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DESCRIPTION:

Altmann, Charles

DATE:

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Counsel,
Filed 20 day of June 1889
Pleads *Henry W*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1883, Sec. 21 and
page 1889, Sec. 6.]

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Charles Altman

Sept 16/89

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

WITNESSES:

FILED FOR THE CLERK OF THE COURT

OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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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 Altmann

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

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

The said

Charles Altmann

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*, 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

Louis McCord

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

Charles Altmann

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

Charles Altmann

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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Anderson, John

DATE:

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No. 117 900

Counsel, M. Meyer (2)
Filed 13 day of June 1889
Pleads, Not Guilty (18)

THE PEOPLE
Grand Larceny second degree.
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].
P
AZH
John Anderson

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.
commuted June 18/89

A TRUE BILL.
[Signature]

Paid June 19/89
Brennan.
Pleads Guilty - 5 L. 2. 2 day
Juvenile Arrogant
June 16/89 R. S. M.
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Witnesses:

sent for
H. A. Williams
carey E. S. Jeffrey & Co
Lizzie Williams
59 Broome
for June 24

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ORIGINAL

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

-----X
In the Matter

of

John Anderson, a fugitive fr:
from the justice of this
State.
-----X

City and County of New York ss.

John A. Krieger, of 57 Stanton Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I am a book-keeper in the employ of the Beverly Refining Company whose office is at No. 50 Bay Street in said said city. The above named Anderson was formerly an office boy in the employ of the said company. On the 20th day of May my jacket was hanging up in the said office, containing in an inside pocket thereof the property described in the indictment herein consisting of about one hundred and forty dollars in money, a promissory note, a membership ticket in the Young Men's Christian Association and several banjo strings. Anderson was in about the said office during the said day and had access to the said property. About a quarter after five in the afternoon he came to me and asked if he could leave and I gave him permission to do so. He usually did not leave until ^{half past five} ~~six~~ o'clock. After he had gone I discovered that my property was missing.

On the ninth day of June instant I caused the

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arrest of the said John Anderson in Jersey City, where he was found by officers of the Jersey City Police, and upon my complaint he was committed to await the arrival of requisition papers. Upon being arrested, and before the judge who committed him, he confessed having committed the said crime.

For the foregoing reasons I charge that the said John Anderson, after the commission of the said crime, fled from the jurisdiction of this State, and is now under arrest in said Jersey City, a fugitive from the justice of this State.

Sworn to before me this :
13th day of June, 1888. :

Henry Herzbach

John A. Heeger
Notary Public (100)
N. Y. Co.

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

City and County } ss.
of New York, }

of No. 57 Stanton Street, aged 17 years,
occupation Bookkeeper being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 20th day of May 1889 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, John Anderson did

feloniously steal take and carry away
a sum of money to wit: about \$140.- and
a promissory note, a membership to N.Y.
C.A. & several bags of things value of about
\$45.- of the property of deponent.

on the same day he fled to Jersey
city where he has since been arrested &
is now held awaiting examination.

Sworn to before me
this 23 day of June 1889
William F. Smith
County Clerk
City & County

John A. Krueger

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ORIGINAL

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John A. Koenig

vs.

John Anderson

Office

Dated *June 13* 188*9*

Witnesses, *Sigfried Hammerdlay*

No. *50* day Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

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Confidential
People's
John Anderson

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

100 EAST 23D STREET,

New York, *March 1889*

CASE NO. *42736* OFFICER *Det. Thos. Sullivan*
DATE OF ARREST *June 1889*
CHARGE *House Larceny*

AGE OF CHILD *14 years*
RELIGION *Catholic*
FATHER *John*
MOTHER *Kate*

RESIDENCE *121 Webster Ave. H. Wright*

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

There is:

*No record of boy being arrested
before. Taking known against
his character*

Parents are respectable

All which is respectfully submitted

W. H. C. C. C.

Follows
W. H. C. C. C.

POOR QUALITY
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Robert A. Samuelson

Charles L. ...
FENAL CODE, S

Arthur ...

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

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,
New York City.

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Not known at this
address.

PART III

THE COURT ROOM

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer of the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To Lizzie Williams
of No. 59 Brown Street,

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, on the 24 day of June, 1889, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

John Anderson
Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of June,
in the year of our Lord, 1889.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

As to see Mr. Williams
11-10-11
J. R. Fellows

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, OF THE CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

John Anderson

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by

this indictment, accuse John Anderson

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

The said

John Anderson

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twentieth
day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty- nine, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
~~day~~ time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of seventy

dollars ; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of seventy

dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of seventy

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of seventy

dollars ; ~~divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of~~

two pieces of paper of the value
of one cent each, and five various
things of the value of ten
cents each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John A. Krueger

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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DESCRIPTION:

Anson, Sherman

DATE:

06/21/89



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0221

No. 209
Counsel,
Filed 21 day of June 1889
Pleads,

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

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Sherman Anson
(2 cases)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. H. Jones
Foreman.

