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**FOLDER:**

3532

**DESCRIPTION:**

Steel, John

**DATE:**

12/03/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0403

Witnesses;

*Geo. W. Richardson*

Counsel,

Filed

3 day of Dec 1889

Pleads, *Atguilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*John Steel*

ILLEGAL VOTING.  
[Laws of 1882, Chap. 210, § 1804.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill. *F*

*James A. Lewis*

Foreman.

*Dec 10/89*  
*James A. Lewis*  
*Ver: One month.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0404

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

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 204 Spring St. George H. Richardson  
Street, aged 25 years,  
occupation Dry Goods being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 5th day of November 1889, at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, at a General election held  
in said City, John Steele, now  
here, did ~~attempt~~ to vote illegally at  
the poll of the 27th election district  
of the 5th Assembly District, <sup>at 122 Blauvelt St.</sup> under  
the following circumstances:— The defendant  
came to the said poll where deponent  
was chairman of the Board of  
Inspectors of election, about the  
hour of 12 o'clock noon. The  
defendant said his name was  
John Steele, and he offered to  
vote. There was but one John  
Steele registered from said district,  
and deponent proceeded to question  
the defendant, and the answers  
of the defendant did not agree  
with the description of the John  
Steele who was registered. Deponent  
then asked the defendant to  
swear in his vote, and the defendant  
refused so to swear, and tore  
up his ballots. Deponent therefore  
charged the defendant with ~~attempting~~  
to vote upon the name of John  
Steele illegally. Deponent asks that  
defendant be detained, to enable  
deponent to procure the attendance  
of the John Steele who was legally  
registered, as further proof of the  
said attempt to vote illegally.

Sworn to before me this  
5th day of November 1889

J. H. Williams  
Judge

George H. Richardson

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0405

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 2nd DISTRICT.

John Steele  
of No. 61. South 6th Avenue Street, aged 33 years,  
occupation Porter being duly sworn deposes and says,  
that on the 5 day of November 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent was  
a legal Voter of the 27 Election District,  
of the 5th assembly district and that on  
the General Election held on that day  
he did Vote in said District between  
the hour of 2 & 3 o'clock  
deponent does not know of any other John  
Steele residing in said premises

John Steele

Sworn to before me, this 4 day

of November 1889

Charles W. ... Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0406

Sec. 193-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Steele*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *US*

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

Answer. *Deposed*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Club*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

*John Steele*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

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*John Steele*  
Police Justice

0407

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
George H. Richardson

John Steele

Offence Attempt to  
Vote illegally

Dated 10/10/1933

Magistrate

..... Officer

15- Precinct.

## Witnesses

SECRET

No. 462 Mar 7 St. St.

No. 1076 Street.

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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 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 Nov 7 1889 Geo. L. L. L. Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18.....Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0408

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*against*

*John Steele*

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

*John Steel* \_\_\_\_\_ of a FELONY, committed as follows :

Heretofore, to wit: on Tuesday, the *fifth* day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty nine*, (the same being the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in the said month of November), there was held a general election throughout the State of New York, and in the said City and County of New York, and on the day and in the year aforesaid, and at the said election, the said *John Steel*, — late of the said City and County at the City and County aforesaid, did personally appear before the Inspectors of Election of the — *27th* — Election District of the — *5th* — Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting of the said Inspectors of election then being duly held at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and ~~did~~ then and there feloniously *did falsely personate one John Steele, an elector of the said Election District, and attempt and offer to vote in and upon the name of the said elector;* \_\_\_\_\_

against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

0409

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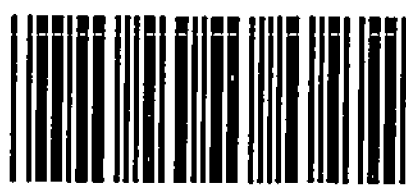
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Stein, Jacob

**DATE:**

12/27/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0410

Witnesses;

*Wm. Foster*  
*Ch. Bissell*

Counsel, *E. J. [Signature]*  
Filed *27* day of *Dec* 18*99*  
Pleads, *Not guilty* 30

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*20 [Signature]*  
*517 [Signature]*  
*two*  
*Jacob Stein*

*Burglary in the Third degree.*  
*Grand Jury, second*  
*term and hearing*  
[Section 48470 652853, 1882.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

*Part 3 jury & ch. dfts. [Signature]*

A True Bill, 211 (7)

*John R. Fellows*

Foreman.

*Part III January 8/90*  
*Receiv. - Receiving Stolen Goods*  
*10.*  
*John R. Fellows & Mrs. J. J.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

04111

Police Court Third District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 167 Marjorie Street, aged 47 years,

occupation Expressman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 248 E Houston Street, 17 Ward

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a one story

brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a stable

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening

a door leading into said

premises

on the 7th day of December 1889 in the night time, and the

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

one set of harness valued

at thirty dollars

the property of Deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

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

Jacob Stein

for the reasons following, to wit: at the hour of 7 o'clock

PM on said date deponent

securely locked said stable,

the said harness being in said

stable and having found the

said door broken open and

said property missing he is

informed by Officer Biscarr

that he Biscarr found the

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

04 12

said property in the possession  
of the defendant which property  
deposits and identifies

Sworn to before me,  
this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November  
1889

William Shoster

Police Justice

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

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

committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, vs.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

1  
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Dated 1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

to answer General Sessions.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0413

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 47 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 14

14 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Koster

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of November 1889

Michael Dwyer  
Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0414

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I refuse to say anything at present.*

*Jacob Stein*

Taken before me this  
day of  
*July 1903*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

04 15

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court...  
District...

2/18/10

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
OF THE COMPLAINTE

161 St. Nicholas  
Frank Morris

Offence

Dated Dec 9 188

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witness

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

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

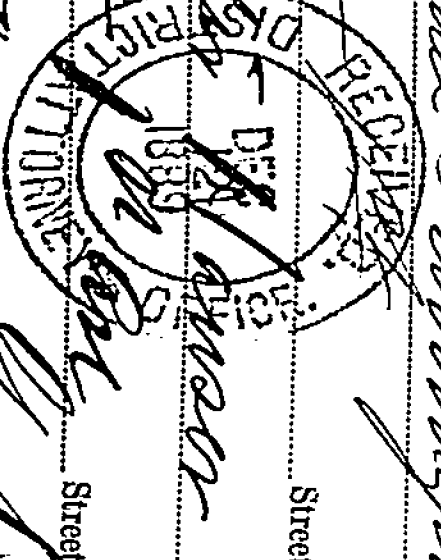
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Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

No. 7, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_



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

guilty thereof, I order that he be 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 Dec 9 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

04 16

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Jacob Stein

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

Jacob Stein

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

The said

Jacob Stein

late of the *Seventeenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty nine*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *stable* of one

William Koster

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

William Koster

in the said *stable* 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.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0417

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said *Jacob Stein*

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 the said day, with force and arms,

*one set of harness of the  
value of thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the *stable* of the said

*William Kaster*  
*William Kaster*

there situate, then and there being found, *in the stable* 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.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

04 18

THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said

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

*one set of harness of the  
value of thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*William Koster*

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

*William Koster*

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

*Jacob Stein*

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3532

**DESCRIPTION:**

Strout, William

**DATE:**

12/20/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0420

Witnesses:

Sam. F. F. F.  
C. J. Cohen

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

20 Dec 1887

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

William Stouck

Grand Larceny, Third Degree.  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 530 Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Ind. F. F. F.  
C. J. Cohen

A True Bill. 1887

Foreman.

