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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Watson, Harry

**DATE:**

06/14/93



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Witness  
*[Signature]*

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Counsel,  
Filed *14* day of *June* 1893  
Pleads, *not guilty*

Grand Larceny, *(From the Person)*  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code.]  
Degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*Harry Watson*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*[Signature]*  
Foreman.  
*June 15/93*

*[Signature]*  
*John G. [?]*  
*Erwin [?]*

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AFFIDAVIT FOR COMMITMENT OF WITNESS.

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POLICE COURT.....DISTRICT.....

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

of the 4th Precinct Precinct Police, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says that Lippman Torn  
(now here) is a material witness for the people against  
with Darryl Webster charged  
cause to fear that the said Lippman Torn As deponent has  
will not appear in court to testify when wanted, deponent prays  
that the said Lippman Torn be  
committed to the House of Detention in default of bail for his  
appearance.

John T. McKee

Sworn to before me this  
day of April 1899

James O'Connell  
Police Justice.

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Police Court— H. District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.

Lippman Horn

of No. 147 Attorney Street, aged 49 years, occupation Tailor

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 10 day of June 1893 at the City of New

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

One Brass watch; valued Eight-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 Harry Watson; now here

from the fact, that whilst deponent was passing through Central Park this deponent grabbed the said property, from deponent's vest-pocket and ran away.

Deponent subsequently had the said deponent arrested; and Officer McGee; found the said property in the possession of the deponent; which property deponent identifies as that which was taken by the deponent.

Lippman Horn

Sworn to before me, this 11 day of June 1893  
James J. [Signature]  
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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aged 31 years, occupation John J. McGee Police Officer of No. Central Park Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day of June 1897 } John J. McGee

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss:

*Harry Watson*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Harry Watson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *224 West 16 St (4 yrs)*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.  *laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*Harry Watson*

Taken before me this

day of *June* 189*9*

*James A. [Signature]*  
Justice

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

*John Brown*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 200 Hundred Dollars,..... and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, Jan 11 1893 *Lawrence* Police Justice

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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Articles of Impeachment  
Sworn June 12/93 by  
Simon Feist  
by Walter S.

Police Court--- 4 District 639

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James H. [unclear]*  
147 [unclear]  
*Henry [unclear]*

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated, June 11, 1893

*James H. [unclear]* Magistrate.  
*W. G. [unclear]* Officer.

*W. G. [unclear]* Precinct.  
Witnesses  
*W. G. [unclear]* Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 1000 to answer

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
*against*  
*Harry Watson*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Harry Watson*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Harry Watson*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth*  
day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, in the *day*-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms,  
*one watch of the value*  
*of two dollars*

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

*De Lancey Nicoll,*  
*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Weber, Frederick

**DATE:**

06/19/93



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Witnesses:-

*Mum Rotowski*

*Chamber*

*18/1893*

Counsel,

Filed

*19* day of *June* 1893

Pleads,

*Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*24* *Yonkers*  
*184* *carpenters* vs.

*Frederick Weber*

*Subpoena complied  
for 30th*

*Attendant*  
Grand Larceny, *Third Degree*  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 538, 540, 541 Penal Code.]

*De Lancey Nicoll*  
DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Henry S. ...*  
Foreman.  
*Part 2 June 23, 1893*  
*Grand and Court.*  
*2 G.P. 3 notes*  
*June 30/93*

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE,  
City and County of New York.

\*\*\*\*\*  
The People,  
vs.  
FREDERICK WEBER.  
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"  
" Before  
" NON. FREDERICK SMYTH,  
" and a Jury.  
"

Tried JUNE 23RD, 1893.

indicted for ATTEMPTED GRAND LARCENY in the FIRST DEGREE.

Indictment filed JUNE 19TH, 1893.

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APPEARANCES:

ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY THOMAS J. BRADLEY,  
For THE PEOPLE.

MR. L. S. CHANLER,  
For THE DEFENCE.

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SIMON RATKOWSKI, THE COMPLAINANT, being duly sworn, testified that he lived at 157 Norfolk street, in this city. On the 12th day of June, 1893, he lived at the same place. On the night of the 12th of June he saw the defendant. He, the complainant, kept a beer saloon on the corner of Stanton street and Norfolk. He was sitting on the stoop of the door from Stanton street, and he fell asleep. He, the complainant, felt that somebody was around him, and he got up and grabbed ahold of his chain. At that time the defendant's hand was on his, the complainant's, chain. His watch was in his right hand fob pocket. The defendant pulled himself away from him, the complainant, and commenced to run. He, the complainant, commenced to shout, and his son ran after the defendant. The defendant was captured by an officer -- he fell right into the officer's hands. The officer's name was Connolly. The defendant was caught about a block away from where he, the complainant, was sitting. He, the complainant, did not run after the defendant; his son ran after the

defendant. His son was not in court, but the officer was. The defendant did not get his watch out of his pocket, but the defendant had a hold of his chain. He did not see the defendant after the defendant broke away from him. The chain was worth about \$7.00.

In cross-examination the complainant testified that he had been sleeping on the stoop about fifteen minutes before he was awakened by the defendant. He was sitting right in the door of his saloon; but the saloon was closed, it being about half-past 12 o'clock at night. His house was right next door to the saloon, and he was in the habit of sleeping in his house. He did not intend to go to sleep when he sat down on the stoop; he sat down there to get a little breeze. . He had no bartenders in his saloon; he and his son attended bar. The saloon had been closed all that day, Sunday. His son was not in the saloon at the time; his son was in the hallway, going into the saloon, to clean up, from Saturday. There was a light in the saloon

at the time, but the door was locked. There were three keys to the doors of the saloon. On the night in question his son had the keys. He, the complainant, was perfectly sober; he never drank. He woke up as soon as he heard anybody around him; he was a very light sleeper. He did not hear anybody speak to him on the night in question. It was quite light where he was sitting. He could see plainly enough to see anybody who passed on the street. The street was lighted by gas. He saw other people around there besides him and the defendant. He, the complainant, was six feet tall. He held the defendant as well as he could. It was about two minutes after he caught hold of the defendant before the defendant got away from him. He called out loud, but no people came around but his son. His son came out of the hall door. His son did not have anything in his hand, when he came out of the hall door. He was sure that the saloon was closed that night, and that was as true as anything else that he had testified to.

OFFICER CHARLES H. CONNOLLY, being duly sworn, testified that he was attached to the 11th precinct police station. On the 12th of June, at about mid-night, his post was on Stanton street, from Norfolk to Clinton streets. He arrested the defendant, on the corner of Norfolk and Rivington streets. The defendant was running down Norfolk street, from Stanton, at the time, with four or five men after him. The men who were following the defendant were shouting, "Stop thief!" He, the witness, caught the defendant. The complainant's son then went up to him, the witness, and told him, in the presence of the defendant, that the defendant had tried to steal his father's watch. He took the defendant back to where the complainant was, and the complainant identified the defendant. He, the witness, said to the complainant, "What is the matter with you and this young man?" The complainant said, "He tried to steal my watch." He, the witness, said, "How do you know him?" The complainant said, "I know him, I had a hold of his hand and tried to hold him, but he broke away." The de-

fendant then said that he did not know the complainant, and never tried to steal his watch. The defendant said that he ran because the complainant's son was chasing him with a whip, and he didn't know what it was for.

In cross-examination the witness testified that it was about a block away from the complainant's place of business that the defendant was arrested. The complainant's son said, when he, the witness, arrested the defendant, "If you hadn't caught him, and if I had caught him, I would have killed him, because he struck my father."

FOR THE DEFENCE, FREDERICK WEBER, THE DEFENDANT, being duly sworn, testified, in his own behalf, that he was twenty-seven years of age. He had heard the story of the complainant. On Sunday night, the 11th of June, he went into the complainant's saloon and had a drink. When he came out of the saloon he stepped on the complainant's shine, and the complainant commenced to quarrel with him. The complainant jumped up and

gave him a punch in the face, and the bartender came out, with a whip, and four or five other men, and went over to him, the defendant, and used slang language, and hit him over the head. His, the defendant's, ear commenced to bleed, and he ran away. He ran over to two policemen. The policemen asked him what the trouble was. The complainant's son said, "He hit a man on the corner." He, the defendant, said, "I didn't." The officers said, "Let's go up there, and see what the trouble is." When they got up there the complainant accused him of trying to steal his watch, and he denied it. He lived at 184 Forsyth street. He had never been convicted of any crime before. When he entered the complainant's saloon there were other men in there. The back hall door was open, and the lights were burning. He drank whiskey, and paid for it.

In cross-examination the defendant testified that he was a carpenter. He had last worked at carpentering about five months preceding his trial. Subsequent to stopping work he had lived on

some money which he had saved up. He had about \$70.00 saved up, and he had lived three months on that. He had met Officer Connolly before. He did not tell the officer, at the time of his arrest, that he had stepped on the complainant's foot and that the complainant jumped up and struck him. In March, 1893, he, the defendant was in Bridgeport, Conn. He had been in New York three months. All his carpentering was done outside of New York city. All his friends were up in Bridgeport. He was not a professional thief. The night that he was searched, in the station house, the article shown to him by the District Attorney was found in his hat. It was not a window opener. He picked it up out of an ash barrel. He had worn it in his hat ever since he had it. His hat was too big, and he had it in his hat. He changed hats in Essex Market with a man.

In re-direct examination the defendant testified that the article was a piece of corset steel.

In recross examination the defendant testi-

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fied that there was no one in court who knew him. He did not know the name of the woman with whom he boarded. She was a German woman. He lived at 160 Chrystie street before he lived in Forsyth street. He had been living in Forsyth street about two weeks. On the night in question he was alone. He told the Magistrate in Essex Market that he was in the complainant's saloon, drinking, and that he stepped on the complainant's foot, notwithstanding the fact that that was not mentioned in the complaint.

To the

Honorable Frederick Smyth,

Recorder.

Sir:

In reference to Fred. Weber, who was tried and convicted before you, I respectfully submit the following report:

I could not find anybody who knew at No. 184 Forsyth Street, the residence he gave at the time of his arrest. He states that he has been in this country twelve years, and the only person that he worked for, whose name he could remember was Henry Smith, Bridgeport Conn, where he said he worked about five months about a year ago. I have written to that party concerning him and have received no answer.

The officer in the case informs me that on the night of Mch. 20/93 he was attracted by the cry of a man calling "stop thief" at the corner of Stanton and Norfolk Streets. He saw Weber running through the street and apprehended him. The complainant fully identified the prisoner at the Station House and charged him with stealing his pocket book containing \$3.00, which pocket book was found in the street through which Weber ran.

The complainant was locked up for being intoxicated and the following morning both were taken to Essex Market Court and locked in the prison box to await the arrival

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of the magistrate and when brought before him the complainant said he could not identify the defendant.

Respectfully submitted

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Police Court— 3 District.

1912

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 157 Norfolk Street, aged 48 years.  
occupation Liquor being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 15 day of June 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and of deponent, in the time, the following property, viz:

One Silver watch of the value of seven dollars.

(\$ 7 00  
7 00)

the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property, attributed to be was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Fred Weber (owner) for

the following reasons: That at about 12:30 o'clock A.M. deponent was sitting on the door step of the said premises. That he was asleep when he felt something pulling at his watch chain which was attached to deponent's watch which was in the front pocket of the trousers which deponent was then and there wearing. Upon his person that deponent awoke and saw the defendant haul in his chain attempting to draw the

person  
of  
Shore to be the  
1893  
Police Justice

Said watch from his pocket that the  
I defendant then run away.

Sworn to before me }  
this 12th day of June 1893. } x Simon Potkowski

Charles N. Laiter

Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

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City and County of New York, ss:

*Fred Weber*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Fred Weber*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany.*

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

Answer. *184 Forsythe St, 2 weeks.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Carpenter*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*Fred Weber*

Taken before me this  
day of *Nov* 1891  
*Charles W. Stanton*  
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, June 12 1893 Charles A. Martin Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Police Court---

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District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Simon Rosenthal*  
*157 W. Norfolk*  
*Paul Weber*

*Simon Rosenthal*  
*Simon Rosenthal*  
Offense

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Dated *June 12* 1893

*Simon* Magistrate.  
*Smully* Officer.  
*11th* Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *LD*

*Simon*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.



Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frederick Weber

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Frederick Weber, of the crime of attempting to commit of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said Frederick Weber,

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

one watch of the value of seven dollars



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

De Lancey Nicoll District Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wegener, Charles F.

**DATE:**

06/14/93



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Witnesses

*[Signature]*

Counsel,

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Filed,

14 day of June 1893

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Charles J. Wegener

June 19 93

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW,  
Selling, etc., on Sunday.  
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 32.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*[Faint signature]*

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
*against*

*Charles F. Wegener*

**The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York**, by this indictment, accuse  
*Charles F. Wegener*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND  
BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *Charles F. Wegener*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourteenth*  
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong  
and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill  
of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale,  
one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spiritu-  
ous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, ~~to one~~

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

SECOND COUNT—

**And the Grand Jury aforesaid**, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Charles F. Wegener*  
of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS,  
WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *Charles F. Wegener*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the  
same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of  
wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one  
gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of  
a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and  
expose for sale to one

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Weinberger, Harry

**DATE:**

06/13/93



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Witnesses:

Max Haas

A. 1. # 117

Counsel,

Filed 13<sup>th</sup> day of June 1893

Pleads,

Not guilty 14

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Harry Weinberger

Grand Larceny, First Degree  
(DWELLING HOUSE.)  
(Sections 523, 512, 512 Penal Code.)

