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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Ridabock, Joseph

DATE:

04/03/89



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J.B.A

Counsel,
Filed *3* day of *April* 188*9*
Pleads, *Magistry 4*

Grand Larceny, *second* degree.
[Sections 528, 531 ~ Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE
vs. *P*
Josiah B. Roberts

11/8/89

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

C. M. Murray
For ex. p.
April 11
Henry D. J.
ten year
1889
P.B.M.

Witnesses:

Samuel W. Ogden
Samuel W. Ogden

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No.

New York, 188

Joseph Ridabock, arrested
January 28th 1884, 14 years old,
Residence 341 E. 69th St. charged
with Burglary. Complainant
Geo. H. Rosenberg 339 E. 69th St.
he was indicted Feb. 3rd 1884
and sentenced March 7th 1884
to one month Penitentiary by Judge
Gildersleeve.

A short time previous to that
Ridabock and another robbed
a man named Wallace who
was asleep in the back room
of a liquor store cor. 69th street
and 2nd ave. of a gold watch
Ridabock pawned the watch
for \$40.⁰⁰ and cleared out he
sent the ticket to his Father

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and Wallace received his
watch and refused to make
any complaint

Yours &
Alph Martin
D. J. Pres

for to assist attorneys and
have the former indictment
put in with the present
case and have him indicted
for 2^d offense

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0542

Police Court—First District. Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Susan H. Ogden

of No. 361 West 20th Street, aged 26 years,
occupation married being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 23rd day of February 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 day time, the following property, viz:

One cloth Coat of the value of thirty dollars

the property of the deponents husband
Leadow Ogden in deponents
care & charge

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 Josiah Ridabock, (now here), from the facts, that on said date the said Ridabock came to deponents premises N^o 361 West 20th Street and represented to deponent that he had been send by deponents husband for said coat; Deponent, believing the representation of the said Ridabock to be true, gave the said Ridabock the said property to take to deponents husband. Deponent is informed by Leadow Ogden that the representations made by the said Ridabock were false and untrue and that he did not send the said Ridabock to deponent for said coat.

Deponent therefor charges, that the said

Sworn to before me, this 1889 day of _____
Police Justice.

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Ridabock did feloniously make said false representations to deponent with the intent to obtain said property, and did feloniously take, steal and carry away said property from deponents possession, in violation of the statutes in such case made and provided.

Sworn to before me } Susan W. Ogden
This 22nd day of March 1889 }
J. B. [Signature]
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Ludlow Ogden

aged *36* years, occupation *Lawyer* of No.

361 West 20th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Susan W. Ogden*

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

Sworn to before me, this *22nd*
day of *March* 18*89*

Ludlow Ogden

W. J. Stone

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 188-200.

First District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Josiah Ridabock 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. Josiah Ridabock

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 241. E 81st Street

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Conductor

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge
Josiah Ridabock

Taken before me this

22nd

day of March

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0646

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 12th DISTRICT.

James Oates
of No. *15* *Princes* Police Street, aged *49* years,
occupation *Police of fire* being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the *19* day of *March* 188*9*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Richard Ridabrock was arrested
charged with having feloniously
stolen and carried away
property of the value of thirty
dollars from the residence of *L.*
Ogden West 20th Street
deponant says that the said *Ridabrock*
may be committed for examination
in order to enable deponant to
produce proper evidence in Court
against the said *Ridabrock*
James Oates

Sworn to before me, this
day of *March* 188*9*
James Oates

Police Justice,

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Police Court 1 District.

THE PEOPLE & c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Oates
vs.
Isiah Ridab

AFFIDAVIT.

James Oates

Dated March 20 1889

James Oates Magistrate.

James Oates Officer.

Witness, _____

Disposition, _____

\$1000 fr
Ex: 9⁰⁰ AM
Mar. 22

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BAILIED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court - 452
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James W. Patton
361 West 20 St

1 Joseph J. DeLoach

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Offence Larceny
Felony

Dated March 22nd 1889

James
Magistrate

James
Officer

James
President

Witnesses Andrew Patton

No. 361 West 20 St

James Patton

No. Street

No. Street

RECEIVED MAR 25 1889 DISTRICT CLERK

James
Street

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 March 22nd 1889 James 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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Dr. D. S. [unclear]
Ady [unclear] April 1889

UNIVERSITY CLUB
MADISON SQUARE.

To The District Attorney
Dear Sir

I am the complainant
in the case of Josiah
Ridabuck.

If it is possible - I
would like very much to
have the boy sent to the
Elmira Reformatory and
not to State Prison.

He is only sixteen years
of age - I am told - and
I fear that if he were
sent to Sing-Sing -

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he would become a
confirmed criminal -
whereas at the Reformatory
he would have a chance
to pull himself together
and perhaps become a
reputable member of society

Very Respectfully Yours
Richard Ogden

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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

Josiah Ridabock

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

Josiah Ridabock

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

The said

Josiah Ridabock

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

one coat of the value of thirty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Ludlow Ogden

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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Robbins, Charles

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Counsel,
Filed 23 day of April 1889
Pleads, Chitiquely

Grand Larceny, second degree [Sections 528, 53, 550 Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Charles D. Robbins

in
officials

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

C. M. Moran Foreman.
Chitiquely
J. P. D. J.
Pen 3 mos
307 *R.M.*

Witnesses:

J. M. Hardy
J. P. Lott

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court District. Affidavit-Larceny.

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

James M. Hardie
of No. 292 Carlton Ave Brooklyn Street, aged 40 years,
occupation Actor being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 20 day of April 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 gold scarf pin of the value of Twenty five dollars and one shirt of the value of Two 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

Charles F. Robbins (now here) for the reason that on said day said property was in a dressing room in the Thalia Theatre situated on the Bowery and deponent having missed said property deponent is informed by Officer James O. Heston, of the Sixth Precinct that he Heston found the pin here shown in the possession of of the defendant which property deponent identify as his property James M. Hardie

Sworn to before me, this 21 day of April 1889
J. M. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation James E. Liston Police officer of No. 6th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 21 day of April 188

James E. Liston

John J. ...
Police Justice.

[Lined area for additional text or notes]

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0656

Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles F. Robbins*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *California*

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

Answer. *219 Chrystie Street. 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Truck 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*

Charles F. Robbins

Taken before me this

21

day of *April*

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Samuel M. Moore

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court... 596 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James M. Hartley
vs
Charles P. Roberts

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Offence
Haulfencing

Dated April 21 1889

Magistrate
Kobin

Witnesses
Officer

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ _____ to answer



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

Defendant

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

Dated April 21 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1889 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 _____ 1889 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

Charles F. Robbins

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

Charles F. Robbins

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

The said

Charles F. Robbins

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

one scarf-pin of the value of twenty-five dollars and one shirt of the value of two dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James M. Hardie

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Charles F. Robbins

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

The said

Charles F. Robbins

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 scarf - pin of the value
of twenty-five dollars, and
one shirt of the value of
two dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James M. Hardie

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

James M. Hardie

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

Charles F. Robbins

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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DESCRIPTION:

Robinson, James

DATE:

04/15/89



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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v/s.