James A. F. F.  
D. J. F. F.  
C. J. F. F.  
S. J. F. F. + C. J. F. F.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0421

Police Court - Third District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

of No. 117 Canal Street, aged 45 years,  
occupation Teacher being duly sworn

deposes and says that on the 10 day of December 1889 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

One  
Silver Watch of the Value  
of Sixteen 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 William Henry

here) for the reason that  
said Watch was seen  
in the possession of said  
Defendant, Wherefore, now  
Deponent charges said  
Defendant with taking,  
stealing and carry away  
from his person and  
possession said Watch  
and prays that he be  
dealt with as the Law  
directs J. Farber

Sworn to before me this

11 day

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0422

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*William Stout*

Taken before me this  
day of

188

Police Justice.

0423

**BALIED.**

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

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

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

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

No. 8, by \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
James O. Smith  
Jm. O. Smith  
Am. 112<sup>5</sup> Canal St.  
New York

Dated 25/11/188

  
Magistrate

..... Officer.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Precinct,

Handwritten signature: *John D. ...*

153 ~~10th~~ ~~Street~~ ~~St.~~

No. 1177 Street.

No. 01817

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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 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 Feb 11 1889 [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.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0424

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 Stout*

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

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

The said

*William Stout*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth*  
day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-*nine*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the  
value of sixteen dollars*

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



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0425

SECOND COUNT—

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

William Stout

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

The said

William Stout

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 watch  
of the value of sixteen  
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Samuel Farber

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

Samuel Farber

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

William Stout

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*



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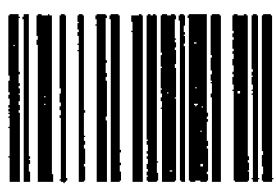
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Straub, Frank J.

**DATE:**

12/26/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0427

Witnesses;

Margaret Thompson  
Mary Cunningham  
Dr. Grinnell

Counsel, J. H. Russell  
Filed 26 day of Dec 1889  
Pleads, Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE  
(Section 219, Penal Code.)

Frank J. Strank

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Cont 2 Dec. 31 at 10  
re West. W. 24.  
A True Bill. 203 (7)

John R. Fellows

Foreman.

Transferred to the Court of Special  
Sessions for trial and final disposition.

Part 2. D.C.C. 41<sup>st</sup> 1889.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0428

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Frank J. Straub

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

Frank J. Straub

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows.

The said

Frank J. Straub

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the fourth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Eighty-nine at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Margaret L. Thompson in the peace of the said People then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault, and her the said Margaret L. Thompson did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the said Margaret L. Thompson against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

McCormick, Daniel

**DATE:**

12/06/89



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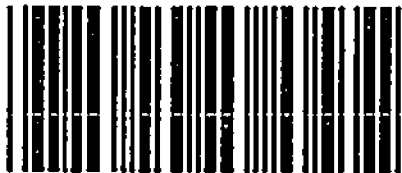
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, John

**DATE:**

12/06/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0431

Witnesses;

William Mansfield  
Officer J. M. L. L.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleas,

1889

Dec 9

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Sullivan

Daniel Mc Cormick

Burglary in the first degree,  
and Robbery.

[Section 496, 506, 528 and 532.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill. 60 (7)

James A. Lewis

Foreman.

Dec 9/89  
I have read every page  
of the indictment and  
S. P. Mansfield  
each.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0432

Police Court— 6 District.

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

William Mansfield  
of No. 2995 — 3<sup>d</sup> Avenue Street, aged 24 years,

occupation Briklayer and Clerk being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 2995 — 3<sup>d</sup> Avenue Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story frame

Building

and which was occupied by deponent's father as a liquor store and dwelling

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Catherine

Mansfield

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the

side door from the hallway into the store,

after entering through the front hall door

on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of December 1889 in the night time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: Silver coin

in values and denominations of twenty five cents

and of ten cents, five cent nickel coins and

one cent copper coins, in all good and lawful

money of the United States to the value of

Five dollars and thirty-eight cents

the property of Patrick Mansfield and in deponent's care and custody

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

John Sullivan and Daniel Mc Cormick,

now here,

for the reasons following, to wit: At about half past three in the

morning of said day deponent while sleeping

up stairs in said premises was awakened by

noise in the store, and going there, found

officer Franklin W. Latta of the 33<sup>d</sup> Precinct

Police, holding under arrest, with his revolver

pointed towards them, the said Sullivan and

Mc Cormick. Said officer informs deponent

as follows: This attention being

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attracted by a light in said saloon,  
entered the building, and, finding that the  
door from the hallway to the saloon had been  
opened, he entered the saloon through the doorway  
and there found said Sullivan and said  
McCormick in the act of rifling the drawers  
where money was kept. Said Sullivan had a  
revolver in his hand and attempted to level  
the same toward said officer, and said Lathe had  
in his hand a large clasp knife. Defendant found  
on the persons of said Mc Cormick and Sullivan  
the said money which defendant on the "back bar"  
in said saloon when he closed the premises after  
midnight on said morning. Defendant then locked  
the door leading from the hallway onto  
said saloon.

I now do before me this } Willard Wainfield  
2<sup>d</sup> day of December 1889 }  
John Cookman  
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ 1000

Exale

Bailed by

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Street.



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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. *John Sullivan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *119 West street; 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Electrotyper*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*John Sullivan*

Taken before me this

*2<sup>nd</sup>*

day of *September* 1889.

*John J. Sullivan*  
District Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Daniel Mc Cormick 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 himself 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. Daniel Mc Cormick

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 229 Greenwich street; 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Daniel Mc Cormick

Taken before me this 21

day of December 1889

William C. Mc Cormick  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Franklin W. Lake

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation \_\_\_\_\_ of No. \_\_\_\_\_

33<sup>d</sup> Precinct Police

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Mansfield

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

Sworn to before me, this 2  
day of December 1889

Franklin W. Lake

John Coe

Police Justice.

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BAILED.  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
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Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court---

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Mansfield  
John Sullivan  
Daniel McCornick

Offence

Burglary

Date

December 2 1889

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Witnesses

Said Officer  
Patrick Shanepold  
No. 2995 3d Avenue

33 Precinct

No.

1000 each to answer

No.

1000 each to answer



Committed

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 Sullivan and Daniel McCornick

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 December 2 1889 John Cochrane Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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*x*  
District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

John Sullivan  
*et al*  
Burglary

Mr. Mansfield  
2995- 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave

Off. Franklin Lake  
33 Prec

Patk Mansfield  
2995- 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave

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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

John Sullivan and  
Daniel McRonnica

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

John Sullivan and Daniel McRonnica  
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE First DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said John Sullivan and Daniel  
McRonnica, who  
late of the Twenty Third Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the second day of December, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, about the  
hour of three o'clock in the night time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one Patricia Mansfield,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there  
some human being, to wit:

one William Mansfield,

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods  
chattels and personal property of the said Patricia Mansfield.

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to  
steal, take and carry away; The said John Sullivan and  
Daniel McRonnica, and each of them,  
knowing them and there assisted by a  
confederate actually present, to wit:  
each by the other.