Dr LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part III. 26<sup>th</sup> 193

A TRUE BILL.

Henry S. ...

Foreman.

Part 3 June 26 1893

Found and acquitted

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Police Court— District.

1912

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 165 1/2 4th Avenue Street, aged 32 years, occupation Shipping Clerk

deposes and says, that on the 8 day of June 189 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

A vest, one of the purses of which contained a gold watch with chain attached the whole being valued at Eighty Dollars \$80.00 the property of Deponent

Sworn to before me this 18th day of June 189

Police Justice

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 Harry Weinberger for the reasons following to wit: on the said date deponent missed the said property from his room in said premises. This deponent was a former with deponent and left said room while deponent was sleeping when deponent awoke he found said property missing and subsequently deponent found the said watch and chain in defendant's hands chief in a pig-Cattle-pen in the yard in which defendant was employed. Maria Haas deponent's wife

say that from the time <sup>defendant</sup> ~~she~~ last  
saw the property until he missed  
the same, no one but the defendant  
was in said room.

Sworn to & subscribed  
this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June 1913 } Max Haas

L. W. Mead  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss:  
OF NEW YORK, }

*Harry Weinberger*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Harry Weinberger*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*21 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*765-10th Ave 2 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Work in Slaughter house*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*H. Weinberger*

Taken before me this

day of *June* 189*3*

*James O. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 28 years, occupation Man of No. 765 1/2 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 9<sup>th</sup> day } Marie Hoar  
of San 1893 }

Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

of No. 765 1st St Street, aged ... years, occupation Shipping Clerk being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 3 day of June 189 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn to before me, this 3 day of June 1893

He caused Harry Mintzger to be arrested for Grand Larceny and depones forays that the said defendant is held to enable him to produce the necessary evidence

Max Haas

Little R. Police Justice.

Police Court, 4 District.

*ms*

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

*Harvey Weinberger*

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated, June 8 1893

*W. W. Wade* Magistrate.

*W. W. Wade* Officer.

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Witness, \_\_\_\_\_

Disposition, \_\_\_\_\_

*subscribed 9-9 am*

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

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

Dated *Jan 9 93* 188..... *Reverend* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188..... Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188..... Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*May, Head*  
*765 1/2 St*  
*Henry Weinberger*

*Hand Parcel*

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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Dated *June 9 188* Magistrate.

*Rem* Officer.  
*23* Precinct.

Witnesses *Man Head*

No. *765-1/2 St* Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *GS*

*len* *gt*



Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against  
Harry Weinberger

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

Harry Weinberger

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

The said Harry Weinberger

late of the 14th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
on the eighth day of June in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the night time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of  
fifty dollars, one chain of the  
value of twenty-five dollars and  
one vest of the value of five  
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Max Haasz

in the dwelling house of the said

Max Haasz

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said *Harry Weinberger*

late of the *19th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *eighth* day of *June* in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of  
fifty dollars, one chain of the  
value of twenty-five dollars and  
one vest of the value of five  
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Max Haasz*

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

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

*Harry Weinberger*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

Weinstein, Annie

**DATE:**

06/07/93



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Witnesses  
Habe G. Ostler  
Bessie Kadron  
Off Keenan (11)

#30 X  
Counsel, W. D. ...  
Filed 7 day of June 1893

Pleads, Myself

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Annie Weinstein

Burglary in the third degree, ...  
[Section 498, ...]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

Car 3 June 12.93 P.M.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray ...  
Foreman

Pa. L. 3. June 12/93  
Tried and acquitted

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Police Court— 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 73 Eldridge Street, aged 23 years,  
occupation Keep House being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 73 Eldridge Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Ward  
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a five story dwelling  
the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor rear rooms  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly prying open  
the door leading from the hallway  
into said apartment with some  
sharp instrument.

on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 1893 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two overcoats, one blue cloak,  
two white wrappers, one clock,  
and one fur coat and  
one brown wrapper, together  
of the value of one hundred and  
forty dollars.  
\$140 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

the property of deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
**BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by  
Anna Weinstein (Growth)

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about 8 o'clock  
P.M. said date deponent securely locked  
and fastened the said premises, that  
said property was then in the said  
apartment. that about 30 minutes  
later deponent returned to the said  
apartment and discovered the  
break and entry as aforesaid  
and the said property missing.

Deponent immediately notified the police. Deponent further says that on the night of May 31<sup>st</sup> she saw the defendant in the Museum Theatre and identified the Brown wrapper that she the defendant was then wearing upon her person as part of the property that was taken from the said premises as aforesaid. That deponent then caused the arrest of the defendant. Wherefore deponent charges the defendant with burglary and feloniously taking, stealing and carrying away the said property and prays that she be held and dealt with as the law directs.

Done to before me  
 this 1 day of June 1893 }  
 Charles N. Jantzen      Cecelia Gottstein

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
 guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
 Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
 of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
 Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893  
 I have admitted the above named  
 to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
 Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893  
 There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
 guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
 Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893  
 Police Justice

Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District, \_\_\_\_\_

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 on the complaint of \_\_\_\_\_

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Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893

Magistrate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer General Sessions.

0877

City and County of New York, ss;

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Annie Hensler

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Austria.

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

Answer. 22 Orchard St - J.M.O.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Keep House.

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

Answer. I am not guilty  
Annie Hensler  
Hensler

Taken before me this 31 day of July 1893  
Charles H. Stewart  
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, April 1 1892 Charles L. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Nate Goldstein*  
*73 Eldridge*  
*Annie Winkler*

Offense  
*Assault*

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Dated, *June 1* 189*3*

*Shuman* Magistrate.

*Samuel J. Kenna* Officer.

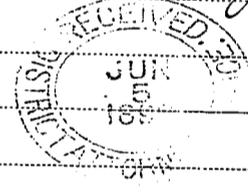
*Bessie Seaton* Precinct.

Witness, *134 Eldridge* Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ *500* to answer *GJ*



*Com*  
*Bussell*  
*921*

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Annie Weinstein*

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

*Annie Weinstein*

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

The said *Annie Weinstein*

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, with force and arms, in the *right* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

*Kate Goldstein*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Kate Goldstein* 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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Annie Weinstein*

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

The said *Annie Weinstein*

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, in the *night* - time of said day, with force and arms,

	<i>two overcoats of the value of thirty</i>
<i>60</i>	<i>dollar's each, one cloak of the value</i>
<i>40</i>	<i>of forty dollars, one cloak of the value</i>
<i>10</i>	<i>of ten dollars, three wrappers of the</i>
<i>15</i>	<i>value of five dollars each, and</i>
<i>20</i>	<i>one coat of the value of twenty</i>
<i>\$145</i>	<i>dollars</i>

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Kate Goldstein*

in the dwelling house of the said

*Kate Goldstein*

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

THIRD COUNT:

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

*Annie Weinstein*

of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Annie Weinstein*

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,

*two overcoats of the value of thirty dollars each, one cloak of the value of forty dollars, ~~two~~ one cloak of the value of ten dollars, three wrappers of the value of five dollars each, and one coat of the value of twenty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Kate Goldstein*

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

*Kate Goldstein*

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

*Annie Weinstein*

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

Weinstein, Isadore

**DATE:**

06/07/93



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*Seventeen*

# 31 X

Witnesses:

*Tom Leavitt  
Mona Minkley  
Off Bice*

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Isadore Weinstein*

*Mr. Day*

Grand Larceny, second Degree  
(From the Person)  
[Sections 628, 631, VFD Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Ray S. Murray*  
*June 17/93*  
*True & acquitted*  
Foreman.

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Police Court 1st District.

1912

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

Tommy Lawrence  
Street, aged 52 years,

of No. 74 West Street, aged 52 years,  
occupation clean being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 24th day of May 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

Person of deponent, in the time, the following property, viz:

One pocket book containing  
good and lawful money of the  
United States a number of Paul  
notes and bills and silver coins  
being together of the value of  
Forty one 50/100 Dollars  
\$ 41 50/100

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 Houston (known here) and two other persons unknown to deponent who were yet not arrested

and who were acting in concert for the purpose of obtaining the same. On the afternoon of said day, deponent had said property in the right hand back pocket of the pants he had on and he felt it being drawn out of said pocket and immediately missed said property and deponent is informed by Morris H. Fairbank of 74 West Street that he saw said deponent together with said 2 unknown persons in a room corner of Paul & West

Sworn to before me this 1893 May

Police Justice.

unlawfully a pocket book in their hands  
looking at its contents and when said  
Ginsberg went out to call a witness  
said 2 unknown persons immediately  
pass out of said prison and deponent  
caused said deponent to be arrested  
and the charge was with the  
possession of goods.

Sworn to before me }  
this 25th day of May 1893 }  
J. J. [Signature] }  
[Signature] }  
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1931

*Morris A. Fairberg*  
aged 35 years, occupation ales of No. 46 West

46 West Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of James J. Gorman and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 25 day of May 1931 by Morris A. Fairberg

Armand White Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Joseph Weinstein*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *34 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Poland*

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

Answer. *196 East Broadway New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Presser*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*Joseph Weinstein*  
*presser*

Taken before me this

*William M. Smith*  
1883

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, May 25 1893 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated, May 29 1893 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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~~166~~ 166, 589  
Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Tenenbaum*  
No. 74 Mott  
1. *Madame Wauverson*

Offense *Blind*

BAILED,

No. 1, by *Max Hochstein*  
Residence *163 Grand* Street.

No. 2, by .....  
Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....  
Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....  
Residence ..... Street.

Dated, *July 25* 189  
*Printon* Magistrate.

*James* Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses *Morris Geniba*  
No. *76 Mott* Street.

*Wm Sullivan*  
No. *83 Mott* Street.

No. *Wm J. S.* Street.

\$ *to answer*  
*Com*

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Isadore Weinstein

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

Isadore Weinstein

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

The said Isadore Weinstein

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 24th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three in the day-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the sum of forty-one dollars and fifty cents in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of forty-one dollars and fifty cents and one pocketbook of the value of fifty cents

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Isadore Weinstein*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Isadore Weinstein*

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

*the sum of forty-one dollars <sup>and fifty cents</sup> in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of forty-one dollars and fifty cents,*

*[Handwritten flourish]*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Tony Levethan*

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

*Tony Levethan*

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

*Isadore Weinstein*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Welch, James J.

**DATE:**

06/01/93



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Witnesses:

Off Donnelly

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The Catholic Pro  
refuses to receive  
the debt and return  
him back to Court  
Dated June 2/93  
RBC

A Doctor Certificate  
filed this day stating  
the Defendant had  
Lunatic's head June 1/93.

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Counsel,  
Filed 15 day of June 1893  
Pleads,

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

James J. Welch  
G. J. D.

Burglary in the Third Degree.  
Grand Jurors  
[Section 498, 506, 507, 508, 509 & 510]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. F. Imbri  
Foreman.

June 1/93  
Pleads Day 2 day  
~~Catholic Pro~~

House of Refuge June 1/93

0895

New York, June 1<sup>st</sup> 1893

I hereby certify, pursuant to Section 3, Chapter 633, Laws of 1886, that I have this day examined, at the request of the Officers of the N. Y. CATHOLIC PROTECTOR, *James J. Welch*

a . . . . male child, age *15 years* That such child is *not* apparently suffering with Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever, Measles, Whooping Cough, or any contagious or infectious Disease, especially of the Eyes or Skin, which might be communicated to the other inmates of the Institution. That the physical condition of the child is as follows:

*Gonorrhoea*

That the mental condition of the child is as follows:

*Good*

That there is the presence of *no* . . . . hereditary or other constitutional Disease.

And also *no* . . . deformity or abnormal condition, which I find upon examination to exist.

*M. F. Molney* M. D.

I order the discharge of the within child from strict quarantine from the other inmates of the Institution, pursuant to Section 4, Chapter 633, Laws of 1886, and certify that such child has remained in quarantine from *June 1<sup>st</sup>* until this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *June* 1893, the date of its discharge therefrom.

*M. F. Molney* M. D.

Police Court - 3 District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Charles J. Fournell

of No. 741 E 9th Street, aged 48 years, occupation Segar Manufacturer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 741 East 9th Street, 11th Ward in the City and County aforesaid the said being a four story brick building and which was occupied by deponent as a Segar Factory and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking through the roof of said building and then opening the scuttle on said roof by force.

on the 23rd day of May 1893 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of Segars in boxes to the value of about one hundred and fourteen dollars \$114.00

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

James J. Walsh (nowhere) and two other persons not yet arrested

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent securely locked and fastened the doors and scuttle of said premises at about the hour 5:30 pm on said date. That at about the hour of 7 am on the 24th day of May 1893 deponent found the roof of said building broken and the scuttle open and said property was missing. Deponent is informed by Officer Farrell that he arrested the

Defendant and that he found part of  
said premises on the roof of defendant's  
residence, which property defendant has  
identified as part of the property  
stolen from defendant's premises.  
Defendant being informed of his  
rights says he is guilty.