Witnesses:

Mrs. Matilda Cornell
John Alsten
A. Money
G. P. Rabbit

I am of opinion that the value of the goods in question cannot be shown to be worth more than ~~twenty~~ five dollars and therefore recommend that a plea of petit larceny be accepted.

April 18/89 J. W. Lyoff
Clerk Dist. Ct.

Counsel,
Filed 15th day of April 1889
Pleads, Ask guilty 16

Grand Larceny 2nd & 3rd degrees [Sections 528, 581, 552 Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

40 W. 5th Pos.
55th W. 5th Pos.
E

James Robinson

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. W. Lyoff
Foreman.

Part of April 18/89 -
Pleads Petit Larceny
#170 Pen one M.D.
April 27/89

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court— 4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Matilda Carroll
of No. 416 West 53rd Street, aged 37 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 4 day of April 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 day time, the following property viz :

One trunk containing wearing apparel valued at fifty dollars, one machine valued at fifteen dollars and one stove valued at two dollars the whole being valued at sixty seven 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

James Robinson and
Robert Robinson (both road boys)
who were at my residence for the reasons following to wit: on the said date this deponent having been dispossessed from premises 4688 11th Avenue the said property was on the sidewalk in front of said premises and having missed the said property deponent is informed by Edward Purcell (her friend) that on said date the defendant Robinson came to the place of business in which he Purcell

Sworn to before me this 1889 day

Police Justice

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was employed and endeavored to sell the said machine and gun to him, Russell the said brand, the defendant is further informed by Francis Mooney here present that he Mooney saw the defendant Robinson with the said property in his possession which property defendant has since seen and identified as being a portion of the stolen property. Defendant further says that the property which defendant Robinson placed in the cigar store kept by Frederick M. Whelan (her friend) and which she afterwards recovered is a portion of the stolen property.

Shown to before me Mahala Bawell
This 7th day of April 1889
J. S. Bawell

Police Justice

Dated 1889 Police Justice

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

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, Office - LARCENY. THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of. Dated 1889. Magistrate. Officer. Clerk. Witness. No. Street. No. Street. No. Street. No. Sessions.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Francis Mooney

aged 29 years, occupation Labourer of No.

741 - 10th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Matilda Carroll

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

7th }
April 1889 } Francis Mooney

[Signature]
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward Purcell

aged 14 years, occupation Errand boy of No.

741 - 10th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Matilda Carroll

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

7 }
April 1889 } Edward Purcell

[Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Robinson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

40 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

40 years

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

Answer.

559 West 50th St. 1 month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Lawyer

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 Robinson

Taken before me this

day of

Sept

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at 221 W 11th St

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 797.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me Maurice Stern Esquire,
Police Justice of said City, by Matilda Brown No. 416 West 53rd
Street, in the said City, that the following property, to wit :

One trunk containing wearing ap-
parel and trunks one machine
and one stove

Has been feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Bartholomew
Hanton and James Robinson
and that he has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect that the said property
or part thereof is now concealed in the dwelling house or premises of James Robinson
situate on a lot of ground fronting on No. 559 W 50th Street, in the
22 Ward of said City.

THESE ARE THEREFORE in the name of the People of the State of New York, to command
and authorize you, with proper assistance, in the day time, to enter into the house or premises of the
said James Robinson situate as aforesaid, and there make immediate
search for the said property and if the same, or any part thereof
shall be found, then you are likewise commanded to bring the same so found, together with the said
Bartholomew Hanton and James Robinson
or the person in whose custody the same shall be so found, before me or some other Police Justice in
and for the said City and County, to be dealt with as the law directs. This Warrant unless executed
within five days after its date is void.

Given at the City of New York aforesaid, under my hand and seal,
this 5th day of April one thousand
eight hundred and eighty 9

M. Stern
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Inventory of property taken by _____ *the Policeman by whom this warrant was executed:* _____

no property found

City and County of New York, ss:

I, *Patrick Rabbett* the Officer by whom this warrant was executed, do swear that ~~the above Inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.~~ *there was no property found in the said premises*

Sworn to before me, this *7th* day of *April* 188*9* } *Patrick Rabbett*

Police Justice.

Police Court District

SEARCH WARRANT.
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
vs.

Dated _____ 188

Justice.

Officer.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0658

Sec. 793.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Matilda Carroll

of 416 West 53rd Street, aged 37 years,

occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
4 day of April 1889 at the 22 Ward of the City of
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, the following
property:

One trunk containing wearing
apparel, one machine, and
one stove

the property of deponent Matilda Carroll

and that the deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property has
been feloniously taken and stolen by Bartholomew Stanton

and James Robinson

and that the said property, or part thereof, is now concealed in the dwelling house of
said James Robinson at 559 West 50th Street.

situate on a lot of ground fronting on No. 559 West 50th Street, in the
22 Ward of said City. Wherefore, process is requested by this deponent, to search the

house of the said James Robinson for the said property.

Sworn to before me, this 5th day of April 1889 } Matilda Carroll

J. A. Oves Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Matilda Carroll

vs.

Paul Hamilton
James Robinson

Affidavit for S. Warrant.

Dated April 5 1889

Pam Justice.

Rabbit Officer.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

of No. 22 Ann Regener Street, aged years,
occupation Patrick Rabbett Police Officer

being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 4 day of April 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested James Robinson and Bartholomay Stanton on complaint of Matilda Carroll who charges them with Grand Larceny and Deposition prays that the defendants be held to enable him to secure the necessary evidence.

Patrick Rabbett

Sworn to before me, this 5 day

of April 1889

See S. Carson
Police Justice,

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0671

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Police Court - 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.
James Robinson
Barr Stanton

AFFIDAVIT

Grand Jury

\$1000 for exp^e
9th - April 7.

Dated *April 5* 188*9*

Law Magistrate.

Rabbert Officer.

Witness, *72*

Disposition,

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 797.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Proof by affidavit having been this day made before me *Maurice Ross* Esquire,
Police Justice of said City, by *Matilda Corbett* of No. *446 W 53rd*
Street, in the said City, that the following property, to wit :

*A quantity of crossing apparel,
a work on the "Life of Christ"
two feathers, a grape comb
and nail, some bed clothes,
and some papers.*

Has been feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *James Robinson*

and that he has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect that the said *property*
or part thereof is now concealed in the dwelling house or premises of *John Thompson*
situate on a lot of ground fronting on No. *440-10th Avenue* Street, in the
20 Ward of said City.