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*John Sullivan and Daniel Mc Cormick*  
of the CRIME OF *PEACE* LARCENY, \_\_\_\_\_ committed as follows:

The said *John Sullivan and Daniel*  
*Mc Cormick, both* \_\_\_\_\_  
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 the said day, with force and arms,

*their sons of the United States of*  
*America, of a number, said and*  
*denomination to the Grand Jury*  
*aforesaid unknown, of the value of*  
*four dollars and thirty eight cents,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Patricia Mansfield,*

in the dwelling house of the said *Patricia Mansfield,* \_\_\_\_\_

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.

*John R. Hallows,*  
*Attorney*

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, John

**DATE:**

12/11/89



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Ryan, John

**DATE:**

12/11/89



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Witnesses:

Peter Devere

Agg. Connoan

Mr. 2. - Mr. 2

Accusation of  
Robbery. 24,

First Indictment

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Atlanta

Counsel,

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Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Sullivan

vs. John Ryan

John Ryan

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Both plead Robbery 24

A True Bill, 190

Foreman.

2. 4 in 2 Person

Mr. 1. Mr. 2.

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Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss  
OF NEW YORK,

Peter Devoe  
of No. 109 Rodue Exchange Street, Aged 49 Years  
Occupation Canal Boatman being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
20<sup>th</sup> day of November 1889, at the 4<sup>th</sup> Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money  
of the United States of the  
value of One dollar and sixty  
cents

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

Ryan and John Sullivan both  
now here) and a man not arrested  
who were in company with each  
other and acting in concert for the  
purpose that ~~deponent~~ at about 5  
o'clock on the evening of said day  
deponent was walking through Father  
Slip and had said money in a pocket  
of the pantaloons then worn on his  
person and part of his bodily clothing  
That deponent was suddenly seized  
from behind and his arms tightly  
held and by the defendants there

day of

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice

and said unknown man held deponent  
by the throat choking deponent and  
then threw deponent upon the sidewalk  
and while deponent was held one of  
the defendants or said unknown man  
forcibly and against deponents will  
and consent inserted his hand into  
said pocket and forcibly took out  
said money and all ran away

Deponent positively identifies the  
two of the defendants here as being  
two of the men who participated

in said robbery  
Sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> of September, 1889

Peter Devol  
Blanchard

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

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

Police Court, District, Offence—ROBBERY.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

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Dated 1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.



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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Sullivan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *14 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *53 Bowery*  
*91 Market Street 2 months.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Dog. catcher*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty.*

*John Sullivan*

*John Sullivan and*  
*Ellen Sullivan* } *St. Andrews*  
*Harbor Court*

Taken before me this *25*  
day of *November* 188*8*

Police Justice

*W. H. Ryan*

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John Ryan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 2250. Second Ave. 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Insults

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

Answer. I am not guilty

John Ryan

Taken before me this

day of November 1889

Police Justice

John Ryan

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Police Court... District...

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Deane*  
*109 St. Louis*  
*St. Louis*  
*John Deane*  
*John Deane*

Offence

Dated November 25<sup>th</sup> 1889

*J. Conner*  
Magistrate.

Witness: *John Deane*

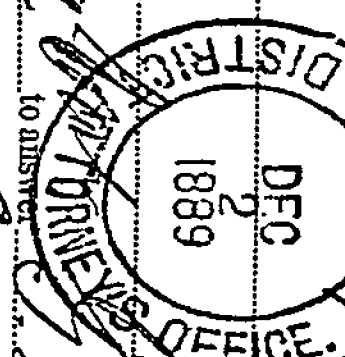
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *Depend auto*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty* Hundred Dollars, *each* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give *safe* bail.

Dated November 25<sup>th</sup> 1889 *John Deane* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*John Ryan and  
John Sullivan*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *John Ryan and John Sullivan*

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

The said *John Ryan and John Sullivan*, both

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth*  
day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-*nine*, in the *indict* time of the said day, at the City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Peter Devoe*,  
in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and  
*one United States Treasury Note of the*  
*denomination and value of one dollar,*  
*one Bonds note of the denomination and*  
*value of one dollar, one United States*  
*Silver Certificate of the denomination and*  
*value of one dollar, one United States Gold*  
*Certificate of the denomination and value*  
*of one dollar, and divers coins, of a number,*  
*kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid*  
*unknown, of the value of one dollar and sixty cents,*  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Peter Devoe*,  
from the person of the said *Peter Devoe*, against the will,  
and by violence to the person of the said *Peter Devoe*,  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *the said*  
*John Ryan and John Sullivan*, and each  
of them, *knowing* them and there aided by  
an accomplice actually present, to wit:  
each by the other:

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

*John R. Tallows,*  
*Attorney.*



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3532

**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, Lizzie

**DATE:**

12/23/89



3532

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0451

1900  
Counsel,  
Filed 23 day of Dec 18 89  
Pleads,

Grand Larceny Second Degree  
[Sections 628, 631, 632 Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Lizzie Sullivan

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James A. Lewis

Foreman.

Dec 24/89

Edmund J. J.

Rec'd me year.

Witnesses;

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0452

Police Court District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No. 460 Grand Street, aged 32 years,

occupation Merchant, being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 4 day of December 1899

at the City of New

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

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

(2) One frock  
Coat of the Value of  
Thirty Dollars (\$30)

the property of B. Stern & Son, in  
care 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 Vizzie Sullivan (now

here, for the reason that

said property was found

by Deponent, in the possession

of Defendant, therefore

Deponent now charges

said Defendant with taking,

stealing, and carrying away

said property, and prays that

he be dealt with as the Law

directs,

Michael Stern

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of December 1899

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0453

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*Lizzie Sullivan*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.



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190 Sub Ord No 1792

Police Court 1st District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINANT OF  
Wm O'Hara  
460 W. Grand St.  
Magistrate's Office

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date Dec 5 1889

Brown Magistrate

Cumtbell Officer,  
171 Precinct,

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

RECEIVED.  
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DISTRICT CLERK'S OFFICE.

Wm O'Hara  
460 W. Grand St.  
Magistrate's Office

Cumtbell Officer,  
171 Precinct,

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0455

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Lizzie Sullivan*

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

*Lizzie Sullivan*

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

The said

*Lizzie Sullivan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth*  
day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-*  
*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*two coats of the value of  
fifteen dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Michael Stern*

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0456

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Lizzie Sullivan*  
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said

*Lizzie Sullivan*

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,

*two coats of the value of  
fifteen dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Michael Stern*

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

*Michael Stern*

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

*Lizzie Sullivan*

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3532

**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, Michael

**DATE:**

12/23/89



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0458

Counsel,  
Filed 23 day of Dec 1889  
Plends,

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Michael Sullivan  
Buyer in the Third degree.  
Felix Kearney.  
[Section 498, 50 6528 453-1.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill. 2027  
Foreman.  
S. P. Three years.

Witnesses;  
John Sullivan

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0459

Police Court— 3 District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 16 Hester Street, aged 58 years,

occupation horse shaver being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 16 Hester Street, 3 Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a two story brick

building and

and which was occupied by deponent as a livery, stable and horse shoring

establishment and in which there was at the time a human being, by name:

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

breaking a partition

on the 12 day of December 1889 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of horse shoes  
and nails valued at fourteen  
dollars

the property of Deponent

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

Michael Sullivan  
(number)

for the reasons following, to wit:

on the said date  
the said premises were se-  
curely locked and fastened  
and said partition was  
intact. The said property  
was in said premises at the time.  
Deponent having found the  
said partition broken and  
said property missing he

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ORIGINAL

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is informed by Officer Raymond  
that he has found a portion of the said  
property in possession of  
this defendant which property  
defendant admitted.