Sum to before me this  
26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1893

*[Signature]*

Charles J. Schmidt

Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been  
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893 Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893 Police Justice.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offense within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893 Police Justice.

Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1893  
Magistrate.  
Officer.  
Clerk.  
Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer General Sessions.

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City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James J. Walsh*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *733 E 9<sup>th</sup> Street 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *I am Guilty*  
*James J. Walsh*

Taken before me this

day of

1892

Police Justice.

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

*DeLeon*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *100* Hundred Dollars. and it appearing that he is under the age of sixteen years, that he be committed to the custody of the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, until he give such bail.

Dated, *May 26* 189 *3* *Hub R. He* Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

0900

W  
Police Court--- 3 District. 583

THE PEOPLE &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Chas D Schmidt*  
*744 West 9th*  
*Jas J Walsh*

Offense *Bar Money*

Date *May 26* 189 *3*

*Koch* Magistrate.  
*Breuna Farrell of Donnelly* Officer.  
*13th* Precinct.

Witnesses *Call the Officers*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

*Adrian Borum*

No. *829 Madison Street Brooklyn*

*Louis A. Stein*

No. *297 - 4th Precinct*

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer *A.S.*

Com. to *W. S.*  
P. MAY 29 1893  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
*Buss 3*  
*GR*

BAILED.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

0901

1790

At a Court of General Sessions of the Peace,

holden in and for the City and County of New York,  
at the City Hall of the said City, on Thursday, the  
First day of June, in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three

PRESENT,

The Honorable Rufus B. Cowling  
City Judge of the City of New York, } Justice of the Sessions.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK  
against

James J. Welch

On conviction by confession of  
Burglary in the  
Third Degree

The Court being satisfied by sufficient proof that the  
said James J. Welch is 15 years of age;  
Whereupon it is ORDERED and ADJUDGED by the Court that the  
said James J. Welch

for the felony aforesaid, whereof he is convicted, be sent to the  
NEW YORK CATHOLIC PROTECTORY, there to be dealt with accord-  
ing to law.

A true Extract from the Minutes.

King  
1866

John T. Carroly Clerk of Court.

*LUB*

N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace.

THE PEOPLE

OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*against*

*James J. Welch*

*June 1<sup>st</sup> 1893*

COPY OF SENTENCE TO

The New York Catholic Protectory.

*Defendant is  
sent to  
Protectory reference to  
take him*

0903

*Gen. Sessions Court.*

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

No. 297 FOURTH AVENUE, (Corner East 23d Street.)

*New York, May 27. 1893.*

*The People*

*vs*

*James Welch*

OFFICER *Louis A. Steen*

CASE NO. *72805*

DATE OF ARREST *May 26<sup>th</sup>*

CHARGE *Burglary*

AGE OF CHILD *15 years*

RELIGION *Catholic*

FATHER *John*

MOTHER *Mary*

RESIDENCE *733 E. 9<sup>th</sup> Street*

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT *James resides with his parents at said address where they have a comfortable home, but boy does not work and keeps very bad company.*

*S. P. C. C. has no record that boy has been arrested before.*

*All which is respectfully submitted,*

*W. H. Bellows Secretary*

*To Dist Atty*

0904

Report of

General Sessions

*The People*  
*vs*  
*James Welch*

PENAL CODE, §

**Report of the New York Society  
for the Prevention of Cruelty  
to Children.**

**ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,**

*President, &c.,*

No. 297 Fourth Avenue,

Corner East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*against*

*James J. Welch*

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

*James J. Welch*

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

The said

*James J. Welch*

late of the 11th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*twenty-third* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three* in the *right*-time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *factory* of  
one

*Charles D. Schmidt*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some  
crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*Charles D. Schmidt* in the said *factory*  
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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

*James J. Welch*

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

The said

*James J. Welch*

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, in the *right* time of said day, with force and arms,

*two thousand cigars of the value of five cents each, and forty boxes of the value of ten cents each*

*[Handwritten flourish]*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Charles D. Schmidt*

in the

*factory*

of the said *Charles D. Schmidt*

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

*Wm Larnsey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

0907

**BOX:**

526

**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

Weller, Ernest G.

**DATE:**

06/13/93



4795

# 109X

Witnesses:

*J. M. Cague*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

189

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Ernest S. Weller*

Grand Juror, Second Degree,  
[Sections 68, 69, Penal Code.]

*16  
Mr. Com*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*John S. ...*  
Foreman.  
*June 14 1893*  
*Read P. J. 2 day*  
*Elmira Ref.*

Police Court— H District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss. Frank S Ray  
of No. 102 West-89- Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation Bicycle business being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 24 day of May 1893 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One Bicycle, valued at  
about one-hundred and forty-  
dollars

the property of In care and charge of  
deponent.

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen  
and carried away by Ernest Weller, now here from  
the fact; that the said deponent sent  
a boy to premises 1769 Broadway; to hire  
a Bicycle for him; deponent sending  
a name of one of deponent's customers  
the boy received the said Bicycle; and  
the said deponent failed to return it.  
James A. Mc Cague of 155-  
East 21-street bought the said Bicycle  
from this deponent; and received a  
receipt for the same.

Wherefore deponent charges this  
deponent with taking and stealing  
said property, and prays that he  
may be held to answer.

Frank S. Ray

Sworn to before me, this  
of May 1893  
Police Justice.

Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Ernest Weller

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Ernest Weller

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

New York

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

Answer.

212 East 27 St. one month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Clerk

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

Answer.

I am Guilty

Ernest Weller.

Taken before me this 5th day of June 1895  
W. M. ...  
Police Justice

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

*Defendant*

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

Dated *June 9 1893*..... *[Signature]* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named.....

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated.....188..... Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named.....

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

Dated.....188..... Police Justice.

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Police Court--- *H* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Frank S Ray*  
*102 10th St*  
*Ernest Keller*

*Wm J. Kelly*  
Officer

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BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

Dated *June 9* 19*13*

*J. Meade* Magistrate.

*S. Hartney* Officer.

*18* Precinct.

Witness *James A McCague*

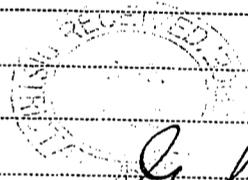
No. *155 East 21* Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *GS*

*Com* *gt 2*



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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

Ernest G. Weller

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

Ernest G. Weller

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

The said Ernest G. Weller

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 24th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one bicycle of the value of one hundred and forty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Frank S. Ray

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

De Lancey Nicoll  
District Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

Wells, Peter P.

**DATE:**

06/08/93



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

Wells, Anna

**DATE:**

06/08/93



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Witnesses:

Rosely Garcia  
Cable Solo  
Augusta Maren  
Joseph Gubas

Counsel,

~~[Signature]~~

Filed

day of June 1893

Pleads,

Myself

THE PEOPLE,

Peter Solar  
Pater P. Wells

Anna Solar  
Anna Wells

[Section 502, Penal Code]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney

Noted & ...

A TRUE BILL, 1903 B.S.W.

[Signature]

Foreman

Perk 3. June 21/93

Both Inad and acquitted

District Attorneys Office.  
City & County of  
New York.

James Popol :: :: :: :: ::

18

Born same year - in Portus.  
in 1860 - 33 years old -  
Knew them as children -  
same street - played together -  
Knew - Dept. before he left  
1<sup>st</sup> time (Saw him when he  
came back in 1884 - and talked  
with him - He said to me  
Came - for Mother Austria -  
Saw them went to Station -

18<sup>th</sup> Sept. I saw them -  
They came to my Home #2  
(12) Rose St = and talked  
same year. He told me that the  
was married to my his sister -  
attended I went to Pedro - Rose St.

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City & County of  
New York.

(2) Cynotia Manera, 18

My line near there further  
up the Block - until  
middle of '88 - I saw them  
at the same place - she was  
sick - she was taking care of  
them - him - I asked her how  
her brother was - they then went  
up to Cherry St. He told me -  
so - my cousin Eric in his house.  
He afterwards lived in Duval St.  
They afterwards went to 28 Rose  
St. about '91. I was working as  
water for 5 yrs. with her in  
86 Madison Lane - since '88 - after  
leaving Rose - they went to New Chambers  
St. and ~~at~~ about 2 yrs ago.  
I have seen them at arm's length Hill Park  
with their (2) children - in May I often

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City & County of  
New York.

18  
Peter Sala Defendant Born 1856 -  
Left in 1874 -  
Returned in 1884 -  
for 9 days  
Came back 1884 -

James Pandol = Born - 1860 -

in same form. Mr. together every  
day as Boys -

Pueblo. Sala - Born - 1862

Played with him as Boys =

Anna Sala - Born 1865 Played -

with - them as Brothers & Sisters

District Attorneys Office.  
City & County of  
New York.

Continued,

(3.) Coajun Evans

18

I heard him say before Judge  
Wester - that he was married -  
I saw the (2) children there -  
one was (formed) idiot. I did  
the ~~mother~~ He denied it was  
his sister - But said he was  
married and the (2) children  
were there - I

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City & County of  
New York.

Continued -

(2) Coagun Gurs - Maiden Lane.  
1886

I saw them to plan - When there -  
I hear them address me.  
written to Boston to write  
from there - Sept 88, and  
I came up 88, and on  
the next day - (I saw D3 pots)  
I went to live with Crompton -  
in Court St. (They D3 pots) came  
to Court St. in the night time -  
I welcome me - A few  
days after (They D3 pots) told me  
they were living together and asked  
me if they wanted to work  
for them - I met them some times  
in the street - The biggest chief  
I saw with them in the  
street -

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New York.

Porter & Tedding

18

In '84 - 219 Santa Fifth Ave -  
 Porter saw - He was going  
 to get married to his sister -  
 I saw many things to do - They  
 saw the house of the person doing  
 some thing... I saw some things  
 they came from and said they  
 were... I saw...  
 when I left... I then  
 left... they  
 lived in Cherry...  
 several times...  
 asked me...  
 to say anything...  
 -

District Attorneys Office.  
City & County of  
New York.

18

Augustin Menara - 19 years.

Paris 1874

Saw to me -

Staid at my House in Spain -

Said he came from America

for his Brother's Affairs -

Went to Spain - together -

Met him there - I saw him  
to my wife - He said my  
brother

District Attorneys Office.  
City & County of  
New York.

(2).

Am said 41 + ~~Chad~~ (2) 18  
Children with Anna - Saw  
Several times in Street -

(4) years ago Pedro came  
back to me - and asked  
me to go with - a favor  
to come and identify them as  
Pedro Sala -

District Attorneys Office.  
 City & County of  
 New York.

(3) (12) - only one Blood  
 I saw in Roverer St. - near  
them - and saw them for  
the front of their house 49 New  
Chambers. With them (2) Clawson.

District Attorneys Office  
City & County of  
New York.

"Joaquin Guives 18  
of said name

If I was born in same town -  
in 1866. I lived (2) blocks from  
them - I got acquainted with  
Cecilia when young -  
and his sister I knew - At that  
time I was with the sister (Dr. [?])  
who was my age to 12 [?]  
and that was a [?] -  
and saw her daily (played together).  
till they left - with Dr. [?]  
Cecilia - at [?]. I recollect his  
coming back - and he told me (Dr. [?])  
that he was coming to get his brother  
and sister and take them to America.

District Attorneys Office.  
City & County of  
New York.

Mr. Paul Torrey, .....<sup>18</sup>  
207 West 67<sup>th</sup> St

Chef. Dr. Cuisine -

Was Chef in Cosmopolitan Hotel.  
And in Feb this year - I used to  
meet him out at Sturges of  
Brooklyn Bridge - and one day  
in Feb I talked with him in  
his layings - He told me  
that he had a Brother who  
was also called (Parents Point)  
to (Compliments across the way)  
I knew for a year - that there  
was some one of Mr. Amblyman -  
living together - Brother Amblyman.

District Attorneys Office.  
City & County of  
New York.

18

Aliphan Mrs Manera. 1940.  
7 yrs old - knew them  
in Spain - went to Oak St.  
and visited them in 84 '86 Memphis  
Just when I arrived - I saw  
them there (2) Dependants and  
at a little child - 1 Room -  
Night time - 1 hour there - Baby.  
I said where is your wife - then  
she is - the sister - I said I saw  
what do you want to do that  
for - the days there - nothing  
I was living 220 million ft  
and went there only once. After  
that Gov saw them on the  
Street - newly born day

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City and County of the }  
State of New York. }

This is to Certify, that

Mary Colaminos born September 21<sup>st</sup> 1885 -  
of Peter Salla and Annie Colaminos

his lawful wife, was baptized according to the rite of the Roman  
Catholic Church, on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1885 -

by Rev Jas B. Curry in St. James' Church.

Sponsors: Pablo Salla & Mary Gomez.

TAKEN FROM THE BAPTISMAL REGISTER OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH, CITY OF NEW YORK.

this 20<sup>th</sup> day of June 1893 Peter W. Spellman  
Assistant - Pastor.