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

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

Given at the City of New York aforesaid, under my hand and seal,
this *7th* day of *April* one thousand
eight hundred and eighty *seven*

M. Ross Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0673

Inventory of property taken by _____ the Policeman by whom this warrant was executed:

No property found

City and County of New York, ss:

Patrick Rabbett the Officer by whom this warrant was executed do swear that the above inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me in this warrant.

Sworn to before me, this *8th* day of *April* 188*9* } *Patrick Rabbett*

[Signature] Police Justice.

Police Court - District

SEARCH WARRANT.
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
John Sampson

Dated *April 7* 188*9*
Pam Justice.
Officer.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0674

Sec. 793.

of District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Matilda Carroll

of *416 West 53rd* Street, aged _____ years,

occupation *Housekeeper* being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

4 day of *April* 188*9* at the *20* Ward of the City of

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

property: *A quantity of wearing apparel, a work on the "Life of Lincoln", two ostrich feathers, a crape bonnet and veil, some bed clothes and some papers.* *Matilda Carroll*

the property of deponent *Deponent* and that the deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property has been feloniously taken and stolen by *James Robinson*

and that the said property, or part thereof, is now concealed in the dwelling house of *John Hampson* situate on a lot of ground fronting on No. *440-10* *Spring* Street, in the *20* Ward of said City. Wherefore, process is requested by this deponent, to search the house of the said *John Hampson* for the said property.

Sworn to before me, this *7th* day of *April* 188*9* } *Matilda Carroll*

W. O. Brown Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0675

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Affidavit for S. Warrant.

vs.
James R. Johnson
John Thompson

Dated this _____ 188

Parsons Justice.

Officer.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0676

Committee to Stop
of Restrictions in
advance of Treaty
Bureau,

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

24 PO 534
Police Court
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
vs.
THE COMPLAINT OF

416 West 53 St
James Wickman
Berkthony Stanton

H.D.
Offence
Grand Jury

Dated April 7 1889

Magistrate
Officer
Precinct

Witness
No. 1 to 4
Street

Edward Russell
Street

No. 1110
Street

No. 16 76
Street

No. 1007
Street



over

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

R. C. Anderson

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 April 7 1889. and over Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1889 _____ 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 _____ 1889 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0677

Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

the ^{7th} day of April BE IT REMEMBERED, That or
of No. Bartholomew Stanton in the year of our Lord 1889
and 553 West 49th Street, in the city of New York,
of No. Patrick Sullivan
553. 11th Avenue Street, in the said City,

personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE of the STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the said
the sum of Bartholomew Stanton **Hundred Dollars,**
and the said Patrick Sullivan **Hundred Dollars,**
the sum of One **Hundred Dollars,**

separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the condition following, viz.:

The Condition of this Recognizance is such, That the person, first above recognized, shall personally appear, at the next COURT OF Special SESSIONS of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, and then and there *Testify* and give such evidence, in behalf of the people of the State of New York, as he may know, concerning an Offence or Misdemeanor, said to have been lately committed in the City of New York, aforesaid by

James Robinson

And do not Depart thence, without leave of the Court, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the }
day and year first above written.

Bartholomew Stanton
Patrick Sullivan

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0678

John J. Sullivan
Police Justice
1881

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says, that he is a
said City, and is worth

Patrick Sullivan
Two ~~thousand~~ *free*

holder in

Hundred Dollars,

over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of *house*
and lot of Land situate No 553. 11th Avenue
valued at \$5000 over encumbrances

Patrick Sullivan

New York Special Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

vs.

James Robinson

Power

Magistrate.

Filed

day of

188

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0579

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Patrick Rabbitt

of No. 22nd Precinct Street, aged 40 years,

occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 7th day of April 1889

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

Stanton (now here) is a material

witness for the People against

James Robinson charged with

Grand Larceny, and deposes

believing that the said Stanton

will not appear when wanted

He prays that the defendant

Stanton be committed to the

House of Detention for witness

Patrick Rabbitt

Patrick Rabbitt

over

Sworn to before me, this

of April 1889

day

Police Justice,

[Signature]

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0580

Bartholomew Stanton
District.

Police Court

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT

Surgeon
H. J. Miller
1889
City of New York

^{Sworn}
Stanton says he was standing in front of the liquor store about fifty feet from Wm Curroll's property that was laying on the side walk. He saw the defendant Robertson come stop his wagon and order the men to assist him in placing the articles in it. Defendant did so, believing the property was the defendant's.

1889
Magistrate.
Stanton did not see any one confer with the defendant in the sale of the property.

Bartholomew Stanton

Dated

Witness

Disposition

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0681

New York April 22th 1889

Well Dear Judge i sit
down to write these
few lines to you to
let you no i am a
hard working man
and a poor man i did
not steal any thing.
But i have bought them
i diding no that they
was stoling till they
come and tole me so she
got all the things back
i have a poor wife and
one child and i am all
the ser port my dear wife
has and for god sake dear
Dont be hard on me for
my dear wife and child
sake and god Bless you
and us all and be with us
all the way over

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0682

and with the help of
god i will never be in
a place like this again
and good By and god be
with us all Both night
and Day of m

Yours

James Robinson

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0683



District Police Court

New York

188

Memo. in Dist Ctty

This defendant was
convicted and sentenced
to 6 mo. in the Penitentiary
within 2 years for ~~felony~~
~~felony~~ larceny. ~~where~~ The
affair will obtain the
facts - the N.Y. Steam
Printing Co. were probably
the complainants.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0684

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 Robinson

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

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

The said *James Robinson*,

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

one bundle of the value of five dollars, divers articles of clothing and wearing apparel, a number of articles of furniture and household goods, the value of fifty dollars; one machine of the value of fifteen dollars, and one horse of the value of two dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Matilda Carroll*,

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

James Robinson

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

The said *James Robinson*

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

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *the said Matilda Carroll,*

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

Carroll,

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

James Robinson

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. FELLOYS,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Rocco, Vitucco

DATE:

04/02/89



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Vitucco, Salvatore

DATE:

04/02/89



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Faccone, Giuseppe

DATE:

04/02/89



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WITNESSES:

Pat H. Caspary
James J. W. Spide

Dec 9th 1889

I recommend a dismissal of this indictment. In examination of the articles for the People disclose that they wholly fail to identify either of these defendants as the persons who assaulted them.