Sworn to before me  
this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 1889  
John D. Dwyer  
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 1889  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1889  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1889  
Police Justice.

Police Court, District.	Offence—BURGLARY.
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
Dated 1889	Magistrate.
	Officer.
	Clerk.
Witness,	
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	to answer General Sessions.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0461

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 46 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 12 recorder Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 12

day of December 1887

John Raymond

[Signature]  
Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0462

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

13 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

*Michael Sullivan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*34 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Brooklyn N.Y.*

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

Answer.

*907 Henry Street, Brooklyn*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Editor.*

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

Answer.

*I found a door open and stole the mails.*

*Michael Sullivan*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0463

BAILLED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court... District...

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Williams

Offence

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Magistrate

Officer

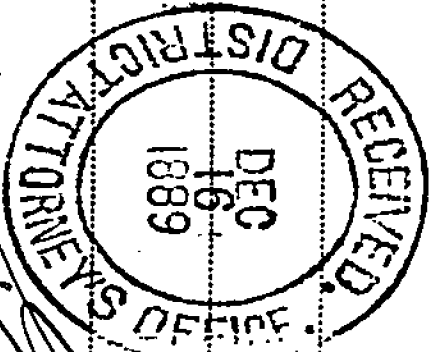
Witnesses

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

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

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

\$ 500 to answer



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

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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ORIGINAL

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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

*Michael Sullivan*

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

*Michael Sullivan*

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

The said

*Michael Sullivan*

late of the *Thirteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *December* in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-nine*, with force and arms, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *stable* of one

*John Duane*

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

*John Duane*

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

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ORIGINAL

0465

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Michael Sullivan*  
of the CRIME OF *Petition* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*Michael Sullivan*

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

*forty horse-shoes of the value of  
twenty-five cents each, and four  
hundred nails of the value of one  
cent each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*John Duane*

in the *stable* of the said

*John Duane*

there situate, then and there being found, *in the stable* 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.

*John R. Fellows,  
District Attorney*



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3532

**DESCRIPTION:**

Supple, James

**DATE:**

12/10/89



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Witnesses:

Henry Tarter  
Officer Curkeugh

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1889

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

James Supple

Grand Larceny, (From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 580 Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill. 827

James Tarter

Foreman

Part 13  
Dec 13 1889  
Hed 2079  
S. W. & Co. Limited.  
Reformatory California.

vs 23

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0468

The People  
vs.  
James Supple.

{ Court of General Sessions, Part I.  
Before Judge Gildersleeve.

Friday, December 20, 1889.

Indictment for grand larceny in the first degree.

Henry Taxter sworn and examined.

I live at 190 West 10th Street and am out of business; about the 28th of November last I lost a gold watch and chain worth from one hundred to one hundred and twenty dollars, it was between a quarter and half past eight, it was in my vest pocket and the chain was fastened in my buttonhole with a bar. I went in a saloon corner of Bleecker Street and West 10th Street after cider and not getting cider I got beer in a can, I had a little pet dog in my arm and the can in my right hand, I came out of the side door and a crowd was going down on the Bleecker St. sidewalk, I stood about seventy-five feet from them and there was no obstruction whatever between them and me, I saw the prisoner coming towards me and I stepped a little aside for him to go by and instead of that he grabbed this pocket here and I felt a tug at my watch and a second afterwards away he went, he ran into the crowd passed down on the Bleecker Street sidewalk and disappeared; he took my watch at the time and the chain was taken too, I did not see anything of it after, I went to the Station House and gave information of my loss and shortly afterward the Defendant was arrested. I saw the Sergeant or Captain at the Station House and I gave a description of the man who stole my watch to Officer Burleigh. I saw the Defendant when he grabbed my watch and after I gave a description of him I saw him at the Station House, I

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think it was about nine o'clock in the morning, they sent for me to go there. The Sergeant told me to take a seat in the Captain's room and I did so and shortly afterwards he called me in and asked me if I could pick out the man and I did so, I think there were six persons about one size with the exception of one man who was taller; I identified the Defendant as the man who stole my watch.

Cross Examined. I have resided in 120 West 10th Street three years, I was in the newspaper business, I was superintendent and partner in the Graphic office and prior to living in 120 West 10th Street I lived in Brooklyn, I was engaged in the Graphic office about eight or ten months and prior to that I was in the Sun office employed there about fifteen years. I bought the watch which was stolen in 1851 in Ann Street, I bought the works and the case was made by John Y. Savage in Fulton Street, the works were an English lever movement, I forget what I paid for the works, in the neighborhood of twenty-five dollars. It was Thanksgiving night that the watch was taken and I left home between a quarter and half past eight, I should judge my house is about one hundred and fifty or maybe two hundred feet from the corner of Bleecker and West 10th Street, I kept upon the south side of the street up Bleecker Street; after I left my house I did not meet any person that I know of or converse with any person from the time I left it until I entered the saloon. I got to the corner of 10th Street and Bleecker in two or three minutes and the procession came along while I was in the saloon, I remained in the saloon about three or four minutes and after I came out the procession was still passing, there were a



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ORIGINAL**

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number of people in the street but there were none in my immediate vicinity, there was nobody near me, I was standing on the sidewalk; I did not look behind me but there were about twenty-five people in front of me and the only persons that were in front of me were passing in the procession, I recollect when the watch was taken, I felt a tug at the chain and the person who took it was in front of me, I saw him when he was right by me, I saw him as he came to me within five feet, that was the time I first noticed him, I saw his features, he came right up close to me and pulled my watch out and away he went, I looked at the man when he came right up to me of course, he was about five feet three or four inches and would weigh about one hundred and twenty or twenty-five pounds, I did not notice the color of his hair, I noticed his garments were dark but did not observe any peculiarity about his features, it was done too quick to take all in at once, I am pretty quick at discernment, I was able to discern his features, I have an impression that I have seen him before this occurrence, not in the vicinity of my house but in the court-room upstairs, I was a jury-man. I reported my loss on the same night and the second morning afterwards I went to the Station House, I made no outcry when the watch was taken from me, I saw no officer in that vicinity, I have never had any property stolen from my person before, I did not attempt to follow the person who took my watch, I stepped one or two steps forward and having a valuable dog I thought if I made an attempt to follow him I would lose my dog also. I did not call upon any of the by-standers to stop the thief; from the time of the taking of this watch until

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ORIGINAL**

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the time of my being called to the Station House I did not see him to my knowledge. I was asked to identify the party, they did not say what prisoner, there was six parties there and they were all facing me. Now isn't it a fact that you were asked to identify one of the persons who were brought before you, that you did not at once identify this Defendant, that the persons were requested by the officer in charge to face about and turn their backs to you and then you identified this man by his back, yes or no? I will explain that. I identify the man when I first looked at him but to make sure of it I asked him to turn around, he turned around and that was the same man and then I was more positive. I identified him by his size and his general appearance. You having seen this man run from you, his back turned to you under an electric or gaslight, do you mean to say you positively identified him not knowing whether he had the same apparel on in the day time with his back turned toward you, you mean to say that under oath and you mean to have this Jury believe you? I do. I have not seen the watch since. I visited Jefferson Market prison since the Defendant has been there and saw him there. Will you swear that you did not say at the Police Court that you were not quite positive that this was the man but you were almost positive? On the contrary I think I said to Officer Burleigh that I was more positive that he was the man that took the watch.