0930

City and County of New York, ss:

*Peter B Wells*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Peter B Wells*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *40 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Cuba - Havana*

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

Answer. *49 New Chambers St.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Truck*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*Peter B. Wells*

Taken before me this *29* day of *August* 189*9*  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

*Annie Wells*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Annie Wells*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Spain*

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

Answer. *49 New Chambers St.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Married*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty  
Annie Wells  
mark*

Taken before me on this  
22<sup>nd</sup> day of  
Sept 1882  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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

Defendant Peter Wells  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated, June 1st 1893  
Edward Martin Police Justice.

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

Defendant James Wells  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Ten Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated, June 1st 1893  
Edward Martin Police Justice.

Dated, .....

0933

15735 / 619  
Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE vs. ...  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Pablo Sala*  
*274 22. Ave*  
*Peter Wells*  
*Anna Wells*

*Officer*  
*Police 305*

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated, *May 30th* 189 *3*

*Magistrate.*  
*Officer.*

*Witnesses* *Wm H King*

No. *297 - 4th Avenue*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. *1500* to answer *CS*

No. *1000* " " " " " "  
*Caru*



City and County }  
of New York. } ss.

Police Court, ..... District.

*Pablo Sala*

of No. *474 Pearl* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that *Peter P. Mills* (now present) is the person of the name of

*Pablo Sala* mentioned in deponent's affidavit of the *20<sup>th</sup>*

day of *May* 189*5*, hereunto annexed.

Sworn to before me, this *20<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *May* 189*5*

*Pablo Sala*  
*deponent*

*[Signature]*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

0935

Sec. 151.

Police Court 1 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

In the name of the People of the State of New York: To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York. GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Pablo Sala of No. 474 Pearl Street, that on the 19 day of May 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Pedro Sala and Anna Sala  
are living together as man and wife and they are  
persons within the degree of consanguinity to wit  
Brother and sister - in violation of section 302 of  
the Penal Code of the State of New York

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

These are, therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said ~~Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen~~, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring them forthwith before me, at the 1 DISTRICT POLICE COURT in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 20 day of May 1893

1893

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

0936

No 1-40 W. Harman Fries May 27  
49 New Chambers St  
No 2 27 W. Spring Hawk May 27  
49 New Chambers St

Police Court.....District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-General.

Dated May 20 1893

Martin Magistrate.

Emerson Officer.

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

..... Officer.

Dated May 20 1893

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

..... Police Justice.

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

The within named

Police Justice.

State of New York }  
City and County of New York } S.S.:

Pablo Sala being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he resides at No. 474 Canal St. New York City. That one Pedro Sala and his sister Anna Sala are unlawfully living together in incontinent relationship at No. 20 New Bowery New York City. That this deponent is a brother of the said parties. That in the year 1884 this deponent and his <sup>said</sup> brother and sister lived together for a few months in the City of New York. That during this period of their residence together the said Pedro and Anna Sala occupied the same bed and otherwise depicted themselves as man and wife. That shortly after this time the said Anna Sala became the mother of a child, and again a year or so later a second child was born to her. That both the said Pedro and Anna Sala have repeatedly acknowledged to him that the said two children ~~are~~ <sup>are</sup> their issue, and the children address them <sup>as</sup> their <sup>own</sup> parents. That the said Pedro and Anna Sala are now generally known by their neighbors as man and wife and they represent themselves as such.

Sworn to before me this  
20th day of May 1893.

~~John H. Everett~~

~~Notary Public, N.Y.C.~~

Pablo <sup>his</sup> Sala,  
mark  
Witness

~~Bosquillo~~

Sworn to before me  
this 20th day of May 1893  
John H. Everett  
Notary Public

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Peter P. Wells  
and Anna Wells*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse *Peter P. Wells and Anna Wells* —  
of the crime of *Incest*, —

committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the *first day of May*, 1893, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *Peter P. Wells and Anna Wells*, both late of the City and County aforesaid, being persons within the degree of consanguinity within which marriages are declared by law to be incestuous and void, to wit: being brother and sister, respectively of the other, did feloniously commit fornication with each other, by then and there and having carnal knowledge of the body of each other, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the force of the Code of the State of New York, and their dignity.

*Deane W. Wells,*

*Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

Wetzel, Katie

**DATE:**

06/13/93



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Witnesses:  
Amelia Mahoney  
Off Carey  
Co

Counsel,  
Filed *10/3* day of *June* 189*3*  
Pleads *Not guilty*

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*FILED*  
*Boston*  
*low in*  
*domestic*  
*restraint*  
Katie Wetzel

Grand Juror, Second Degree  
[Sections 58, 59, 57 Penal Code]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

Part III June 27<sup>th</sup> 1893

A TRUE BILL.

*Henry S. ...*  
Foreman.

Part 2 July 6/93

Pleads Petition Larceny  
Committed to H of Ref  
for women at ...  
N.Y.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Amelia Mahon

of No. 62 East 138th Street, aged 33 years, occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 22nd day of May 1893

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Kate Welzel (now Lewis) did steal certain jewelry from defendant and gave the same of the value of about \$300 and defendant asks that defendant may be held to give defendant time to bring to court the jeweller to whom defendant sold the said property

A. Malroy

Sworn to before me, this

of

May

1893

day

W. J. Brady Police Justice.

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Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

*Kate Wetzel*<sup>vs.</sup>

Dated, *June 6* 189*7*

*Stacy* Magistrate.

*Carey, C.O.* Officer.

Witness, \_\_\_\_\_

*R June 1*

Disposition,  
*\$1000 by June 7. 1897*

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Police Court 2<sup>nd</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

of No. 662 East 138 Street, aged 53 years,  
occupation None being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 22 day of May 1893 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away  
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One diamond ear-ring of the  
amount and value of one hundred  
and fifty-one dollars and fifty cents  
( \$ 151 <sup>50</sup> / 100 )

the property of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-  
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Ratie Petzel (now here)

from the following facts to wit: That the defendant  
was in the employ of deponent, as a Domestic -  
and that on the aforesaid date deponent placed  
the aforesaid property in a small bag which she  
placed in a patch, and then placed said  
patch containing the aforesaid property in a  
drawer of a Bureau, in a room at the above  
mentioned premises, and that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day  
of May deponent missed the aforesaid property  
from the said patch, where she had placed  
the same, and that deponent is informed by  
Henry Goetz, and who is a Jeweler doing business  
at No 3477-3-Avenue, that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May  
1893, said defendant came into his place of business

Sworn to before me, this

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at said address, and asked him if he desired to buy a single Diamond Ear-ring. Stating to him at the time that it was present, and that she had lost the other Ear-ring, the mate of the one that she then showed, and that said Greltz believing the representations of said defendant, did then buy said Ear-ring - and paid her the sum of fifty dollars therefor, and a small locket in exchange for said Ear-ring - Dependent further says that she has seen the said Ear-ring, which was sold to said Greltz, and fully recognizes the same as her property, and as the aforesaid property stolen from her on said date - dependent therefore asks that said defendant may be held to answer.

Subscribed to before me }  
 this 7 day of June 1893 }  
 M. J. }  
 Police Justice

Amelia Maloney

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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aged 57 years, occupation Jeweler of No. 3477-3-Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 14 day of June 1893 } Henry Goetz

Wm. H. [Signature] Police Justice.

0946

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Katie Metzger*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Katie Metzger*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *429 East 163 Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Domestic*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Katie Metzger*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, June 7 1893 J. H. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Police Court--- 2 / 637 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amelia Mahoney  
662 East 13<sup>th</sup> St.  
Katie Metzger

Office  
J. J. Mahoney  
J. J. Mahoney

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**BAILED,**

No. 1, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 2, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 3, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 4, by.....

Residence..... Street.

Dated, June 7 1893

Magistrate.

Carey & Muehlenbach  
Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses Henry Gortz.

No. 3499 - 3<sup>rd</sup> av - N.Y. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

J. J. Mahoney  
J. J. Mahoney

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**District Attorney's Office,**  
City and County of New York.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

of No. 66 2 East 138th Street, aged 55 years,  
occupation None being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the second day of January 1893 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

*Amelia Mahony*

The following described property was  
stolen from the possession of deponent, to wit:  
one diamond of the value of forty dollars.  
Deponent charges that the said property was  
stolen by one Katie Wetzel, for the reason  
that the said property was one of three stones  
set in a ring, owned by deponent. The said  
ring had prior to said date been placed by  
~~me~~ <sup>deponent</sup> upon a bureau, in a room in said  
premises. ~~Def~~ The said Katie Wetzel, who was  
in the employ of deponent as a servant, and the  
members of deponent's family were the only  
persons who had access to said room. On the  
fifth day of January, deponent upon exam-  
ining the said ring, discovered that the said  
diamond had been removed from the setting.  
I have been informed by one Henry Goetz, a  
jeweler, that upon the said second day of  
January, 1893, he purchased <sup>a diamond</sup> from the mother  
of said Katie Wetzel, deponent has since seen  
the said diamond, so purchased by the said  
Henry Goetz, and identifies it as the one  
stolen from deponent.

Sworn to before me }  
this 10th day of July, 1893 }  
*[Signature]*  
Clerk of Deeds  
City & Co. of N.Y.

*Amelia Mahony*

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,  
City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amelia Mahony

v.s.

Katie Metzger

Offence *Grand Larceny*  
*Second degree*

Dated *July 11th* 1893

Witnesses, *Henry Goeth*

No. *3477 3rd Ave* Street,

*off Carey*

No. *CO* Street,

*Bring Property*

No. Street,

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Katie Wetzel*

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

*Katie Wetzel*

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

The said *Katie Wetzel*

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

*one diamond of the value of forty dollars,*

*[Large handwritten flourish]*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Amelia Mahony*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Katie Wetzel*

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

The said

*Katie Wetzel*

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

*one diamond of the value of  
forty dollars*



of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Amelia Mahony*

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

*Amelia Mahony*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

*Katie Wetzel*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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Counsel,

Filed

19 day of July 1893

Pleads,

M. J. Kelly

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Katia Wetzel

( > cross )

Grand Larceny, Second Degree. [Sections 228, 229, Penna Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

*[Signature]*

A TRUE BILL.

*[Signature]*

P.V.

Foreman.

Entered 19 July 2/193  
Part 2 - Pleads Pleats Karceny  
(Entered on another indy)

Witnesses:

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK:

against

Katie Wetzel

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

Katie Wetzel

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

The said

Katie Wetzel,

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

one diamond earring of the value of one hundred and fifty one dollars and fifty cents

[Handwritten flourish]

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Amelia Mahony

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Katie Wetzel*

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

The said

*Katie Wetzel*

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

*one diamond earring of the value  
of one hundred and fifty - one  
dollars and fifty cents*

*[Handwritten flourish]*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Amelia Mahony*

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

*Amelia Mahony*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

*Katie Wetzel*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

Whitcomb, Lucy

**DATE:**

06/16/93



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Inslee, Charles

**DATE:**

06/16/93



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Witnesses:  
*Clementine Kuper*

Having tried the deft. Inslee, and  
thruly becoming acquainted with all  
the facts in the case, I am of  
opinion that in the articles herein  
were all taken at separate times  
a plea of guilty of deft. larceny  
would be sufficient and in view  
of the former character of deft.  
Whitcomb and that she was misdirected  
by counsel by deft. Inslee to whom she  
was engaged to be married I respectfully  
fully suggest that in my opinion  
the interests of justice would be  
fully met, should sentence be sus-  
pended.  
Jun 27. 93  
*T. S. S. S. S.*  
C.S.A.

Counsel,  
Filed *June 23* 1893

Plends, *June 19*  
THE PEOPLE

*Lucy Whitcomb*  
and  
*Charles Inslee*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.  
*Part 3, Sec 26, 1893*

*No 2. Trial bill acquittal*

A TRUE BILL.

*John E. Green*  
*June 19/93*  
*Freeman.*  
*Ab. J. Green*  
*June 19/93*

*Sentence suspended*  
*June 19/93*

Grand Larceny, Wilson's Degree, [Sections 228, 229, Penal Code.]

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Thomas J. Gilhooly*

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No.

*No 15<sup>th</sup> Street* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Alvin Karpis*

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

Sworn to before me, this *13*  
day of *Jan* 189*9*

*Thos J Gilhooly*

*Thos J. Brady*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

Alimantur Keyser  
of No. 34 West 43rd Street, aged 24 years,  
occupation Keep House being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 12 day of June 1893 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away  
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One Diamond Ring One Gold Chain  
and One Smoking Pipe together of  
the value of about fifty dollars  
\$ 50.00

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-  
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Lucy Whitehead and  
Charles Insler (both now here and acting in concert)  
from the fact that said Lucy was  
in the employ of deponent as domestic  
and on said date deponent missed  
the said property and caused the  
arrest of the said deponent Lucy by  
Officer Thomas J. Galloway of the 15<sup>th</sup> Precinct.  
Said Officer found incriminated on the person  
of said Lucy a smoking pipe which deponent stated  
is not part of the property stolen from the  
possession of deponent. Said Lucy informed  
Said Officer that she had given the said  
Chain and Ring to the said deponent  
Insler. Said Officer informs deponent that

Sworn to before me, this day  
of June 1893  
Police Justice.

he arrests the said defendant  
 Ansel and found on his person  
 a Gold Chain and also a small  
 ticket for a Diamond Ring. Depoener  
 has since seen the Chain found in  
 the possession of said Ansel as the property  
 has not been taken into custody

Wherefore Depoener asks that said  
 defendant may be dealt with  
 as the Law directs

Shown to be true } Clementine Keyser  
 13<sup>th</sup> Day of June 1893 }

Wm. H. Keyser  
 Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles Insler*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *650 East 13 Street 1 1/2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Conductor*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty the jewelry was given to me by Nancy Whitecomb as a present*

*Charles Insler*

Taken before me this

day of *June* 1915

*Wm. J. Hall*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Lucy Whitcomb*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23* Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

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

Answer. *34 West Anston Street 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Domestic*

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

Answer. *I am guilty*  
*Lucy Whitcomb*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, June 13 189 W. T. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Comptroller Kaper*  
*34 West Superior*  
*Lucy Whitcomb*  
*Charles Insler*  
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Offense *Armed*

BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

Dated, *June 13* 189

*Grady* Magistrate.