J. R. Fellows
Dist. Atty.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Dimitro Rosa,
Salvatore Litrico
and
Giuseppe Faccione

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

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

2nd day of April 1889
Chattanooga (3)

J. R. Fellows
District Attorney

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill
Even days

Dec 9, 1889
Foreman

On record about
attn. include this.
as to all debts
P. B. N.

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Witnesses:

Pat H. Caspore
James J. McQuade

Dec 9th 1889
I recommend a dismissal
of this indictment. In
examination of the witnesses
for the People discloses that
they were sworn to identify
either of these defendants as
the persons who assaulted
them. ~~McQuade~~
Dist. Atty.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

[Signature]
day of April 1889
[Signature]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B
Vittorio Rosco
Salvatore Vitacco
and
Vincenzo Saccione

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

[Signature]
A True Bill.

[Signature]
Foreman.

On recon. about
atty. must be dis.
as to all debts
P.B.M.

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Police Court 11th District

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No. Patience H. Cosgrove Street,
the 2^d French Police

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Sunday the 24th day of March

in the year 188 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Vitacco

Proc. Salvatore Vitacco
and Giuseppe Macconi (all
now here) that the said Vitacco
Proc. did willfully point
aim and discharge three
shots from a revolving pistol
then and there held in the hands
of the said Vitacco Proc. at
deponent's body and that either
the said Salvatore Vitacco or
the said Giuseppe Macconi
did willfully cut and stab
deponent in the head with
some sharp instrument

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day
of March 188

Patience H. Cosgrove

J. Murphy POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 193-209.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Salvatore Vitacco 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. *Salvatore Vitacco*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *99 Broadway St. 1 Year.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Fruit Dealer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. I waive
examination by counsel of my counsel
Salvatore Vitacco
Wm...*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*9*

John J. ...

Police Justice.

0693

Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Vitacco Rocco 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. *Vitacco Rocco.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *33 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *99 Broadway St, 1 Year.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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. I waive examination by advice of my lawyer Vitacco X Rocco*

Taken before me this

day of *August* 188*9*

J. W. Mumford

Police Justice.

0694

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Giuseppe Maccone 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. *Giuseppe Maccone*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *99 Broadway, N.Y., 1 Year.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Traveler*

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. I waive examination by advice of my Counsel.*
Giuseppe X Maccone
Munn

Taken before me this
day of *March* 188*9*

J. W. Murphy
Police Justice.

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Port
District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Vituccio Rocco
et al.

all served process

onally this day
for June 14th
& Bond notice
issued by H.M.
H.M.

Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

Vituccio Rocco

et al.

Neither of the wit-
nesses for the prose-
cutor is positive
that the assault al-
leged in the indict-
ment herein, was
committed by either
of the defendants

Witness Duffy de-
clares more positively
that the shots were
fired by a man that
has escaped. I am
of the opinion that
the indictment should
be dismissed.
Edward Gross
& Dep. Hobbs

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District Attorney's Office.

Part 3
PEOPLE

vs.

Vincent Record

Dec 5th

All issued

Dec 4/89.

Myers

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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Henry Ford a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Giuseppe Faccaro Defendant with
the offence of Assault

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Giuseppe Faccaro Defendant of No. 99
Crosby Street; by occupation a Reduct
and Antonio Alvaro of No. 23 Crosby Street, by occupation a Marin
Giuseppe Faccaro Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named Giuseppe Faccaro Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice. at the Justi District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Ten
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 21st day of March 1889
Giuseppe Faccaro
Antonio Alvaro
G. Humphreys POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sworn to before me, this 25
day of March
1889
John W. ...
District Justice.

Antonio Aliano
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and
holder within the said County and State, and is worth Twenty Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of the house and lot
of land known as No 23
Marion Street valued \$10,000
above incumbrance

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the ... day of ... 188

Justice.

Antonio Aliano

0700

Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before J. Henry Ford a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Salvatore Vitucci Defendant with
the offence of Assault

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Salvatore Vitucci Defendant of No. 99
Crosby Street; by occupation a Fruit dealer
and Antonio Aliano of No. 73 Marmon
Street, by occupation a Grocer Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named Salvatore Vitucci Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice. at the _____ District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Ten
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 25 Salvatore Vitucci
day of March 1889 Antonio Aliano
J. Henry Ford POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph P. ...
deputy
Police Justice

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Sworn to before me, this

Antonio Aliano
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and *free*
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Twenty* Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of *the house and lot*
of land known as No 23
Marion Street, valued \$10,000
above encumbrance

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.

Antonio Aliano

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Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Henry Ford a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Vitacco Rocco Defendant with
the offence of Assault

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Vitacco Rocco Defendant of No. 99
Crosby Street; by occupation a Red cap
and Antonio Aliano of No. 23 Marguoi
Street, by occupation a Grocer Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named Vitacco Rocco Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice. at the 1st District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Ten
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 25 Vitacco Rocco
day of March 1889 Antonio Aliano
J. Murphy POLICE JUSTICE.

0703

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ES.

Sworn to before me, this 23rd day of March 1888
John J. Mack
Police Justice.

Antonio Alessio
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Twenty* Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *the house and lot of land valued \$10000 at 23 Marion Street known as 23 Marion Street.*

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the _____ day of _____ 1888

Justice.

Antonio Alessio

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No. 88 A.

RECORD.

Name James J. McBride Rank Patrolman
 Appointed on Probation July 27 - 1886.
 Appointed Augt 28 - 1886. Age when appointed 23 Years.

| DATE OF COMPLAINT. | NATURE OF COMPLAINT. | DATE OF JUDGMENT. | JUDGMENT. |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Feb 20 87 | Absent from his post | Mar 15 87 | Rep |
| July 26 " | " " " " sitting | Aug 23 " | 1/2 |
| Nov 24 " | To 2nd grade Augt 28/87 | | |
| Jan 17 88 | Absent from post in cigar store | Dec 20 " | Rep |
| Feb 17 88 | Failed to get up when ordered | Feb 17 88 | 10.6. |
| Mar 22 " | Absent from post | Apr 13 " | 1/2 |
| May 18 " | Failed to report for drill | June 12 " | 1 |
| July 4 " | Absent from roll-call | Aug 10 " | 1/2 |
| " 7 " | Did not properly patrol | " 17 " | 3 |
| " 13 " | Absent from roll-call | " " " | 2 |
| Sept 21 " | " " post in a liquor store | Oct 23 " | 3 |
| " 21 " | " " stationery post in a liquor store | " " " | 5 |
| Dec 3 " | Did not properly patrol | Dec 28 " | 3 |
| Apr 9 89 | Absent from post in drug store | May 2 89 | 1/2 |
| " 28 " | Off post in liquor store | June 4 " | 5 |
| Aug 20 " | Under the influence of liquor | Sept 4 " | Dismissed |
| Dismissed Force Sept 4/89. | | | |

Total Days' Fine.....