By Mr. Parker. Q. You saw his face as he came towards you and you saw his back as he left you? Yes sir. You identified him first by his features in the Station House? Yes sir. And in order to be more certain you asked to see his back

and his retreating form? That is it exactly.

By Counsel. He was requested to walk away from you at the time you were looking at his back? No. I have seen the Defendant by the daylight and in the night.

Thomas Burleigh sworn and examined.

I am an officer attached to the 9th precinct on special duty and was so on November 28th last, I saw Mr. Taxter on the same evening at his house, I was directed<sup>ed</sup> to go there by the Sergeant in command and I had a conversation with him he gave me a description of a person and upon that information I arrested the Defendant, I told him that he was accused of stealing a gold watch and chain, he denied it, I asked him where he was on Thanksgiving night, I told him the night but did not tell him the time of night it was taken, I told him that he was accused of stealing a watch and chain on Thanksgiving during the time the procession was passing at Bleecker and West 10th Street, he denied it I asked him where he was that night and he told me he was at Kittie Dempsey's house at 264 West Houston Street.

I visited Kittie Dempsey's house and had a talk with her, the Defendant was locked up in the Station House. I went and informed Mr. Taxter that I had made an arrest and in the meantime I secured five other young men as near to the size of the Defendant as I possibly could and put the Defendant among them in the Station House in the back room and then called Mr. Taxter and told him to see if he could identify anybody in that room, he went in there; I had not previously given Mr. Taxter any intimation as to the identity of the Defendant, he looked at the men when



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ORIGINAL**

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I told them all to turn their backs and he then immediately picked out the Defendant; no one else to my knowledge gave Mr. Taxter any intimation as to the identity of the prisoner and as to his being one I had arrested.

Cross Examined. When Mr. Taxter was called into the room to identify the person under arrest and he had looked at the persons brought before him he did not make any exclamation, he did not say a word, he went and put his hand on the Defendant, the Defendant turned around and looked at him, he was sort of half scared, he looked frightened; the five persons who had been arrested or rather put in the room were pretty well dressed, the Defendant looked as well as the rest of them, he did not look shabby. They were young men who were loitering around the place in the neighborhood of the Police Station, they were not criminals, I went around and picked the m up and told them what I wanted them for, the men did not seem frightened, I think the Defendant has the same clothes on as he had at the time of the arrest and at the time of the identification. When I first spoke to the Defendant and stated to him that he was arrested for having stolen a watch at a certain time he denied it, he told me that he was at a certain place that night at half past eight o'clock.

James Supple sworn and examined in his own behalf, testified:

I am the Defendant in this case and never saw Mr. Taxte until I saw him in the Station House, I did not take his watch on Thanksgiving evening or at any other time, I did



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ORIGINAL**

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not see him on Thanksgiving night, I have heard his testimony wherein he stated between a quarter past and half past eight I approached him in Bleecker Street and took his watch and chain, I was not at Bleecker and 10th Sts. on that night at that time but was in 264 West Houston St. at a party there in Kittie Dempsey's house, I got there about half past seven and did not leave till eleven o'clock, I went right over to my home at 293 Mott Street where my sister Mrs. Maher resides.

Cross Examined. I will be twenty-one years old the 28th of next February, I have worked alongshore about two months and before that I was working in the Empire Steam Laundry in Houston Street between Sullivan and Thompson, the name of the foreman is Mr. Lyons, I worked there a year, and before that I worked driving a furniture truck. I have never been convicted of crime in this county, I was arrested once by this officer as a suspicious character, I was never sent to the Penitentiary, my right name is James Supple, I do not know a man named Tracy, I was not implicated with him in the robbery of a country man at Hudson Street. I went up to Mrs. Dempsey's at half past seven and did not move from there until eleven o'clock, I do not know how far 264 West Houston Street is from the place where Mr. Taxter lost his property, I should judge it was seven or eight blocks, I got to my home about half past eleven, I am not in very good health, I have got a cold in my chest from lying in the Tombs. I had a talk with the officer at the time of the arrest and what he said on the stand

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ORIGINAL**

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is not correct. He asked me if I could locate where the watch was that he could get the complainant to withdraw the charge, I told him I could not locate where it was because I did not steal it. I never saw Mr. Taxter only that day in the Station House. I have not seen Miss Dempsey since my arrest but I sent a letter to her since I have been in the Tombs about the fifth day after I was arrested; she came to see me the next day after she got the letter, I explained the case and told her that I wanted her to come down and prove my innocence; she said she would come down, I told her that it was necessary to prove that I was absent from the place where Mr. Taxter said he lost the watch at the time he lost it, Miss Dempsey did not tell me that I left her place at eight o'clock.

I was arrested the following Monday after Thanksgiving, the officer saw me the Saturday night after Thanksgiving, he told Katie Dempsey so; I am positive I took dinner at Katie Dempsey's house that night, I did not tell the Officer that I got there at half past eight o'clock. This officer and me have had some difficulty before, he arrested me charging me with an attempt to commit robbery but I was innocent of it. As to this robbery case they could not find the complainant and I was not tried, I could not say whether or no that complainant was a country man, I never saw him, that was the case where I was charged with committing a robbery in company with a man named Tracy; that was the case that I meant when I said that the officer arrested me as a suspicious character.

I was only in Miss Dempsey's house ten minutes before dinner, we commenced dinner at twenty minutes to eightp

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ORIGINAL**

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there was me, Kittie Dempsey, her sister, her mother, Maggie Ward and a young fellow, five including myself or rather six including myself; the dinner took about twenty minutes. I did not get up and leave that place after dinner and stay away all the evening.

Katie Mellor sworn.

I live 264 West Houston Street and my husband's name is Alfred, he is a milkman, I live with my husband,, I know the Defendant and remember Thanksgiving night of this year, I was in my own house 264 West Houston Street that night, my sister Mary Marshall lives there, it is a tenement house, my sister lives with me, I saw the Defendant on that night in my house, he came about half past seven o'clock and we took our dinner shortly after he came there pretty near eight o'clock, he took dinner with my mother and two sisters; the names of the persons there are Mrs. Dempsey my mother, Mary Marshall, my sister, my brother who is not here and my little sister and little brother were there; Mrs. Dempsey was in court this morning with me and my sister. I saw the Defendant come in about half past seven o'clock he dined with us and left somewhere around eleven o'clock, I was in the same room with the Defendant and the other persons whom I have named during the entire evening; we were all there enjoying ourselves, celebrating Thanksgiving Day. From the time when the Defendant entered your house until the time he finally left did he leave the house for any length of time? No sir, he never left the house at all, if he had left it I certainly would have known it for I was there



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all the time. The officer came to my house and I had a conversation with him, he came and asked me was James Supple in my house about half past seven and I told him yes he was and after eight, I was washing when he came there that morning, I did not know whether the Defendant was arrested or anything of the kind.