*Schroly* Officer.

*12* Precinct.

Witnesses .....

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ *500* to answer



*[Handwritten signature]*

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against  
Lucy Whitcomb  
and  
Charles Inslee

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
Lucy Whitcomb and Charles Inslee  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE second DEGREE, committed  
as follows:

The said Lucy Whitcomb and Charles Inslee, both

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

one finger ring of the value of  
thirty dollars, one chain of the  
value of twenty dollars, one  
cigar-holder of the value of five  
dollars, one cigarette holder of the  
value of five dollars, and one case of  
the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Clementine Keyser

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

~~Lucy Whitcomb~~ Charles Insole

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

The said

Charles Insole,

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

one finger ring of the value of thirty dollars and one chain of the value of twenty dollars one cigar holder of the value of five dollars, one cigarette holder of the value of five dollars and one case of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Clementine Keyser by one Lucy Whitcomb and other

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

Clementine Keyser

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Charles Insole

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

White, Timothy

**DATE:**

06/05/93



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Witness:

*P. Bray*

Counsel,

Filed

5<sup>th</sup> day of June

1893

Pleads,

*Myself*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Trinity White*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Part III, 22<sup>nd</sup> June

A TRUE BILL.

*Thos. S. Barron*

Foreman.

Just. S. June 23/93

Orid and ag. in the

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Police Court— 5<sup>th</sup> District.

213-2-1028

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

of No. 327 East 105<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 26 years,  
occupation Dricklayer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 6 day of May 1889 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Timothy White

(now here) who did wilfully  
hit him and discharged three  
barrels of a revolving pistol loaded  
with ball cartridges at the body  
of deponent one of the balls so  
discharged taking effect in deponent's  
neck wounding deponent severely  
and such assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 6 day }  
of May 1889 } Patrick Bray

[Signature] Police Justice.

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

*Timothy White*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Timothy White*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *212 East 102nd 18 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bartender*

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

Answer. *I Am Not Guilty*

*Timothy White*

Taken before me this *17th* day of *May* 1938  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.



\$1000. Ex. May 12/93 2.P.M.  
" - " May 17/93 2.P.M.  
by consent of both parties.

BAILED.  
No. 1, by Lu Roy Menette  
Residence 3560 Third Ave. Street.

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

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

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

The Magistrate  
presiding in my absence  
will hear and determine  
this case and take  
bail if necessary  
C. E. Semmes  
Police Justice

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Police Court, 5<sup>th</sup> District, 576

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Bray  
327 E. 105<sup>th</sup>  
vs.  
Timothy White

Offense Ed. Caldwell

Dated, May 8 1893

Sir James Magistrate.  
Jacob Bush Officer.

Surgeon Rottwell Precinct.  
Witness James

No. 327 E. 105<sup>th</sup> Street.  
Stratford Precinct.

No. 357 E. 105<sup>th</sup> Street.  
Stephen

No. 357 E. 105<sup>th</sup> Street.  
\$ 1000 to answer.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*James White*

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

*James White*

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

The said *James White*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the day of *11th* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *James White* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against the said *James White* a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *James White* in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge with intent *kill* the said *James White* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

*James White*

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

The said *James White*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *James White* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against the said *James White* a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *James White* in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully shoot off and discharge, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

526

**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

White, William

**DATE:**

06/27/93



4795

2897

Witnesses:  
Jordan Mahoney

Counsel,  
Filed, 27  
day of June 1893

Pleads,  
of

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

William White

~~Attorney  
Grand LARCENY, 2nd degree  
(False Pretenses)  
[Section 528, and 531, Pennl Code.]~~

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

John J. Garry  
Foreman.

June 27 1893

Flender Guely

S.P. 1 1/2 yrs.

0977

RETURN TO

*G. A. Smith*  
*155. Broadway*

*150*

Fees

*1.00*

FROM NATIONAL BROADWAY BANK,  
NEW YORK CITY.

*151 + 7*

0978

No. 649 Dansville, N.Y. June 1<sup>st</sup> 1893

The Merchants & Farmers National Bank.

Pay to the order of Purdy F. Case  
One hundred & fifty <sup>100</sup> Dollars.

\$150 <sup>th</sup>

DELAWARE BUFFALO, NY

A. J. Whitman  
Treas

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For Collection and Return Acct. of  
TRUST NATIONAL BANK,  
OF BUFFALO, N. Y.

N. ROSEN *RECEIVED*

Endorsement Guaranteed

*Luddy H. Rose*



*[Handwritten signature]*

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
STATE OF NEW YORK. } SS

**Be It Known**, That on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Ninety Three at the request of **The Merchants and Farmers National Bank of Dansville, N. Y.**, **D. O. BATTERSON**, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and sworn, dwelling in the village of Dansville, County of Livingston, State aforesaid, did present the original note, et cetera hereto attached, at **THE MERCHANTS AND FARMERS NATIONAL BANK OF DANSVILLE**,

where the same is payable, and demanded payment which was refused. **Whereupon**, I, the said Notary, at the request aforesaid, did Protest, and by these presents do publicly and solemnly protest, as well against the drawer, and endorser of the said note, et cetera as against all others whom it doth or may concern, for exchange, and all costs, charges or damages and interest, already incurred for want of payment of the same.

And I, the said Notary, do hereby certify, that on the day and year above written, I deposited in the Post-office of said village of Dansville, Notice for the foregoing PROTEST, partly written and partly printed, signed by me, folded in the form of letters, postage paid, and as follows, viz :

- Notice for A. Whitman, Mer. Directed to Del. Post. Mer.
- Notice for Geo. B. Stator, A.C. Directed to Ad. J. Ken. Cash.
- Notice for A. J. Hill Directed to New York City
- Notice for S. M. ... Directed to Buffalo N.Y.
- Notice for R. Rochester Directed to Buffalo N.Y.
- Notice for ... Directed to ...

Each of the above named places being the reputed place of residence of the person to whom the said notice was directed respectively, and the nearest post-office thereto.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto signed my name, and affixed my seal of office.  
D. O. Batterson Notary Public.

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GEORGE A. STANTON.

WM. L. VAN SINDEREN.

EDWARD E. HALL.

# George A. Stanton & Co.

7  
DICTATED BY E. E. H.

INSURANCE.  
155-157 BROADWAY,

TELEPHONE, 1713 CORTLANDT.

THE GARY LITHO. CO. N. Y.

New York, June 9th, 1893

Merchants & Farmers National Bank,  
Dansville,  
N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

We have this day received notice of protest on check of  
A. J. Whiteman, Treasurer, for \$150. endorsed by Purdy F. Case and de-  
posited by us in our Bank in this City ( The National Broadway Bank )

Kindly let us know the reason of this. We would like to  
know if Mr. Whiteman has an account in your Bank as treasurer and if  
he usually signs as treasurer. We will esteem it a favor if you  
will give us that information.

Very truly yours,

*Geo. A. Stanton & Co.*

*Gents.*

*Mr Whiteman does not have an account  
with this Bank as Treasurer nor has he had for  
more than one year. Hence his checks are protested.*

*Respectfully*

*J. D. Patterson*

*6/10/93*

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Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

Paras J. Case

of No. 155 Broadway Street, aged 31 years,  
occupation Insurance Inspector being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 1st day of Jan 1899 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away  
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One hundred and fifty dollars in  
good and lawful money of the  
United States \$ 150.

the property of Deponent,

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-  
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Alonso J. Whiteman  
not arrested. Defendant Came to deponent  
on said date and represented to deponent  
that he, defendant, had an account in  
the Merchants and Farmers National Bank  
of Saratoga, N.Y. and had presented to  
deponent for the purpose of getting the cash  
a certain check on the said bank signed  
by defendant, on said date, to the order  
of deponent for the said one hundred  
and fifty dollars; and, relying upon the  
said representation made by the  
defendant deponent gave the de-  
fendant the said money. Deponent  
forwarded the said check for collection and  
when the said check was returned  
unpaid, and protested for non payment

Sworn to before me, this

1899

day

Police Justice.

Defendant still insisted that the said check was good when he gave it, and defendant then pretended to become repentant by giving defendant another worthless check. Defendant asks that defendant be arrested and held to answer for the larceny of the said one hundred and fifty dollars.

sworn to before me this }  
13<sup>th</sup> day of June 1897 }  
Wm. H. Brady }  
Deputy Justice }

Luddy H. Case,

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

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

Dated, ..... 189 ..... Police Justice.

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

Dated, ..... 189 ..... Police Justice.

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

Dated, ..... 189 ..... Police Justice.

Bailed by  
 Louis H. Muller  
 15 King St  
 BAILED,  
 No. 1, by James O. [unclear]  
 Residence 657 Madison St. Street.  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court--- *or* District. *W. 939*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Purdy, Jr. Case*  
*155 vs. [unclear]*  
*Alroy J. Whitman*

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 Offense \_\_\_\_\_

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Magistrate.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Officer.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct.

Witnesses *Armitage & Doulin*  
*C. O.*  
*Sent for Cashier*  
*Danville Bank*  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

0986

TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

Please send me the Papers in the Case of

PEOPLE

Fredk<sup>vs.</sup> French  
(Indictment  
Dismissed  
on Aug 21/93

+ obly

G. Y. Battle

In D. June 1913  
District Attorney.

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Confidential.

110 Colony Street,

Meriden, Conn.,

July 7th, 1893.

District Attorney Nicoll,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

If your office is to prosecute Alonzo J. Whiteman for the passing of worthless checks, it is possible the writer of this letter could help you to an insight to the character of the man, and assist you in many ways.

Unfortunately my business will not permit of my going to New York for these many weeks, but I would be pleased to give any accredited representative of your office an interview, should you have one on business this way.

While I have written confidential at the top of this letter, I do not wish you to infer that I wish my identity to be kept from Mr. Whiteman, that is if you wish to disclose the fact that I have addressed you, to him, but the rather that it should be kept from the general public.

Yours, very truly,

*Naldo Almada*

0988

New York Sept. 10.

Hon. Silas W. Nicoll;  
Dist. Atty

Dear Sir:-

I am just in receipt of two letters from Dr Geo. E. Brewer, & Hon. Mark D. Wilber of Brooklyn. The former was my chum & classmate for four years in college, - the latter my particular friend who came to mine, & canvassed my district when I ran for Congress.

Dr Brewer writes, "I have just seen Mr Nicoll, the Dist. Atty. in your interest. He is a personal friend of mine. If it can be shown that the amount was promptly paid & that you had had an account in the bank, & that the party who made the complaint has no desire to press the charge, I think they will not press the affair."

This I can do at once, if you will give me the opportunity  
Mr Wilber writes: -  
"Very sorry to hear of your

trouble + sorry I am not there  
to help you.

Send word to Dist. Atty Wickell  
who you are, + tell him you are  
a friend of mine. I know him  
well, + he is a very fair  
man. I suggest that you request  
him to grant you a personal  
interview, + if the facts are as  
stated in your letter, (of which  
I have no doubt) + you have the  
proofs to back up your statement  
I do not believe he will endeavor  
to have you indicted. If he thinks  
an injustice has been done, he  
will not put you to the trouble  
of getting bail" . . . . .

Following these suggestions, I pre-  
sume to request you to grant me  
five minutes personal interview, at  
your earliest convenience.

Judge Hogan held me in \$1,000  
bail for the Grand Jury, + I was <sup>brought</sup> ~~sent~~  
to the Tomb on Friday. I have had  
no hearing + was not represented.

by counsel. I am accused of giving a check for \$150. on the N. & N. Nat. Bank of Danville N.Y. where I had no funds, in May last.

I organized that bank, & was a director in it, & kept a large bal there, but had no funds on deposit at the time check was presented. Check was given to Hotel Bartholdi in payment of board bill, & some cash. I have seen Mr. Schmitzen, who made the complaint. He has been paid in full with costs & int. & does not wish to have me indicted. I can explain everything to your satisfaction, if you will only grant me a personal interview.