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Court of General Sessions

The People
vs.
Vittorio Rocco et al.

Indictment:

Assault 1st degree
§§ 217 & 218 N. Y. C.

for having on the 24th of March, 1889, assaulted Patrick H. Cosgrove, an officer of the N. Y. Police force by stabbing him with a sharp instrument into the back of his head and by firing several pistol shots at him, with intent to kill the said Cosgrove.

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James J. Mc Bride, patrolman
5th precinct. On the 24th of
March, 1889, between 11 and
12 o'clock P. M., at the corner
of Pierce and Crosby Streets,
I walked along with officer
Cogrove. When we passed
the three defendants ~~with their companions~~ who stood
on said corner, Rocco tried
to trip Cogrove up. We ordered
them off the side walk. Rocco
turned around and stabbed
Cogrove in the face. I ran
for Rocco, and while he
was stepping backwards,
he fell into the gutter. The two
other defendants ~~with their companions~~ ran for
us. Rocco had got ~~up~~ on his
feet again, and while he was
pursued by Cogrove, he turned
around and fired two shots
at Cogrove. I did not see
the shots fired, but I saw
something shining in his
hand. The smallest of the
three defendants pushed some-
thing like a stiletto at Cogrove's
hind head, just when he had

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got hold of Rocco.

Patrick J. Cosgrove, patrolman
2^d precinct. On the 24th of March,
1889, at 11.30 P. M., when passing
the corner of Corby & Prince Streets
in company of officer McTavide
I was tipped up by one of a
party of 15 Italians, who stood
at the said corner. I stumbled
but did not fall. I showed
them my shield and told them
that I was an officer. They
did not pay any attention
to my order to clear the corner.
When I had righted myself, after
being tipped up, I felt that
I had been cut in the back of
my head, but I ~~did~~ do not
know, who cut me. I took
out my billy, and got hold
of one of the party. At the
same time, several pistol shots
were fired. I let the said party
go, to get hold of the one, who
fired the shots, but I did not
see a pistol in any one's hands.
I thought they were fired by

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the defendant Rocco, but I am not positive about it. The place was rather dark, and the faces ⁱⁿ of the crowd greatly resembled each other. The crowd then dispersed, and its members fled into the alleys and hallways near by. I am not positive in the identification of the defendants.

George Duffyn, 210 Elm Street, Cook
At the time of the assault alleged in the indictment herein, I was in company of officers Mc Bride and Cosgrove. I saw the party who did the shooting, but he is not one of the defendants herein. He was a taller man, fully 5 feet and 4 or 10 inches high. I have seen the three defendants in court, but I cannot identify them as having been among the said crowd. I followed the man, who fired the shots to an alleyway where he disappeared.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0709

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs,

Vitacco Pocco,
et al.

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated. *June 19th* 1889

Edward Moore

Deputy Assistant.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0710

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione, all late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Patrick W. Cosgrove in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and with a certain sharp instrument, to the said Patrick W. Cosgrove

jury aforesaid unknown which the said Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione in their right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, a certain pistol, then and there loaded and charged with gun powder and one leaden bullet, which the said Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione in their right hands then and there had and held, the same being a dangerous and deadly weapon, which they and there had and held, feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge, and thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione, all late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to-wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Patrick W. Cosgrove

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, abuse against him, the said Patrick W. Cosgrove, a certain pistol, then and there loaded and charged with gun powder and one leaden bullet, which the said Vitucco Rocco, Salvatore Vitucco and Giuseppe Faccione in their right hands then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there wilfully and wrongfully did strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

John R. Bellows, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

3308

DESCRIPTION:

Rochstein, Jacob

DATE:

04/16/89



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DESCRIPTION:

Franklin, Samuel

DATE:

04/16/89



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1. Rudy

Counsel,
Filed 16 day of April 1889
Pleads, Myself 17

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Jacob Rochostein
and
Samuel Franklin

Grand Larceny, Second degree
[Sections 528, 58159, Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.
Ordered to the Court of
Cyer and Terming for trial
Remitted to the Court of General
Sessions and the City and County of
Alameda April 22, 1889
A TRUE BILL

J. M. W. W. W. W. W.
Foreman.

April 24, 1889
W. H. W. W. W. W. W.
April 25, 1889
No. 1. Pen. One year

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M. 2. Pen. 131 89
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Witnesses:
A. J. Black
W. B. Baker
J. J. Baker

Upon an examination
of the witnesses and in
view of the apparent
good character of
the deft Franklin
I do not think a
conviction would be
obtained
J. M. W. W. W. W. W.
J. M. W. W. W. W. W.

POOR QUALITY
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County of General Sessions.

The People in

Samuel Franklin

City and County of New York do.
Samuel Smith being duly sworn
says he resides at #219
Grand Street in the City of
New York. That he has known
the above named defendant for
about ten years, that the defendant
has the reputation of being
an honest industrious young
man, he has been in our
employ at different times
and we have always found
him honest.

Notwithstanding this charge will
give him employment again
if discharged. Defendant is
engaged in the business of
Manufactures of Military Clothing at
#17 Crosby St.

Sworn to before me } Samuel Smith
this 24th day of May 1889 }

Wm. H. Reed
Notary Public (13) N.Y.C.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0715

Court of General Sessions

The People vs
vs.
Samuel Franklin }

City & County of New York ss.
David Epstein being duly
sworn says he resides at
99 Essex St in the City of New
York, that he has known the
defendant for about six years,
that he has seen him almost
daily during that time and
always found him honest
and industrious. Defendant
is in the Express business
and has had the Express man
to help him at different
times on his trucks and
during that time he was
honest and reliable.

Sworn to before me } David Epstein
this 7th day of May 1889 }

Wm H. Reed

Notary Public (13)

New York County

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0715

Report of General Session

The People vs
vs
Samuel Franklin

City and County of New York N.Y.
Joseph Franklin being duly sworn
says he resides at 166 East 10th St
and place of business at
101 South Fifth Avenue. That
deponent is the uncle of the
defendant and defendant
has always been earnest
and industrious and in
employment up to the day
of his arrest that deponent
will immediately give
him employment as soon
as discharged. Whenever I have
had work he has been employed
by me.