Cross Examined. Katie Dempsey is my maiden name, I will be married four years next May, I know the Defendant somewhere around four years, he worked together before I was married and that is the reason why he called me Katie Dempsey, the Officer came to my house Monday morning, he asked me was the Defendant there at half past seven and I said yes and after eight, I did not know at that time that Supple was under arrest or that he was charged with having stolen a watch sometime between 8.15 and 8.30. The officer asked me was he in my house, I said he was in my house at half past seven and after eight and then he asked me was he there at ten o'clock and I said yes and after ten. It was near nine before we got the kitchen cleaned, I did not hear the Defendant say in his testimony that the dinner took to about twenty minutes after eight, it was somewhere around that, we were talking around the table. Among those there was Jim Sutton, there was a friend of the Defendant's went with my sister to the baker's to get the turkey out and he stayed only a few minutes and went away again, the Defendant did not go to the baker's. We were talking family affairs around the table, I cannot remember the conversation, I cannot remember anything that was said by the Defendant during that half hour, he played the accordion



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after we had our supper in the front room. I did not know of his arrest until a day or so after when this officer came to my house. I used to work with the Defendant in the Steam Empire Laundry, I went to see him in the Tombs, I did not tell the Officer that the Defendant was at my house at half past seven and that he left at eight, I did not tell him that I knew nothing of his movements that night after eight o'clock, my mother and brother were present at the time I had this conversation with the officer and they heard it. The Defendant was not out of my sight from half past seven until about eleven o'clock on Thanksgiving night.

Mary Marshall sworn and examined.

I am a widow and reside with my sister 264 West Houston Street when I am out of a place, I live out for a living, I was in the house on Thanksgiving night and my mother and brother Charlie and sister Teresa and brother Johnnie and sister Katie were there. I remember that the Defendant came to the house about half past seven o'clock for I came in from the baker's with the turkey in my arms he remained as far as I can remember until eleven o'clock and I am perfectly sure that between half past seven and eleven he did not go out, I saw him all the time he was there.

Cross Examined.

I did the cooking in the kitchen which was not far from the sitting room. After dinner I did not wash the dishes, we put the dishes away until the next day. You are sure you did not wash the dishes that night? No sir, we did not wash the dishes,

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we put them in a closet until the next day. If your sister says that you washed the dishes she was mistaken about that? I washed a couple of glasses, about four or five glasses but did not wash all the dishes, I did not wash them just then, I washed part of them and finished them the next day, I washed very few, it was too late to wash any more. There was seven of us to dinner and quite a number of dishes used, I washed a greater part of them after all was over. The people were in the front room after <sup>not</sup> dinner. I was present at the first time that the officer called but I was there the second time he came, my mother and brother Charlie were there and the officer had another man with him.

Mary Dempsey sworn. I live in East 26th Street and on Thanksgiving night was in my daughter's house in West Houston Street and stayed there until the next morning. I saw the Defendant there Thanksgiving night, he came about half past seven and stayed until eleven, I saw him going out but did not follow him out, between the time that he came there and the time that he left he did not go out of the house, we had supper about eight o'clock. Supple was at dinner with us, he is a stranger to me, I never saw him before, he is acquainted with my daughters but not with me. After dinner they were enjoying themselves, they had an accordion and were playing it.

Mary Maher sworn.

I am a sister of the Defendant, he has been living with me for a number of years, his habits are good, he came in

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at nights and always worked until lately, he got out of work and he was looking for a position, I was trying to get him a place on the cars and my landlord promised me that he would try and get him a place, he has been living with me for four years and I never knew that he done anything wrong.

Cross Examined. I heard that he had been accused by the officer and when he could not find any evidence against him he made a charge of disorderly conduct against him. The Defendant has been out of work between three and four months.

Thom-as Burleigh recalled by Mr. Parker.

I saw Kate Dempsey in her own apartments and asked her if the Defendant had been there on Thanksgiving night and she told me that he came there about half past seven and went away about eight o'clock and did not come back there that night again after he had left. I think the old lady who was on the stand was present at the time.. She did not tell me that he was there after ten o'clock. I made a memorandum of the conversation I had with her when I went back to the Station House the same day that I arrested the prisoner which was on the 2nd of December. I do not recollect telling the Defendant that I saw him on the Saturday night after Thanksgiving. He was not arrested on a warrant but I arrested him on suspicion having received from the complainant a description of a man.

The Defendant told me he went to Katie Dempsey's house at half past eight I think. The corner of Bleecker and 10th Street is quite a lively neighborhood and on that

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Thanksgiving night the Hounds procession, which is a social organization of masqueraders was passing Bleecker Street, I was on the corner of Carmine and Bleecker Sts. at the time.

Mary Dempsey recalled by Counsel.

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I was present when this officer called at my daughter's house, I was the one that spoke to him. I told the officer he was certain sure he was there at ten o'clock, neither my daughter nor I said to the officer that the Defendant left at eight o'clock. The officer came there again with another man with him and he asked for Miss Katie. I told him she was not in. she was across in my place because I had a sick girl, my daughter said to the officer that the Defendant was there after eight o'clock, I did not hear my daughter say to the Officer that the Defendant might have gone away after eight o'clock.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the first degree with a recommendation to mercy.



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ORIGINAL**

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Questioning in the  
Case of  
James Supple

Filed

Dec. 1889.

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Police Court

District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 190 West 10th Street, aged 50 years,  
occupation Retired being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 28th day of November 1889 at the City of New

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

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

One double case gold watch  
and rolled gold watch chain  
together of the value of one  
hundred dollars.

(\$100.00)

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 Supple (unseen)

from the fact that at about  
the hour of 8.30, O'clock P.M. said  
date, deponent was standing on West  
10th Street near the corner of Bleeker  
St. looking at a procession which  
was passing on Bleeker St. when  
a man came up to deponent and  
snatching deponent's watch and chain  
ran away with it. deponent notified  
the police of the larceny and  
described the thief.

Deponent is informed by Officer  
Thomas Burling of the 9th  
Precinct Police that upon the

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
1989

Police Justice

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Description given him by deponent  
and from the fact that the  
said defendant is a professional  
thief he arrested the said defendant  
on suspicion of having stolen said  
watch and chain.

Deponent further says that he picked  
the said defendant out from  
among five other men of about  
the defendants size in the back room  
of the 9th Precinct Police Station House  
and fully and positively identified  
this defendant as the man that  
feloniously took stole and carried  
away deponents watch and chain  
from the person of deponent on the  
night of the 28th of November 1889.

Wherefore deponent prays the said  
defendant may be held and dealt  
with according to law.

Sworn to before me }  
This 3rd day of Dec 1889 }

John W. Ford  
Police Justice

Henry Taylor



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ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Thomas Barleigh*  
aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. *9th Precinct Police* Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Henry Jaxton*  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *12*  
day of *Dec* 188*8* } *Thomas Barleigh*

*J. Henry Ford*  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 108—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Supple District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James Supple

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 293 Mott St. 18 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Longshoreman

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  
James Supple

Taken before me this  
day of June 1887

John J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

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Police Court-----  
District-----  
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Offence *Larceny*  
from the Person

Dated Dec 2 1888

*David*.....Magistrate.

Special Agent in Charge.

Precinct.

Witnesses Wm. J. Dunbar

No. 4 van Hook Street.

No. .... Street.

No. ....

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A circular postmark from the District Attorney's Office. The outer ring contains the text "DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE." and the inner circle contains the date "DEC 5 1889."