I am 32 yrs old & reside in Duluth, Minn. Have served 4 years in the State Senate, 2 yrs in lower house. Was member of State Committee & Delegate to the Convention that nominated Cleveland for Pres. Was reg. Dem candidate for Congress at expiration of my 4 yrs in Senate, & was

defeated by Warner the candidate

my friends in Danville N.Y. have sent me an indemnity bond for \$1000. I find it will cost me \$100. to get bonds man. I wish to save this if I can. The indemn. bond is signed by the <sup>Justice of the Peace</sup> J. W. ~~Warner~~ <sup>Warner</sup> Atty. of Livingston Co. <sup>Ex-member of Assembly,</sup> Chairman of Dem. Co. Com., the Cash. of Bank on which check was drawn - by ten of the leading Democrats of Danville N.Y. - where I was born, & lived for 20 yrs. I have few friends in N.Y. & am seldom here. I am a member of the Reform Club thro' the courtesy of my friends Geo. DeWitt Warner, & Mark A. Wilber. For their sakes <sup>and</sup> grant me a few moments to ~~say~~ <sup>morning</sup> ~~for~~ a personal interview. Very Respectfully  
A. J. White

State of New York, s.s.  
Rising Sun County

D. O. Batterson being duly sworn deposes and says, that he resides at Danville, N.Y. and is the Cashier of the Merchants & Farmers National Bank of said place. That he is acquainted with one A. J. Whitman, who formerly resided at Delhi, N.Y. Said Whitman had at all times an acct with said Bank, in the name of "A. J. Whitman, Treas." Said after such acct had closed, said Whitman at various times deposited with said Bank divers sums of money for the payment of checks drawn upon said Bank in the capacity of A. J. Whitman Treas.

Subscribed & sworn to 3  
before me Sept. 19/93 3  
J. H. Rowe  
Notary Public. D. O. Batterson

The People, &c.

vs.

Alonzo J. Whiteman.

*Frederick B. Hunt* I hereby deputize, authorize and appoint  
in my place and stead, to apprehend  
and surrender the above-named defendant, Alonzo J. Whiteman,  
in my exoneration as bail, upon an undertaking, of which  
the within is a certified copy.

Dated, N. Y., September 9<sup>th</sup> 1893.

*James Stewart*

The People, &c.

vs.

Alonzo J. Whiteman.

*Frederick B. Hunt* I hereby depute, authorize and appoint  
in my place and stead, to apprehend  
and surrender the above-named defendant, Alonzo J. Whiteman,  
in my exoneration as bail, upon an undertaking, of which  
the within is a certified copy.

Dated, N. Y., September 9<sup>th</sup> 1893.

*James Stewart*

Judge F Case of number 155 Broadway  
 this city being duly sworn deposes  
 and says - That on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1893  
 he made complaint against J Whitman  
 charging said Whitman with having  
 passed a worthless check on  
 deponent. That said Whitman was  
 subsequently arrested and held to answer.  
 Deponent has since ascertained that  
 said Whitman did have an account  
 in the bank in which said check was  
 drawn but that he inadvertently had  
 overdrawn his account. Deponent further  
 says that he is now convinced that  
 said Whitman did not intend to  
 commit a crime when he gave deponent  
 said check that it was more in the  
 nature of an error than by design.  
 Wherefore deponent prays that he be  
 permitted to withdraw said complaint  
 and that the defendant be discharged

Judge F Case

Sworn to before me this }  
 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 1893 }  
 J. M. Maguire

Clerk of Court  
 N.Y. Co.

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Form No. 1.

**THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.**

**21,000 OFFICES IN AMERICA. INCORPORATED CABLE SERVICE TO ALL THE WORLD.**

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This is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE, and is delivered by request of the sender, under the conditions named above.  
THOS. T. ECHELT, President and General Manager.

NUMBER NR 1188a SENT BY W. H. P. RECEIVED BY W. H. P. CHECK 2x 683

RECEIVED IN THE WESTERN UNION BUILDING, 195 Broadway, N. Y. Nov 9 1893

Dated Chester N.Y. 9

To Mr. District Attorney Nicoll  
New York

Telegraph me when the trial  
of Alonzo J. Whiteman comes  
up answer

J. O. Cleary  
Supt of Police

# **CORRECTION**

0998

**BOX:**

526

**FOLDER:**

4795

**DESCRIPTION:**

White, William

**DATE:**

06/27/93



4795

0999

289

Witnesses:

Sheldon Mahoney

Counsel.

Filed, 27 day of June 1893

Pleads.

308  
10x60

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William White

Attempted  
Grand LARCENY, 2nd degree  
(False Pretenses)  
[Section 528, and 531, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm S. Murray  
Foreman.

Pleads Guilty  
S. P. 1 1/2 yrs.

1000

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

Sheridan Mahony  
of No. 143 Eighth Street, aged 30 years,  
occupation Basket Manufacturer being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 19 day of June 1897 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away  
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz.

an attempt was made to take  
away feloniously from deponent  
a quantity of baskets of the  
value of forty dollars

\$ 40

Patrick Mahony  
the property of deponent's father and in  
deponent's care

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said attempt  
made William White  
ously taken, stolen and carried away by

(now here) Deponent came to the  
store 143 Eighth Street on said  
date and pretended that he was  
authorized to order said goods on  
behalf of the firm of Clark & Co in  
Baird's street. Deponent recognized  
deponent as a man who had once  
before fraudulently procured the  
said class of goods on a fraudulent  
order, and deponent now charges  
deponent with the intent to  
procure the aforesaid goods without  
authority from said Clark & Co, for  
his own use, and to defraud the owners  
of said goods of the value thereof Sheridan Mahony

Sworn to before me, this 19 day

of June 1897

John B. ... Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William White*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *104 Allen Street. 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*  
*William White*

Taken before me this *17th* day of *March* 18*93*  
*John R. Williams*  
Police Justice.

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

*William White*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Three* (500) Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, *June 29* 1893

*John Pellonichis* Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189

Police Justice.

Police Court--- 2 District. 676

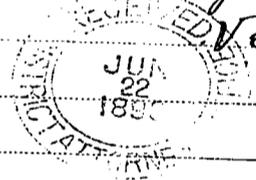
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Mrs. M. M. Nelson*  
*143 1/2 St.*  
*Wm. White*

Offense *Arrest of*  
*Grand Jurors*

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated *June 19* 189 *3*  
*Voorhis* Magistrate.  
*Flanagan* Officer.  
*17* Precinct.

Witnesses *Clark & Taylor*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.



No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ *500* to answer *925*

*[Signature]*

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

William White

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

William White

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

The said William White,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the nineteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent to deprive and defraud one Patricia Mahoney.

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter mentioned, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use, did then and there feloniously, fraudulently and falsely pretend and represent to the said

Patricia Mahoney.

That the said William White had been sent to the said Patricia Mahoney, by the firm of Clark and Taylor of Vesey Street in said City, and there to obtain from the said Patricia Mahoney, a certain quantity of baskets, for and on account of the said firm, and to be charged to them, and that he was then and there authorized by the said firm to receive

for and on their behalf, the said  
products, from the said Patrick  
Mahoney.

By color and by aid of which said false and fraudulent pretenses and representations, the said

*William White*

did then and there feloniously and fraudulently <sup>attempt to</sup> obtain from the possession of the said

*Patrick Mahoney* a quantity of  
products of the value of  
Twenty dollars,

of the ~~proper moneys~~ goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*Patrick Mahoney*

with intent to deprive and defraud the said *Patrick Mahoney*

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use.

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *William White*  
had not been sent to the said *Patrick Mahoney*  
by the said firm then and there to obtain from the said *Patrick Mahoney*  
the said products for and on account of the said firm, or to

be charged to them, and he was not  
then and there authorized by the said  
Jury to receive for and on their  
behalf the said baskets, from the  
said Patrick Mahoney.

*[Large handwritten flourish or signature]*

**And Whereas**, in truth and in fact, the pretenses and representations so made as afore-  
said by the said *William White* —  
to the said *Patrick Mahoney* — was and were  
then and there in all respects utterly false and untrue, as *he* the said  
*William White* —  
at the time of making the same then and there well knew;

**And so the Grand Jury Aforesaid**, do say that the said  
*William White* —  
in the manner and form aforesaid and by the means aforesaid, the said proper moneys, goods,  
chattels and personal property of the said *Patrick Mahoney* —  
then and there feloniously did <sup>attempt to</sup> STEAL, against the form of the statute in such case made and pro-  
vided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Whiteman, Alonzo J.

**DATE:**

06/27/93



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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

Bail fixed by  
Consent at \$1500  
July 10/93 RBC

Witnesses:  
Mrdy P. Case

This indictment was found  
upon the ground that the  
defendant had passed  
a worthless check upon  
by the effect of the  
cashier of the bank where  
the check was drawn the  
said bank account and  
altho' it was closed, the  
revelation being made  
the defendant was not  
accepted, and the check  
was however, in view of  
these facts, and inasmuch  
as the cashier and him  
self saw the check and  
believe that the defendant  
had any criminal intent  
and asks to have the charge  
withdrawn, it is not believe  
a conviction could be had,  
and recommends that the  
defendant be discharged  
on his own recognizance

DeLancey Nicoll  
District Attorney  
Nov 15/93

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Counsel,  
Filed, 27th day of June 1893  
Pleads, Not Guilty July 10

THE PEOPLE

vs.  
Alonzo J. Whiteman

put down  
Credit July 10/93  
DE LANCEY NICOLL,

Dist. Atty. District  
own Recog on me  
of Dist Atty. Ca. June  
16 1903 - F.S.

A TRUE BILL.

Henry S. Brown  
Foreman.

Part III Sept 11/93 - Not tried  
Sent for Cashier Dan...  
The Merchant & Farmer Bank  
Put down Part III - Sept 14/93

LARCENY, 2nd Degree  
(False Pretenses)  
[Section 528, and 531, Penal Code.]

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

Bail fixed by  
Consent at \$1500  
July 12/93 RBC

Witnesses:

Andy P. Case

This indictment was found upon the ground that the defendant had favored a certain check drawn by the affiant of the cashier of the bank in which the check was drawn but did have an account and altho' it was closed, he nevertheless drew and accepted and the drafts were honored, in view of these facts, and inasmuch as the complainant himself says he does not believe that the defendant had any criminal intent and asks to have the charge withdrawn, I do not believe a conviction could be had, and recommend that the defendant be discharged on his own recognizance

Lancey Nicoll

Notary District Attorney

Counsel,

Filed, 21 day of June 1893

Pleads, *Guilty* July 15

THE PEOPLE

*B* vs. *W.A.*  
Alongo J. Whiteman

put down July 12/93  
Cred. July 12/93

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

Dist. Atty. District of Columbia  
own Recog on memo  
of Dist Atty on memo  
July 16 193 - F.D.

A TRUE BILL.

*Henry S. ...*  
Foreman.

Part II ...  
The Merchant's ...  
Put down ... - Sept 11/93

LANCEY, Z...  
(False Pretenses,  
Section 538, and 539, Penal Code.)

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RETURN TO

*J. P. [unclear]*  
*155 Broadway*

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Fees

*1.45*

FROM NATIONAL BROADWAY BANK,  
NEW YORK CITY.

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No. 649

Dansville, N.Y. June 1<sup>st</sup> 1893

The Merchants & Farmers National Bank.

Pay to the order of Purdy H. Case

One hundred & fifty <sup>100</sup> Dollars.

\$150 #

WELLS & CO. BUFFALO, N.Y.

A. J. Whitman  
Treas

For Collection and Return Acct. of  
TRIMM NATIONAL BANK,  
OF BUFFALO, N. Y.

N. ROSENBERG

Endorsement Guaranteed

*Luddy H. Rose*



*[Handwritten signature]*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
STATE OF NEW YORK. } ss

**Be It Known**, That on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Ninety Three at the request of **The Merchants and Farmers National Bank of Dansville, N. Y.** A. D. O. BATTERSON, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and sworn, dwelling in the village of Dansville, County of Livingston, State aforesaid, did present the original note, et c. hereto attached, at **THE MERCHANTS AND FARMERS NATIONAL BANK OF DANSVILLE**,

where the same is payable, and demanded payment which was refused.  
**Whereupon**, I, the said Notary, at the request aforesaid, did Protest, and by these presents do publicly and solemnly protest, as well against the drawer, and endorser of the said note, as against all others whom it doth or may concern, for exchange, and all costs, charges or damages and interest, already incurred for want of payment of the same.

And I, the said Notary, do hereby certify, that on the day and year above written, I deposited in the Post-office of said village of Dansville, Notice for the foregoing PROTEST, partly written and partly printed, signed by me, folded in the form of letters, postage paid, and as follows, viz :

- Notice for A. Whitman, Esq. Directed to Delant, Meun.
- Notice for George F. Case Directed to .....
- Notice for Geo. B. Stanton, A. C. Directed to .....
- Notice for ..... Directed to ..... New York City
- Notice for ..... Directed to .....
- Notice for ..... Directed to .....
- Notice for ..... Directed to ..... Buffalo N.Y.

Each of the above named places being the reputed place of residence of the person to whom the said notice was directed respectively, and the nearest post-office thereto.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto signed my name, and affixed my seal of office.  
A. D. O. Batterson Notary Public.

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GEORGE A. STANTON.

WM. L. VAN SINDEREN.

EDWARD E. HALL.

# George A. Stanton & Co.

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DICTATED BY E. E. H.

INSURANCE.  
155-157 BROADWAY,

TELEPHONE, 1713 CORTLANDT.