Sworn to before me } J. Franklin
this 7th day of May 1889. }

J. J. Henry
Notary Public (S.S.)
my Co

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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Country General Session

The People

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Samuel Franklin

affidavit

Parson Woodlark

Comand for Dept

280 Perry

Handwritten

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0718

Police Court 23 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Frederick F. Fleck

of No. 199 Centre Street, aged 25 years,
occupation Cloth Printer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 13 day of April 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 day time, the following property, viz:

One piece of
blue Imperial flannel, 24 7/8 yards
of the value of thirty dollars
(\$30)

the property of Stern, Hall & Co. and then in deponent's
care as Superintendent of the Manhattan
Cloth Printing and Refinishing Company
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 Jacob Rochstein and
Samuel Franklin (now here). The
said property was stolen in transit
from one of deponent's trucks as de-
ponent is informed by Otto Backe
now here (deponent's cartman) and
deponent is informed by Policeman
John O. Saviccone (now here) that
subsequent to the stealing of the
said property he found defendants
in possession of the said stolen
property in Prinie Street on said
date

— Frederick F. Fleck

Sworn to before me, this 14 day of April 1889
M. J. Williams Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 25 years, occupation Cartman of No. St. Essex

Oth Beach

Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Fredrick J. Fleck and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 14 day of April 1888

Oth Beach

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 41 years, occupation Owner of No. St. James

John O. Lawrence

Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Fredrick J. Fleck and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 14 day of April 1888

John O. Lawrence

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0720

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Jacob Rochstein 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. Jacob Rochstein

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. US.

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

Answer. 232 Delaney St & North

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. pedlar

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
Jacob Rochstein

Taken before me this

day of April 1888

J. M. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Samuel Franklin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Liverpool England*

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

Answer. *121 Ludlow - 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Slayer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Samuel Franklin

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*8*

J. M. [Signature]

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0723

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 Rochstein
and
Samuel Franklin

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

Jacob Rochstein and Samuel Franklin
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed
as follows:

The said

Jacob Rochstein and
Samuel Franklin, both

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

*twenty-five yards of flannel
of the value of one dollar
and twenty-cents each yard*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Hyman B. 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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Jacob Rochstein and Samuel Franklin
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said

*Jacob Rochstein and
Samuel Franklin, both*

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,

*twenty five yards of flannel
of the value of one dollar
and twenty cents each yard*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Hyman B. 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

Hyman B. Stern

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

*Jacob
Rochstein and Samuel Franklin*

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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DESCRIPTION:

Rohnken, John

DATE:

04/26/89



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0726

WITNESSES:

Daniel Bryan

Counsel,

Filed *26* day of *April* 188*9*

Pleads

Myself: clyb

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

John Johnson

1763 Ave C

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW

(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1883, Sec. 21 and
page 1889, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

A. M. [Signature]
Foreman.

*Complaint sent to the Court
of Special Sessions,*

April 25, 1889

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0727

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 Rohuken

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

John Rohuken
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

John Rohuken

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one

Daniel Digan

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

John Rohuken

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

John Rohuken

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of a certain place there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did not close and keep closed, and on the said day the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, 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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DESCRIPTION:

Roll, Franz

DATE:

04/17/89



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Counsel,
Filed *17* day of *April* 188*9*
Pleads,

Grand Larceny, First Degree.
(DWELLING HOUSE.)
[Sections 528, 530 — Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Frank Roll

H. J. ...

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. M. ...
April 16 1889
Foreman.
Henry ...
W. H. ...
W. H. ...

Witnesses:
J. J. ...

... for Officer

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court 1 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Jacob Leh

of No. 467 9th avenue Street, aged 36 years,
occupation Baker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 11 day of April 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:

good and lawful money of the
United States. Consisting of one
Note of the denomination and value of
ten dollars five Bills of the denomination
and value of five dollars each, and
one Bill of the value of one dollar
in all of the value of forty one dollars
\$ 41.00
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 Frank Hall (read here)

from the fact that deponent had
paid money in a Satchel in
deponent's Room, at the aforesaid
premises, that said deponent
was employed in the same house
and occupied the same Room
with deponent, that he left his
employment with out giving any
notice, and when gone deponent
found said money
deponent caused the arrest of
said deponent who acknowledged
in the presence of witnesses that he
did steal said property

Jacob Leh

Sworn to before me, this 14 day
of April 1889
Jacob Leh
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Franz Roll 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. *Franz Roll*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *I have no home*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Baker*

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

Answer. *I am guilty*

Franz Roll

Taken before me this

day of

April

1889

Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court... 569 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Paul Hill
467th St
New York

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Offence

Dated

April 14 1889

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

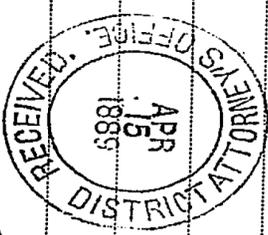
Witnesses

No.

Street

No.

Street



No.

Street

\$

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to answer

Street

Case No. 121

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 April 14 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 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 1889 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

Franz Roll

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

Franz Roll

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

The said *Franz Roll*

late of the *Twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eleventh* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine* in the night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *ten* dollars; *one* promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *ten* dollars; *one* United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of *ten* dollars; *one* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *ten* dollars

five promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *five* dollars each; *five* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *five* dollars each; *five* United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of *five* dollars each; *five* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *five* dollars each

one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *one* dollar; *one* promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), 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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Jacob Leh*

in the dwelling-house of the said *Jacob Leh*

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. Bellows,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Rothrock, Oscar

DATE:

04/08/89



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Pail fixed on two
mudcls. at \$3500
R.B.M.

Witnesses:

Alvin E. Jure

J.W. Woolworth

Edw. Bushinger

Abraham Cohen

Max Jacobs

Adolph Lambert

Edwin Sands (Po.)

Chas L. Morris

W. S. Symonds 1024
89

Counsel,

J. Maurice Alford

Filed

day of April 1889

Pleads,

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs. I

Oscar Rothrock

(2 cases)

Forgery in the Second Degree.
[Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.]
(Endorsement, etc.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Left main in book 11/19
License fee (to ASOS. 88-
not to John Brown. C.P.P.

A True Bill.

Part II November 25/89

Read and signed

[Signature]

Foreman.

Off Aug - 10/19/89

[Signature]

[Signature]

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions

The People

vs.
Oscar Rothrock

City and county of New York, ss:
Max Jacobs, being duly sworn,
says that he is one of the wit-
nesses in this action, that
on the 13th of March, 1889, a man
came into my clothing store at
No. 2 Borden Street and bought
a suit of clothes from me that
in payment of ~~therefor~~ he gave
me a check for \$18.14, drawn
by Woolworth & Knos upon the
Second National Bank, Inc, Pay
in favor of Adolph Lambert. That
this check turned out to be a
forged indorsement. That I
received the said check from the
said man. That he wore a small
black mustache and seemed
to be a little taller than the de-
fendant herein. That I did not
take a square, direct look at
the said man, but my ge-

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neral impression is that he ~~is not the~~ it was not the defendant herein.

