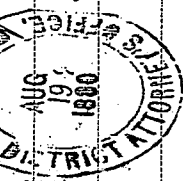
POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Jennie Rose*  
*Bailed*

*Charles Rose*



BAILED.

*in money deposited*  
*Aug 21/80*

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *Aug 17* 18*80*

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses *John Officer*

\$ *500* to answer

at \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions

Received at Dist. Attys Office,

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
upon their Oath, present:

That *Charles Sangel*

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

on the *seventeenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty *1888* at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms,

*One shawl of the value of five dollars.*

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.