New York, June 9th, 1893

Merchants & Farmers National Bank,  
Dansville,  
N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

We have this day received notice of protest on check of  
A. J. Whiteman, Treasurer, for \$150. endorsed by Purdy F. Case and de-  
posited by us in our Bank in this City ( The National Broadway Bank)

Kindly let us know the reason of this. We would like to  
know if Mr. Whiteman has an account in your Bank as treasurer and if  
he usually signs as treasurer. We will esteem it a favor if you  
will give us that information.

Very truly yours,

*Geo. A. Stanton & Co.*

*Gents.*

*Mr Whiteman does not have an account  
with this Bank as Treasurer nor has he had for  
more than one year. Hence his checks are protested.*

*Respectfully*

*J. D. Patterson Cash*

*6/10/93*

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

Paray J. Case

of No. 155 Broadway Street, aged 31 years,  
occupation Insurance Inspector being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 1st day of Jan 1899 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away  
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One hundred and fifty dollars in  
good and lawful money of the  
United States \$ 150.

the property of Deponent,

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-  
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Alonso J. Whiteman  
not arrested. Defendant Came to deponent  
on said date and represented to deponent  
that he, defendant, had an account in  
the Merchants and Farmers National Bank  
of Danville, N.Y. and had presented to  
deponent for the purpose of getting the cash  
a certain check on the said bank signed  
by defendant, on said date, to the order  
of deponent for the said one hundred  
and fifty dollars; and, relying upon the  
said representation made by the  
defendant deponent gave the de-  
pendant the said money. Deponent  
forwarded the said check for collection and  
when the said check was returned  
unpaid, and protested for non payment

Sworn to before me, this

of

day

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Police Justice.

Defendant still insisted that the said check was good when he gave it, and defendant then pretended to secure a deposit by giving defendant another worthless check. Defendant asks that defendant be arrested and held to answer for the larceny of the said one hundred and fifty dollars.

shown to be true on the  
13th day of June 1887  
J. H. Brady  
Deputy Justice

Judge Case

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

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

Dated, ..... 189 ..... Police Justice.

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

Dated, ..... 189 ..... Police Justice.

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

Dated, ..... 189 ..... Police Justice.

Police Court--- *or* District. *W. 239*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Purdy J. Case*  
*155<sup>th</sup> St. Brooklyn*  
*Alroy J. Whitman*

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Offense

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189  
\_\_\_\_\_ Magistrate.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Officer.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Precinct.

Witnesses *Armstrong & Dooling*  
*C. O.*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

*Sent for Cashier*  
No. *Danville Bart* Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_

*Rebilled by*  
*Louis H. Muller*  
*15 Kings St*

BAILED,  
No. 1, by *James O. [unclear]*  
Residence *657 Madison Av* Street.

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

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

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

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TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

Please send me the Papers in the Case of

PEOPLE

Fredk<sup>vs.</sup> French  
(Indictment  
Dismissed  
on Aug 21/93

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G. G. Battle

Ind June 193  
District Attorney.

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Confidential.

110 Colony Street,  
Meriden, Conn.,

July 7th, 1893.

District Attorney Nicoll,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

If your office is to prosecute Alonzo J. Whiteman for the passing of worthless checks, it is possible the writer of this letter could help you to an insight to the character of the man, and assist you in many ways.

Unfortunately my business will not permit of my going to New York for these many weeks, but I would be pleased to give any accredited representative of your office an interview, should you have one on business this way.

While I have written confidential at the top of this letter, I do not wish you to infer that I wish my identity to be kept from Mr. Whiteman, that is if you wish to disclose the fact that I have addressed you, to him, but the rather that it should be kept from the general public.

Yours, very truly,

*Waldo Atwater*

New York Sept. 1877

Hon. Delancey Nicoll;  
Dist. Atty

Dear Sir:-

I am just in receipt of two letters from Dr Geo. E. Brewer, + Hon. Mark D. Wilber of Brooklyn. The former was my chum + classmate for four years in college, - the latter my particular friend who came to mine, + canvassed my district when I ran for Congress.

Dr Brewer writes, ..... "I have just seen Mr Nicoll, the Dist. Atty. in your interest. He is a personal friend of mine. If it can be shown that the amount was promptly paid + that you had had an account in the bank, + that the party who made the complaint has no desire to press the charge, I think they will not press the affair" ..... &c

This I can do at once, if you will give me the opportunity  
Mr Wilber writes: - "....."

"Very sorry to hear of your

trouble & sorry I am not there  
to help you.

Send word to Dist. Atty Nicoll  
who you are, & tell him you are  
a friend of mine. I know him  
well, & he is a very fair  
man. I suggest that you request  
him to grant you a personal  
interview, & if the facts are as  
stated in your letter, (of which  
I have no doubt) & you have the  
proofs to back up your statement  
I do not believe he will endeavor  
to have you indicted. If he thinks  
an injustice has been done, he  
will not put you to the trouble  
of getting bail" . . . . .

Following these suggestions, I pre-  
sume to request you to grant me  
five minutes personal interview, at  
your earliest convenience.

Judge Hogan held me in \$1,000  
bail for the Grand Jury, & I was <sup>brought</sup> taken  
to the Tombs Friday. I have had  
no hearing & was not represented.

by counsel. I am accused of giving a check for \$150. on the N. & T. Nat. Bank of Danville N.Y. where I had no funds, in May last, & organized that bank, & was a director in it, & kept a large bal there, but had no funds on deposit at the time check was presented. Check was given to Hotel Bartholdi in payment of board bill, & some cash. I have seen Mr. Schmitzen, who made the complaint. He has been paid in full with costs & int. & does not wish to have me indicted. I can explain everything to your satisfaction, if you will only grant me a personal interview.

I am 32 yrs old & reside in Duluth, Minn. Have served 4 years in the State Senate, 2 yrs in lower house. Was member of State Committee & Delegate to the Convention that nominated Cleveland for Pres. Was reg. Dem candidate for Congress at expiration of my 4 yrs in Senate, & was

defeated by ~~Harmon~~ the candidate

my friends in Danville N.Y. have sent me an indemnity bond for \$100. I find it will cost me \$100. to ~~get~~ bonds man. I wish to save this if I can.

The indemn. bond is signed by the ~~present~~ <sup>present</sup> Dist Atty. of Livingston Co. ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~former~~ <sup>former</sup> Ex-member of Assembly, Chairman of Dem. Co. Com., the Cash. of Bank on which check was drawn - by ten of the leading Democrats of Danville N.Y. - where I was born, & lived for 20 yrs.

I have few friends in N.Y. & am seldom here. I am a member of the Reform Club thro' the courtesy of my friends Geo. DeWitt Warner, & Mark A. Wilber.

For their sake <sup>responsibly</sup> grant me a few moments to ~~say~~ <sup>morning</sup> ~~for~~ a personal interview. Very Respectfully  
A. J. Whitehead

State of New York. & S.S.  
Risingham County

D.O. Patterson being duly sworn deposes and says, that he resides at Danville, N.Y. and is the Cashier of the Merchants & Farmers National Bank of said place. That he is acquainted with one A. J. Whitman, who formerly resided at Duluth, Minn. Said Whitman had at all times an acct with said Bank, in the name of "A. J. Whitman, Treas." and after such acct had closed, said Whitman at various times deposited with said Bank divers sums of money for the payment of checks drawn upon said Bank in the capacity of A. J. Whitman Treas.

Subscribed & sworn to before me Sept. 19/93

J. H. Rowe

Notary Public. *D. O. Patterson*

The People, &c.

vs.

Alonzo J. Whiteman.

*Fredrick B. Hunt* I hereby deputize, authorize and appoint  
in my place and stead, to apprehend  
and surrender the above-named defendant, Alonzo J. Whiteman,  
in my exoneration as bail, upon an undertaking, of which  
the within is a certified copy.

Dated, N. Y., September 9<sup>th</sup> 1893.

*James T. Hunt*

Purdy & Case of number 155 Broadway  
 this city being duly sworn deposes  
 and says - That on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1873  
 he made complaint against J. Whitman  
 charging said Whitman with having  
 passed a worthless check on  
 deponent. That said Whitman was  
 subsequently arrested and held to answer.  
 Deponent has since ascertained that  
 said Whitman did have an account  
 in the bank in which said check was  
 drawn but that he inadvertently had  
 overdrawn his account. Deponent further  
 says that he is now convinced that  
 said Whitman did not intend to  
 commit a crime when he gave deponent  
 said check that it was more in the  
 nature of an error than by design.  
 Wherefore deponent prays that he be  
 permitted to withdraw said complaint  
 and that the defendant be discharged.

Purdy & Case

Sworn to before me this }  
 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1873 }

J. A. Maguire

Clerk of Court

M. G. Case

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Form No. 1

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THOS. T. ECKERT, President and General Manager.

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RECEIVED AT THE WESTERN UNION BUILDING 100 Broadway, N. Y. Nov 9 1893

Dated Chester N.Y.

To Mr. Mitchell Attorney New York

Telegraph me when the trial  
of Alonzo J. Whiteman comes  
up answer  
J. O. Cleary  
Supt of Police

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Alonzo J. Whiteman*

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

*Alonzo J. Whiteman*

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

The said *Alonzo J. Whiteman*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent to deprive and defraud *one Purdy T. Rose*

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter mentioned, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to *his* own use, did then and there feloniously, fraudulently and falsely pretend and represent to *the said*

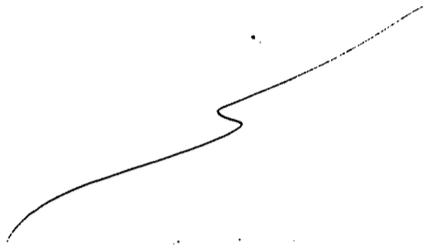
*Purdy T. Rose,*

That a certain paper written in the words and figures following, to wit:

*no. 649 Danville, N. C. June 12 1893*  
*The Merchants & Farmers National Bank,*  
*Pay to the order of Purdy T. Rose*  
*One Hundred & Fifty Dollars.*  
*\$150 # A. J. Whiteman*  
*cash.*

which the said *Alonzo J. Whiteman* then and there produced and delivered to the

said Purdy T. Rose, was then and there a good and valid order for the payment of money, and of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars.



By color and by aid of which said false and fraudulent pretenses and representations, the said

*Alonzo J. Whitman*

did then and there feloniously and fraudulently obtain from the possession of the said

Purdy T. Rose, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars,



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

*Purdy T. Rose*

with intent to deprive and defraud the said

*Purdy T. Rose*

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use.

**Whereas,** in truth and in fact, the said paper writing which is the said *Alonzo J. Whitman* so as aforesaid, then and there produced and delivered to the said Purdy T. Rose was not then and there a good and valid

order for the payment of money, and was not of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, or of any value, but was then and there wholly worthless.

*[Large handwritten flourish or scribble]*

**And Whereas,** in truth and in fact, the pretenses and representations so made as aforesaid by the said Alonso J. Whitman to the said Purdy X. Case was and were then and there in all respects utterly false and untrue, as he the said Alonso J. Whitman at the time of making the same then and there well knew;

**And so the Grand Jury Aforesaid,** do say that the said Alonso J. Whitman in the manner and form aforesaid and by the means aforesaid, the said proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said Purdy X. Case, then and there feloniously did STEAL, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Williams, Theodore W.

**DATE:**

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Witnesses:

*Mary Ann B. Roberts*

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Counsel,  
Filed  
1893

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*F*

*Theodore W. Williams*

Grand Larceny, second Degree,  
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code.]

*Wm. W. ...*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Chas. J. ...*

Foreman.

*Sept 19 93*

*Thos. J. ...*

*S.P. 4 years*

Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:  
Margaret Bechtluft  
of No. 512 Hudson Street, aged 58 years,  
occupation Housewife being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 16 day of January 1893 at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away  
from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

Two diamond rings of the value of  
Eighty dollars

the property of Lizzie Bechtluft deponent's  
daughter

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-  
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Theodore W. Williams

(represent.) Deponent says that she saw said  
defendant have his hand on a jewelry  
box which said property was contained in  
and the same was in a bureau drawer  
on the second floor of a private premises.  
Deponent says that said defendant  
on deponent's approach informed her that  
he found the drawer open, and she  
then and there closed the same and went in an  
adjourning room. Deponent returned and defendant  
had left leaving marks and tools  
behind. Deponent became suspicious and  
examined the jewelry box and immediately

Sworn to before me this  
of \_\_\_\_\_ day  
1893  
Police Justice.

possessed the above described property  
 Dependent says that said property was  
 in said Box, previous to said defendant  
 coming in said room and he was  
 the only person in said room from the  
 time she saw said property until she  
 moved the same, and he charges her  
 with taking the same

Given to before me W. P. Hoffmann - Sheriff  
 this 25 day of May 1893  
 John McQuinn's Police Justice

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City and County of New York, Es:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Theodore W. Williams*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *49 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *601 Washington Street 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *House Carpenter*

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

Answer. *I am guilty*

*Theodore W. Williams*

Taken before me this

day of

*May*

*25*

*1893*

*John W. ...*

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, May 25 1893 John P. Wood Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 District. 586

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Margaret Bechteluff  
572 W. Harvard  
Theodore W. Williams

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4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offense \_\_\_\_\_

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated, May 25 1893

Wentley Magistrate.