Sworn to before me this 30th of October 1889 } Mayor

Edward Gease
Notary Public
City and County of New York

City and County of New York, ss:
Salomon Brodsky, being duly sworn, says, he is a salesman in the employ of Mr. Maso Jacobs, clothier of No. 2 Doyton Street, City of New York. That on the 18th of March, 1889, a man came into our ^{said} store who resembled the defendant herein. That I sold him a suit of clothes and an overcoat and in payment therefor he gave to Mr. Jacobs a check. The said man had a small black mustache and was rather tall and of slim build. That I cannot swear positively that the said man, who called

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at our store as aforesaid, was
the defendant. ^{Palmer Bros}
I was to before me }
this 1st of November 1889 } ^{Produce}
} ^{himself}

Edward Grosse
Notary Public
City and county of New York.

~~Detective Carey, Detective, 19th
precinct, corroborates the com-
plainant's statement about
defendant's admission that she
found the said ring and drop-
ped it out of the window.~~

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.
Oscar Rothrock

Affidavit of
BRIEF OF FACTS.
Jacobs & Brodsky

For the District Attorney.

Dated.....1888.

Deputy Assistant.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0740

The United States

vs

Oscar Kottrock

Forgery
upon a
bank check
\$596.

1887

Dec 10 - Filed indictment

" 16 - Arraigned - pl - not guilty

" 23 - Tried - acquitted -

June 13 93

J. Clerk Court Park
N.Y.C.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0741

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Oscar Rothman

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

Oscar Rothman

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

The said Oscar Rothman,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 14th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, at the City and County aforesaid, having in his custody a certain instrument and writing, to wit: an order for the payment of money of the kind called Trade Receipts which said Trade Receipts is as follows, that is to say:

No. 1376 Erie Co. March 14, 1889 Second National Bank Pay to the order of Adolph Sander Eighteen and 14/100 Dollars \$18.14 Wadsworth & Frost

the said Oscar Rothman,

afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did forge, and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in forging on the Trade Receipts of the said Trade Receipts a certain instrument and writing commonly called an endorsement, which said forged instrument and writing commonly called an endorsement is as follows, that is to say:

"Adolph Sander"

with intent to defraud, 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 Oscar Rothman of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Oscar Rothman,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid having in first possession a certain instrument and writing, to wit: a check for the amount of money of the kind called bank checks,

which said bank check is as follows, that is to say:

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|---|---------------------------------|
| No. 1376 | Erie, Pa. March 14, 1889 |
| Second National Bank | |
| Pay to the order of <u>Richard Sander</u> | |
| <u>Richard Sander</u> and | <u>14</u> <u>100</u> Dollars |
| \$ 14 ¹⁴ / ₁₀₀ | <u>Richard Sander</u> x Just |

on the bank check— of which said bank check there was then and there written a certain forged instrument and writing commonly called an endorsement of the said last-mentioned bank check— which said forged instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement is as follows, that is to say:

"Richard Sander"

with force and arms, the said forged endorsement then and there feloniously did utter, dispose of and put off as true, with intent to defraud, he the said Oscar Rothman, then and there well knowing the premises, and that the said endorsement was forged, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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This indictment was found in April 1889 -
on the 10th of December 1889 - The defendant
was indicted by the United States Grand
Jury for an offense based on the same
facts as form the basis of this indictment.

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back of this indictment. The Clerk of the
United States Circuit Court on the June 13th 93
informed Mr. Sherman that the defendant
was tried ⁱⁿ the U.S. Circuit Court on Dec 23rd 89
& acquitted. I therefore ask that this indictment
be dismissed. -
June 14th 93

G. S. B.
U.S.A.

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Ch. Seydman 1022
Counsel,
Filed
Pleads, *Ch. Seydman*

J. 28. Park Row.
day of April 1889

Forgery in the Second Degree.
[Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.]
(Endorsement, etc.)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles L. Morris
Edwin Sands

~~and~~

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

April 23rd 89

A True Bill.

Wm. G. G. G.
Foreman.

Dismissed

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Witnesses;

Alvin E. Jorie

J. W. Woolworth

Abraham Coker

Erw. Bushunge

Max Jacobs

Adolph Lambert

Edwin Sands

Chas L. Morris

Dec 14 - 1889

This defendant has been
indicted by U.S. Grand
Jury for an offense based
on the same facts as form
the basis of this indictment
& he is now in U.S. Custody.

This indictment should
therefore be dismissed

J. R. Fellows

Dist. Atty.

For information
see inside

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This Indictment was found in April 1889 -
on the 10th of December 1889 - The defendant
was indicted by the United States Grand
Jury for an offense based on the same
facts as form the basis of this Indictment.

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back of this Indictment. The Clerk of the
United States Circuit Court on the June 13th 93
informed Mr Shannon that the defendant
was tried ⁱⁿ the U.S. Circuit Court on Dec 23rd 89
& acquitted. I therefore ask that this Indictment
be dismissed. -
June 14th 93
G. F. B.
U.S.A.

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Counsel, *[Signature]*
Filed *[Signature]* 1889
Pleads, *[Signature]*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
[Signature]
FORGERY in the Second Degree.
[Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.]
(Endorsement, etc.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney,
April 25th 93
7 Oct. 1889

A TRUE BILL
[Signature]
Jury 93
Indictment
Dismissed

Witnesses;

- Alvin E. Jorie
- J. W. Woolworth
- Abraham Cohen
- Edw Bushinger
- Max Jacobs
- Adolph Lambert
- Edwin Sands
- Chas L. Morris

Dec 14 - 1889
This defendant has been
indicted by U.S. Grand
Jury for law offense based
on the same facts as form
the basis of this indictment
& he is now in U.S. Custody.
This indictment should
therefore be dismissed
J. R. Fellows
Dist Atty
For recommendation
see inside
G. F. B.
U.S.A.

Court of General Sessions

The People
vs.
Oscar Rothrock

City and County of New York, ss.
Edward Puschinger, being duly
sworn, says, he resides at Utica,
N. Y. That pursuant to a
subpoena, issued out of this court and
served upon him by
mail, he came to New York
on the 21st of November, 1889,
to attend at Part III as a
witness for the People against
the above defendant. That the
said case was adjourned to
November, the 22^d, 1889, on
which day deponent was ex-
amined as such witness. That
deponent obeyed the said sub-
poena, although not person-
ally served upon him as
prescribed by law, because
he was informed by Deputy
Assistant District Attorney
Lindsay and he verily be-
lieved that his expenses

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I hereby certify that the above
~~witnesses~~ deponent Edward
Parsinger has been a material
and necessary witness at
the trial of the above defend-
ant, that without his testi-
mony could not have gone
to trial.