*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 Dec 3 18 89 of Yellowstone Police Justice.

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

*Dated*.....18.....*Police Justice.*

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

*Dated*.....*18*.....*Police Justice*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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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 Supple*

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

*James Supple*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *fourth* degree, committed as follows:

The said

*James Supple*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-eighth*  
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-*nine*, in the *night* - time of the said day, at the City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms,

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

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

*John R. Fellows,*  
District Attorney.



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0489

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 Supple*

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

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

The said

*James Supple*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-eighth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, in the *night* - time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

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

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

*John R. Fellows,*  
District Attorney.



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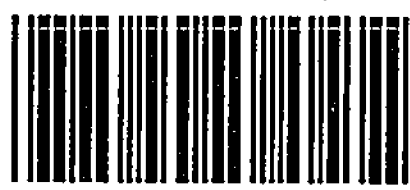
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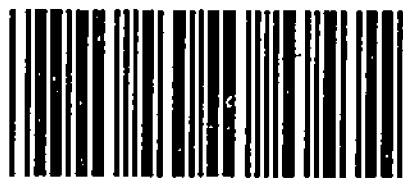
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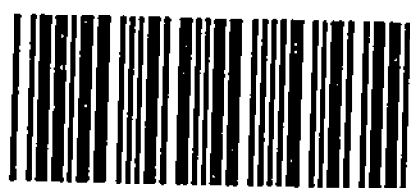
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**Witnesses:**

Richard M. Borker

Upon examinations I am convinced  
there is no need to find fault  
except some checking & according to  
I recommend its dismissal to the  
May 27/96.  
A. D. Barber

1 See Enclosed Documents  
April 26<sup>th</sup> 1868 Adm. Journal

No. 1. - Bailed on other Indictment

W. C. Leachman may be  
caused in the aggre-  
gate sum of \$3000.

Dec. 18. 1889.

No. 3 Paired on other student

# Council,

Filed (3) day of Dec 1889

## Pleads,

# THE PEOPLE

David Susskind

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JOHN R. FELLOWS

P. R. Lundy, Jr. / District Attorney

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discussed to be discharged.

# ATTN: Bill

*Franklin D. Roosevelt*

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Supreme Court, District E, 1. 18



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

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

of No. 28 Scamuel  
occupation Tailor

Ignatz Sunday  
Street, aged 25 years,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 18th day of November 1889 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, Louis Susskind, ~~Joseph Susskind~~ <sup>Philip Susskind</sup>

Herman  
and ~~Joseph~~ <sup>Philip</sup> Susskind did feloniously entangle and convert to  
their own use the sum of fifty dollars which deponent  
had deposited with them as bankers.

That deponent handed said sum of money to  
said Louis Susskind and received from him the  
book hereto annexed containing the entry therein  
appearing.

Thereafter and on the 24th day of November  
1889 said defendants closed their place of business  
and have not since returned to it and deponent  
verily believes that at the time they received his  
money they were unscrupulous and received the  
same with intent to cheat and defraud deponent  
of the same.

Sworn to before me this }  
4th day of Dec. 1889 } *William J. [Signature]*

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No. 52695

J. SUSSKIND & CO.,  
BANKERS,

138 & 140 CANAL STREET,  
NEW YORK

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FOL. 1

At a Criminal Term, Part 1, of the Supreme Court of the  
State of New York, held in and for the County of  
New York at the Criminal Courts Building in the  
Borough of Manhattan, of the said City of New  
York, on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1899.

Present,

HONORABLE

*Edgar L. Fineman*  
Justice.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK

against

*Joseph Susskind*  
*Herman Cohen*

It appearing in the opinion of this Court, that it is proper that the indictment  
hereinafter named be tried herein:

Now, on motion of Asa Bird Gardiner, District Attorney of the County of New  
York, it is

FOL. 2

**ORDERED**, that the indictment found in the Court of General Sessions  
of the Peace of the City and County of New York on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of  
October, 1899, against the above named defendants *Joseph Susskind and*  
*Herman Cohen*, for the crime of Larceny (Misappropriation)  
be and the same is hereby removed into the Supreme Court of the State of New York  
in and for the County of New York.

*E. L. Fineman*  
*JH*



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NEW YORK SUPREME COURT,

COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK

against

*Joseph Sweetkind*  
*Remond Cohen*

Order of Removal of  
Indictment.

ASA BIRD GARDINER,  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY,  
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK CITY

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ROBERT DE BARRIL,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
~~Nos. 21 & 23 CENTRE STREET,~~

74 Broadway.  
New York, Feb 10 1891

Mr Schutzes,

My dear Sir:

Be good enough  
to inform the bearer as to the  
whereabouts of Mr. Cohen, or give  
him what information you  
may have that will assist  
me to find Mr. Cohen, or  
advise

Yours respectfully

Robert Barril

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

-against-

HERMAN COHN and others.

*Indicted  
December 5 1889*

This indictment was found ten years ago and since that time all the witnesses for the people have disappeared. This office is unable to locate any of them ( See affidavit hereto attached).

Moreover the lapse of time would render a conviction extremely improbable. I therefore recommend the bail herein be discharged.

*Wm. J. ...*  
Asst. District Attorney.

*April 14<sup>th</sup>*  
dated, New York, February 17th., 1899.



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OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Louis Susskind,  
Joseph Susskind and  
Herman Cohn

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
Louis Susskind, Joseph Susskind and Herman Cohn  
of the CRIME OF Grand LARCENY, in the second degree, committed  
as follows:

The said Louis Susskind, Joseph Susskind and  
Herman Cohn, all  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
eighteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine, at the City and County aforesaid, being  
then and there the clerk and servant of agents, bailees and trustees  
of one Ignatz Buday,

and as such ~~clerk and servant~~ <sup>agents, bailees and trustees</sup> then and there having in <sup>their</sup> ~~his~~ possession, custody and control  
certain moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said Ignatz Buday,

the true owner thereof, to wit: the sum of fifty dollars in  
money, lawful money of the United States of  
America, and of the value of fifty dollars,

the said Louis Susskind, Joseph Susskind and Herman Cohn, afterwards, to wit:  
on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,  
did feloniously appropriate the said sum of money

to <sup>their</sup> ~~his~~ own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said Ignatz Buday,

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same moneys, goods, chattels and  
personal property of the said Ignatz Buday,

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney

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Second COUNT:—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment further  
accuse the said *Louis Susskind, Joseph*  
*Susskind and Herman Cohn* —  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second*  
DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Louis Susskind, Joseph*  
*Susskind and Herman Cohn*, all —  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eighteenth*  
day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty- *nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*the sum of fifty dollars in money, lawful*  
*money of the United States of America,*  
*and of the value of fifty dollars,* —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Ignatz Bunday*, —

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

*John R. Fellows,*  
*District Attorney*

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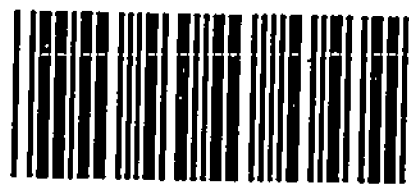
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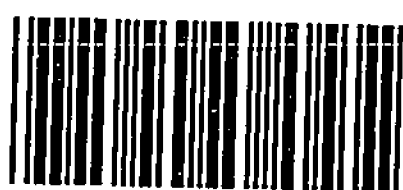
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Cohn, Herman

**DATE:**

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Pl. 10000 4-10-1899

for No. 1 *Raymond*  
Counsel, for No. 3 *W. H.*  
Filed 5 day of *Dec* 1889  
Plends, *1000* *Int. 1000*

Assuming deposits as  
for No. 10000 4-10-1899

THE PEOPLE  
vs.