Broderick + Brennan Officer.

19 Precinct.

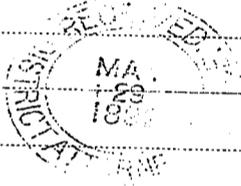
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ 1000 to answer G.S.



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OFFICE OF  
PRINCIPAL KEEPER,  
CLINTON PRISON.

filed June 1/93

Dannemora, N. Y. March 15 1898

Hon Rufus B. Loring Justice  
Court of General Sessions Part 2.  
New York

Sir

On the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May 1893. I was sentenced by you to two and a half years imprisonment, and your honor remarked at that time that after the expiration of my term I would also have to do the unexpired (18 months) of a former sentence on which I was pardoned by Governor Tilden in 1872.

The only former sentence upon which I was ever was imprisoned was in 1885 for three years, and I served the whole term; two years and four months in Sing Sing. My present commitment to Clinton states that your Honor sentenced me to four years imprisonment instead of two and one half years and the prison authorities intend to oblige me to serve a longer unexpired term

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CLINTON PRISON.

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on your sentence of 1893 unless I succeed in interesting you sufficiently to place them right. I was never pardoned, and there is no unexpired time on a former sentence on which I can be longer detained as I had been out of prison after my first term longer than the commutation allowed by law for good behavior.

Even if this were not so, is it not a fact if I was pardoned as you supposed when you sentenced me, that a pardon restores a prisoner to the position he occupied before conviction and has it not been decided by the <sup>U.S.</sup> Supreme Court that a man convicted of a crime after once having been in prison can not be compelled to do the balance of the term for which he was first sentenced if pardoned.

I wrote to Mr Asa B. Gardner District Attorney and received a reply in which

He advises me to write you as his office could not interfere with the alleged mistake.

If your Honor will do me the favor to investigate my case you will find that I am stating facts. Perhaps your Honor will remember your words in pronouncing sentence. You said "Williams in consideration of your taking a plea of guilty and of the circumstances of your case, I will let you off with a light sentence". You then said, "The sentence of the court is that you be confined in State prison for the term of two and a half years, after which you will have to do the unexpired time of eighteen months of your former term on which you were pardoned by Governor Tilden in 1872." (As I have said I was never pardoned, and Governor Tilden was not governor until 1874). My commitment

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should read: sentenced to two and a half years instead of four years in 1893.

By giving this matter a few minutes of your valuable time you will not only confer a favor for which I can not find words to express my thankful appreciation, but you will at the same time do for me and my family who need my assistance so sadly an act of simple justice.

Very respectfully

Theodore W. Williams No. 3828



Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Theodore W. Williams

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

Theodore W. Williams

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

The said Theodore W. Williams

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

two finger rings of the value of forty dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Lizzie Bechtluft

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

De Lancey Nicoll, District Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Williamson, William

**DATE:**

06/07/93



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Witnesses:

Michael Healin  
Off Bennett - 67

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Counsel,  
Filed  
Pleads,  
day of June 1933  
Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.  
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William Williamson

Robbery, (Sections 224 and 229, Penal Code.)  
Second Degree.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray D. Ferris  
Foreman.

Part 3 June 12/93 -  
Jury and convicted  
at St. Louis, Mo. 12 day  
S.P. 6 1933  
R.M.

Police Court— / District.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

Michael Heslien

of No. 802-6<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Street, aged 32 years.

occupation Stableman

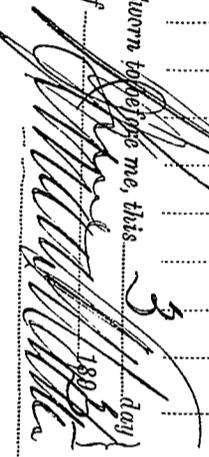
being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 2 day of June 1893 at the 6

Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money  
of the United States amounting to  
about thirty five dollars

Sworn to before me, this  
of 1893  
day



Police Justice.

of the value of \_\_\_\_\_ DOLLARS,

the property of Deponent

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

William Williamson (now here)  
for the following reasons - on said date  
deponent was on Park Row and he had  
said sum of money in the left hand pocket  
of the pants that he then wore - The defendant  
struck him on the eye with his clenched  
hand and knocked him down and while  
he was down the defendant put his hand  
in deponents pocket and took the said sum  
of money ~~from~~ therefrom - and ran away  
with it - deponent fully identifies  
the defendant as the person who  
struck him and robbed him as above stated

Michael Heslien

City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*William Williamson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Brooklyn*

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

Answer.

*25 Bowery - 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*William Williamson*

Taken before the Hon. Mag. of the City of New York

*James J. [Signature]*  
1893  
Police Justice.

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

*Defendant*

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

Dated, *June 3* 1893 *Richard W. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- / District. 618

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Michael Heslien*  
*House of Detention*  
*William Williamson*

Offense *Robbery*

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3 HOUSE OF DETENTION CASE  
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Dated, *June 3* 189 *3*  
*W. Martin* Magistrate.  
*Bennett* Officer.  
*6* Precinct.

Witnesses  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ *1000* to answer *G.S.*  
*Committed*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

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 The People of the State of New York, :  
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 against : Before  
 : Randolph E. Martine,  
 : and a jury.  
 William Williams *vs* :  
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Indictment filed June 7, 1893.

Indicted for robbery in the second degree.

New York, June 12, 1893.

A P P E A R A N C E S:

For the People, Asst. Dist. Atty. E. S. Weeks;

For the Defendant, Mr. Jacob Berlinger.

MICHAEL HESLIN, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a stableman working at the St. James stable in 45th. Street between Sixth Avenue and Broadway. On the second day of June I had \$39 which I had earned. I started out on Friday morning at about a quarter past seven o'clock. I saw this defendant about half past seven at night. I was going into a cigar store. One man asked me for a chew of tobacco. I says:; "I am going in for a paper of tobacco and I will give you a chew when I come out." Just as I came out <sup>and</sup> handed the paper of tobacco to the man this fellow Williamson came forward and smashed me in the eye and called me a very bad name. The blood came right out of my face. I saw him crossing the street coming towards me. I made a motion to defend myself. I was then on the street. The defendant got on top of me; put his hand down in my pocket and took my

money. This was on the corner of Park Row and Mulberry Street. I am a stranger around there. I tried to hold his hand, but he got the best of me. He raised up and he ran away. I am certain I had my money in the pocket into which he put his hand. After he went away I put my hand in my pocket and I found that I had but twenty-two cents on me. I lost track of the defendant. He walked right off at first and then ran and I lost track of him. A gentleman near me told me that that was a case of highway robbery. I had a conversation with the gentleman there who called me back. In about fifteen minutes I saw a policeman and told him what happened. I described the man who struck me. I afterwards saw this defendant in the Station House and I positively identified him as the man who knocked me down, struck me, put his hand in my pocket and took my money.

Cross-examination:

The last place I worked before coming to New York was in Summit, New Jersey. In New York I worked at the St. James stables West 45th. Street. I had only been working there for three days at the time of this occurrence. The money that I had on my person was money which I had earned in New Jersey. On that evening I came down to the Bowery and struck into Spring Street. This happened as I came out of a cigar store at Mulberry Street and Park Row. I had been out all day and I had several drinks. I was not so drunk but that I knew what was taking place. I did not treat people in the saloons I went into on that day. I met a woman in one

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saloon and we had two ales together. I was in her company for quite some time, but I had my money in my pocket after I left her. I was in a private box in one of these saloons with this woman for some time. She did not take my money. I am positive in my identification of the defendant. I saw him crossing the street and come right up to me and strike me in the face. The following morning at the Tombs Police Court the defendant said that he and I got into a fight, that I struck him and he struck me. That is not true. I do not remember the names of any of the places I was in on the Bowery. I spent money while I was in the company of the woman but I did not give her any money. I am certain that I had the money after I left her.

MARTIN ERNETT, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer attached to the 6th. Precinct. On the night of the second of June I was on duty at Park Row, corner of Mulberry Street. The complainant came to me and told me of this occurrence. He gave me a description of the man. I immediately started out and arrested the defendant. I told him he would have to come to the Station House with me. I asked him if he had been concerned in a fight that had taken place on the street and he denied all knowledge of it. I asked him where he worked and he said he had not worked any for three months. I asked him where he had worked three months ago and he said he had attended bar. When I

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brought him into the presence of the complainant the complainant positively identified him as the party who robbed him. In the Police Court the defendant said he asked the complainant for a chew of tobacco and that the complainant struck him and he struck back.

## DEFENSE.

WILLIAM WILLIAMSON, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I met the complainant Heslon in Mulberry St. on the day of my arrest. I asked him for a chew of tobacco as he was coming out of a cigar store. I was standing right by the gutter. This gentleman came out of the cigar store with a paper of tobacco. I said: "Will you please give me a chew of tobacco?" He says, "No", and turned around and hit me. He said to a very old man who was sitting on a pump: "Hold this tobacco and pipe until I hit him". He turned around and struck me and the two of us got into the middle of the street and had a fight. I never put my hand into his pocket and never took any money from him. I have never been convicted of any crime before.

## Cross-examination:

William Williamson is my real name. I have only been arrested about five times in my life. I was convicted of assault at one time and got one day. I never was arrested in either Brooklyn or New Jersey. My name is not Smith, but Williamson. I have told the jury everything I know about this case. All that happened

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between us was what I have stated. I simply asked the complainant for a chew of tobacco. He struck me and I struck him back and knocked him down. Then I ran away in fear that he might strike me again.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty of an attempt at robbery in the second degree.

Indictment filed June 7/1893

Court of General Sessions  
Part III

The People,

v.

Wm. Williamson,

Abstract of testimony  
on trial, New York,  
June 12<sup>th</sup> 1893

AFFIDAVIT FOR COMMITMENT OF WITNESS.

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POLICE COURT.....DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

6 *Martin Bennett*

of the..... Precinct Police, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that *Michael Heslien*

(now here) is a material witness for the people against

*William Williamson* charged

with *Robbery*.

As deponent has cause to fear that the said *Michael Heslien*

will not appear in court to testify when wanted, deponent prays

that the said *Michael Heslien* be

committed to the House of Detention in default of bail for his

appearance.

*Martin Bennett*

Sworn to before me, this  
day of..... 1889

*[Signature]*

Police Justice.

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Need in \$100 face House  
of Detention

James J. West  
J. J.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Williamson

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

William Williamson

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

The said William Williamson

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the second day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Michael Heslein in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault; and

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

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

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

De Launcey Nicoll  
District Attorney

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wuest, Otto

**DATE:**

06/19/93



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Counsel,  
Filed 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1893  
Plends,

Witnesses:  
J. J. McCarty

Grand Larceny, second Degree,  
(Sections 88, 88, Penal Code.)

THE PEOPLE

vs. R

Otto Wuest

*J. J. Kimmick*

DE LANCEY NICOLI,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Henry S. Cannon*  
Foreman.  
*James J. [unclear]*  
*Frank J. [unclear]*  
*Clara [unclear]*

Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

Felix Kressig

of No. 130 Greenwich Street, aged 25 years.  
occupation Financial Clerk being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 19th day of May 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in day time, the following property, viz:

One suit of clothes  
One fims watch  
One shirt  
Two Aprons and a pair of ties  
for an amount of  
Being in all together of the value of  
Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars

the property of Dependent

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 Otto Waest (no such name)

for the reasons following to wit: On said day aforesaid Dependent and defendant occupied a room at Terrace Garden 65th Street and on said day defendant misused said property and said defendant disappeared. Dependent further says he is informed by Charles McCarty, a police officer of the 24 Precinct police, that on the 13th day of June he arrested defendant who admitted and confessed to him that he had stolen said property and pawned the same and gave him the pawn tickets for a suit of clothes and a watch. Dependent therefore charges him with the larceny aforesaid

Felix Kressig

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1893  
[Signature]  
Police Justice

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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aged 32 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 2d Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Felix Manning and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 13 day  
of June 1893

Charles McArthur

John Ryan Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

*Otto Waack*

being duly examined before the undersigned

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Otto Waack*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*United States*

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

Answer.

*130 Greenwich Street 1 day*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Loan*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty*

*Otto Waack*

Taken before me this

day of

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at

Police Justice.

*[Signature]*

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

*Defendant*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *200* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, *June 13* 189*3* *John H. Ryan* Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189.....  
..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189.....  
..... Police Justice.

Police Court---

District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Telix Kress*  
*130 Breunich*  
*Otto Waeber*

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BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated, *June 13* 189

*Payan* Magistrate.

*W. J. Condy* Officer.

*3d* Precinct.

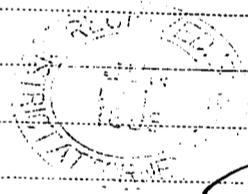
Witnesses

No. *Charles W. Condy* Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *GS*



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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against  
*Otto Wuest*

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

*Otto Wuest*

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

The said *Otto Wuest*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the 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 trousers of the value of five dollars, one watch of the value of ten dollars, one shirt of the value of one dollar, two aprons of the value of fifty cents each, and one written instrument and evidence of <sup>contract</sup> ~~debt~~ of the kind called *paros-tickets*, of the value of ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Felix Kressig*

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

*Re Lancy McCall,  
District Attorney*