Dated N. Y., November 22, 1889

Edward Grosse
Deputy Assistant

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ORIGINAL

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Court of Gen. Sess.

The People

vs. Oscar Rodbrook

Affidavit and
Certificate con-
cerning the ex-
penditures of Edward
Forchinger, as
a witness herein

The witness is
allowed Sixteen ⁵⁰/₁₀₀
dollars for travelling
expenses to RBC
Nov 22/89

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
Oscar Rothman

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Oscar Rothman
of the CRIME OF FORGERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Oscar Rothman,
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-nine, at the City and County aforesaid, having in his custody a certain
instrument and writing, to wit: an order for the payment
of money of the fund called Santa Ines,
which said Santa Ines is as follows, that is to say:

No. 425
Wheat, N. Y. March 14 1889
A. D. Nathan & Co. v. Santa
Pay to the order of George Rodin
Twenty nine and 29/100 Dollars
W. W. Woodworth & Co.

the said Oscar Rothman
afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did forge,
and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in forging on the
Santa of the said Santa Ines
a certain instrument and writing commonly called an endorsement, which said forged
instrument and writing commonly called an endorsement, is as follows, that is to say:

"George Rodin"

with intent to defraud, 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

0750

SECOND COUNT—

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

The said Oscar Rothman,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid having in his possession a certain instrument and writing, to wit: an order for payment of money of the kind called trade check,

which said trade check is as follows, that is to say:

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|--|--------------------------|
| No. 425 | Utica, N.Y. made 14 1889 |
| O. R. Nathan & Co., Cash | |
| Pay to the order of George John | |
| Twenty nine and $\frac{25}{100}$ Dollars | |
| \$ 29 $\frac{25}{100}$ | F. B. Woodworth & Co. |

on the trade of which said trade check there was then and there written a certain forged instrument and writing commonly called an endorsement of the said last-mentioned trade check which said forged instrument and writing, commonly called an endorsement is as follows, that is to say:

"George John"

with force and arms, the said forged endorsement then and there feloniously did utter, dispose of and put off as true, with intent to defraud, he the said Oscar Rothman then and there well knowing the premises, and that the said endorsement was forged, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Ryan, John

DATE:

04/05/89



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0752

Counsel,

Filed 5. day of April 1889

Pleads, *Chattel*

Robbery, [Sections 224 and 229, Penal Code].
Second degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Ryan

H.D.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney

A TRUE BILL.

C. M. Kirby
April 1889
foreman.

Robert H. Kirby
S.W. 5th St of mo
No 75. P.M.

Witnesses:

James Chryste
off Donnelly

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Edward J. Donnelly of the 7th Precinct Police Street, aged years, occupation being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the day of 188 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

James Christy (now here) is a necessary and material witness for the prosecution and especially against John Ryan charged with a felony. Deponent says that said defendant is not a resident of this City and has no permanent place of abode and asks that he give surety for his appearance to testify. Edward J. Donnelly

Sworn to before me, this 9th day of April 1889

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court Hurd District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

James Christy
of Ridge St- Port Chistu N. Y. Street, Aged 45 Years
Occupation Farmer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
Second day of April 1889, at the 7th 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:

One brass chain

of the value of Twenty five cents
the property of deponent

DOLLARS,

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

John Ryan (now here) from the fact that deponent
was walking along in Division Street in said
City when said Ryan came along and caught
hold of him by the whiskers in a violent
manner and struck deponent a violent
blow on the face knocking him down. That
deponent got up and said Ryan caught
hold of him again and pushed him against
the Elevated Railroad Pillar in said street
and forcibly took said chain from the
pocket of the vest then and there worn by
him when officer Edward Manning came
along and arrested him

James Christy

Sworn to before me, this
Day of April 1889.
Paul McKeever Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 193-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

John Ryan 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 Ryan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Duland*

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

Answer. *26 Bowery 8 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labour*

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 of the charge*

John Ryan

Taken before me this 13th day of *Sept* 188*9*

P. J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Police Court... District... 498

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Schmitt
 1. John Ryan
 2. _____
 3. _____
 4. _____
 Offence Robbery

Date: Ap 3 1889

James Schmitt Magistrate

E. J. Armistead Officer

Witness: All the Officers

Remandant embarked to the House of Detention

on default of \$100 to Street

appear at Court

No. 2500
 APR 4 1889
 RECEIVED
 COMM. CLERK

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

James Schmitt

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~Five~~ *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: Ap 3 1889 *James Schmitt* 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

0757

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 Angus

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

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

The said *John Angus*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *nine*, in the ~~time of the said day~~, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *James McIntyre* in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

one chain of the value of twenty five cents,

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

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

John R. Hallam,
Attorney

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Ryan, Mary

DATE:

04/02/89



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0759

Counsel,
Filed *2* day of *April* 188*7*
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Mary Ryan
5th 1/2
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Sections 528, 532 Penal Code]

PETIT LARCENY.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

A. M. Mayo
April 27 Forfeiter.
W. Leung
Apr. 21. Ten 3 mos
R.B.M., 5

Witnesses:
Robt. A. Morrison

Recd for
Compt.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court _____ District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 309 Grand Street, aged 46 years,
occupation Watchman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 7th day of March 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 Day time, the following property, viz:

Three
Spools of Thread, Two
pieces of Tape, Two
papers of needles and one
paper of pins, of the total
value of fifty (50) cents
the property of C. Ridley and Son, in care
and charge of Deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Mary Ann (now here) for the reason that, on said day and date, deponent saw said deponent take said property, and found said property in her possession, and now deponent charges said deponent with taking, stealing, and carrying away said property and prays that she be dealt with as the Law directs

Robert Morrison

Sworn to before me, this 20 day of March 1889
John C. Williams
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0751

POLICE COURT DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of

For

Robert Morrison
Mary Ann Letin Arceny

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby waive a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and demand a trial at the COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated *Mar 26th* 1889

Wm. J. Brennan

Wm. J. Brennan Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

3 District Police Court.

Mary Ryan 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 she see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *her* that *she* 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. *Mary Ryan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *218 East 40th Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Lawyer*

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

Answer. *I have nothing to say, I am sorry I committed myself*
Mary Ryan

Taken before me this
day of *Mar* 1889
J. M. Stewart
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0764

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Mary Ryan

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

Mary Ryan

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY committed as follows :

The said

Mary Ryan

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

three spools of thread of the value of five cents each spool, two pieces of tape of the value of five cents each piece two papers of needles of the value of ten cents each piece, and one paper of pins of the value of fifteen cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Edward A. Ridley*

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

John R. Fellows,
District Attorney.