*Louis Swoshkind*  
*Joseph Swoshkind*  
*Herman Colin*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.  
Mr. *Ray* 24/90  
Ind. *10000* 4-10-1899  
discharged 10000 discharged.

A TRUE BILL.

*Supreme Court, 10000*  
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*10000 10000*

Witnesses:

*W. H. Muckelbauer*  
*W. H. Muckelbauer*  
*W. H. Muckelbauer*  
*W. H. Muckelbauer*

*The accompanying affidavits*  
*are not correct in view*  
*of the fact that the court*  
*has no jurisdiction over*  
*the property of the*  
*defendant.*  
*No. 1 - Bailed on other indictment.*  
*W. H. Muckelbauer*  
*10000 10000*

No. 3 Bailed on other indictment

Upon examination, I am convinced  
there is not even a prima facie case  
against Louis Swoshkind, and as  
strongly recommend to the jury  
as to him.  
Jan 27/90.  
*W. H. Muckelbauer*  
*10000 10000*

*W. H. Muckelbauer*  
*10000 10000*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0508

## New York General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,

agst.

*Herman Bohn*

*G. Larceny*

Please take Notice, that we shall move this Honorable Court, before  
Hon. *Rufus B. Gowling* Judge, holding Part  
thereof, on *Wednesday* day, the *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *February*, 1891, at eleven o'clock in the  
forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a discharge  
of the above named defendant upon the ground:

*That the said defendant be admitted to bail  
in the sum of \$1000 on all indictments  
for the reason that he has been on bail  
nearly 2 years without trial although  
always ready to be tried & anxious for a  
trial and for a speedy and immediate  
trial*

and for such further and other relief as to this Honorable Court shall seem just  
and meet in the premises.

Yours, etc.,

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Said Defendant's Attorneys.

To DELANCEY NICOLL, Esq.,

District Attorney,

City and County of New York.

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N. Y. General Sessions,

THE PEOPLE, etc.,

against

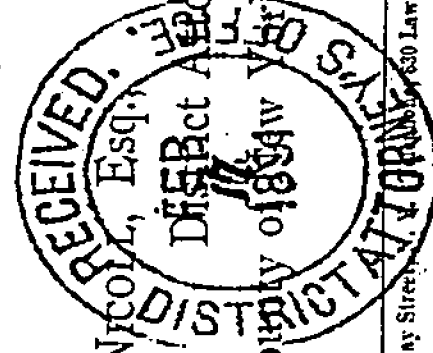
*Herman Cohen*  
Defendant.

*Notice of Motion*

HOWE & HUMMEL,  
*Defendant's Attorneys,*  
87 and 89 Centre St.,  
N. Y. City.

Due and timely service of copy of  
within motion admitted this day  
of , 189

To  
DELANCEY NICOL, Esq.,  
District Attorney,  
City and County of New York.



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

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 35 East Broadway Street, aged 55 years,  
occupation Painter being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 9th day of Sept 1889, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, Deposited with

\$167.00 I Sukkind & Co. 138 & 140  
Canal St. #167. and  
did not receive same  
back although demanded  
the firm of Sukkind  
& Co were constituted  
as I have been informed  
being Joseph Sukkind &  
Herman Cohen's wife and  
her name is Hannah  
Cohen, he "Herman" acted  
for her in her place &  
stead but this was only  
done to cover up some  
other matters, he being  
a fugitive from justice &  
I have been told & informed

\$15.00 On Nov. 14, 1889, I personally  
handed Herman Cohen \$55  
and he stamped "Paid" the  
Receipt with a Rubber Stamp  
see Receipt for \$15.00 to send to my  
my wife to Europe - which  
he could not do.

I am a Poor Man this  
Sworn before all I have then  
on this 23 day

of Jan 1890

My Bayard  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C.

Leida Kahan

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

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Perach Kahan*

35 East Broadway  
N.Y.

*Herman John*

Offence

Dated *January 23* 18*90*

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

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FOL. 1

At a Criminal Term, Part 1, of the Supreme Court of the  
State of New York, held in and for the County of  
New York at the Criminal Courts Building in the  
Borough of Manhattan, of the said City of New  
York, on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1899.

Present,

HONORABLE

*Edgar L. Fursman*  
Justice.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK

against

*Joseph Susskind*  
*Herman Leshur*

It appearing in the opinion of this Court, that it is proper that the indictment  
hereinafter named be tried herein :

Now, on motion of Asa Bird Gardiner, District Attorney of the County of New  
York, it is

FOL. 2

**ORDERED**, that the indictment found in the Court of General Sessions  
of the Peace of the City and County of New York on the 25 day of  
December, 1889, against the above named defendants *Joseph Susskind and*  
*Herman Leshur*, for the crime of *Grand Larceny 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree*.  
be and the same is hereby removed into the Supreme Court of the State of New York  
in and for the County of New York.

*E. L. Fursman*  
*JHC*

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NEW YORK SUPREME COURT,  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK

*against*

*Joseph S. Svestinid*  
*Norman Cohen*

Order of Removal of  
Indictment.

ASA BIRD GARDINER,  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY,  
CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
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

Louis Susskind, Joseph  
Susskind and Herman Cohn

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

Indictment accuse Louis Susskind, Joseph Susskind and  
Herman Cohn of a Misdemeanor,  
of the crime of

committed as follows:

The said Louis Susskind, Joseph Susskind  
and Herman Cohn, all

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the

fourteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-nine, at the City and County aforesaid,

being individual bankers, carrying on business  
as copartners, in and by the name and style of  
J. Susskind and Company, did unlawfully  
receive from one Theodor Michalsonof a deposit of  
money to wit: the sum of fifteen dollars in money,  
lawful money of the United States of America,  
and of the value of fifteen dollars, of the proper  
money and personal property of the said Theodor  
Michalsonof, they the said Louis Susskind, Joseph  
Susskind and Herman Cohn then and there well  
knowing that they were then and there insolvent;  
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  
Louis Susskind, Joseph Susskind  
and Herman Cohn of the same  
misdemeanor, committed as  
follows:

The said Louis Susskind, Joseph Susskind  
and Herman Cohn, all late of the City and County  
aforesaid, the said Joseph Susskind and Herman  
Cohn being individual bankers, carrying on business  
as copartners in and by the name and style of J.  
Susskind and Company, and the said Louis  
Susskind being a clerk of the said Joseph  
afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid,  
Susskind and Herman Cohn, did unlawfully  
receive from one Theodor Michalouf, a deposit  
of money, to wit: the sum of fifteen dollars in  
money, lawful money of the United States of  
America and of the value of fifteen dollars, of  
the proper moneys and personal property of the said  
Theodor Michalouf, they the said Louis Susskind,  
Joseph Susskind and Herman Cohn then and there  
well knowing that they the said Joseph Susskind  
and Herman Cohn were then and there insolvent;

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

John R. Fellows,

District Attorney