Wm. H. Jones
Foreman.

Wm. H. Jones
Foreman.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0222

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, OF THE CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Sherman Anson

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *Sherman Anson*

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

The said

Sherman Anson

1170.⁰⁰ late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twelfth*
day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *eighty-five*

dollars ; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
eighty-five
dollars ; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *eighty-five*

dollars ; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *eighty-five*

dollars ; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James Little
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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ORIGINAL

0223

No. 240

Counsel,

Filed 21

day of June 1889

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Sherman Anson

(2002)

Grand Larceny & Robbery
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

[Signature]

Foreman.

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY
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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 50 years, occupation John Little
Keep a coach of No. 23 Jones
Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas P. Kelly
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 21
day of June 1889

James L. Price
E. Hagan
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0225

Sec. 198-200.

First District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Sherman Anson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. State of New York

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

Answer. Corn. of Boulevard & 72nd Street, about 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge
Sherman Anson

Taken before me this 21st

day of June 1889

Police Justice.

[Signature]

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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.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas J. Kelly

Shannon O'Connor

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Offence Grand Larceny

Dated June 21st 1889

Hogan Magistrate.

Valerius Officer.

Witness James Little

No. 223 Jones Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$1000 TO ANSWER

James Little

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 June 21st 1889 Hogan 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.

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Police Court- / District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Thomas P Kelly
of No. *West 75th Street & Boulevard* Street, aged *33* years,
occupation *Keep Dakota Stable* being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the *13th* day of *May* 1889 and
10th day of *June* 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 robes and one overcoat all
of the value of Two Hundred dollars*

the property of *in care and charge of deponent*
except the coat which is 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 *Sherman Anson* (now here) for

the reason that during the said period
of time the defendant was in deponent's
employ and deponent having missed said
property deponent is informed by James
Little (now here) that the defendant brought
three robes and ~~an~~ overcoat to him,
Little, placed the same on deposit for
a loan of Twenty five dollars from
said Little. Deponent has since seen
said property and identifies the same
as the property stolen from his pos-
session.

Thomas P Kelly

Sworn to before me, this *21*
day of *June* 1889

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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New York

June 26th 1889

Hon. Judge Goring
Dear Sir

I hope you will pardon
me for the liberty I take in addressing
you but force of circumstances compels
me to do so. It was my misfortune
to get into this trouble which I regret
very much. I have had no time to
correspond with any of my friends
who could give me a good character.
The Gentlemen who I refer to is one
J. C. Heywood Manager of the Murray
hill branch of the Chicago beef Co.
31st and East river also. W. L. Chester
Milk Dealer 127 East 124th St
Mull and Fromer Mason Contractors
of 1583 Washington Ave. Morrisania
all of whom I have been employed
by can testify to my good character

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I have letters from these gentlemen
in my home but was hurried away
so sudden that I had not time to
get them I have been left alone
with-out a father when but 10 years
old and have had a hard time of
it to get a-long I have had no chance
to learn a trade to ^{make} my living but on
doing odd jobs now and then I ask
now of your Honor to be leniently
with me in the sentence you are
about to impose up-on me I beg
your pardon for this lengthy letter

Yours. Obediently
Sherman Amos

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ORIGINAL

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Police Court- 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

James Little

of No. 29 Jones Street, aged 50 years,
occupation Hack Driver being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 12 day of June 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 hundred
and seventy dollars in cash
(\$ 170)

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 Herman Anson, not arrested

The said money was in deponent's vest
pocket and the vest was hanging in
a closet in the stable at 29 Jones St.
The defendant was visiting in the place
and had access to the said property
and deponent saw the defendant
near the said closet where the
said property was kept, and the said
property was missed about five minutes
after defendant left the place, and
no one else but the defendant had
an opportunity to take said property.
Deponent asks that defendant be dealt
with as the law directs.

James Little

Sworn to before me, this 12 day of June 1889

Arthur W. Munn
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0231

Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sherman Anson 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.

Sherman Anson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N. S.

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

Answer.

72nd St & Boulevard

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Driver

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Sherman Anson

Taken before me this

day of

June

1885

J. M. [Signature]

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*
OF NEW YORK, } *of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:*

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by James Little
of No. 29 Jones Street, that on the 12 day of June
1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

and seventy dollars one hundred

of the value of James Little Dollars,
the property of James Little
w a taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and
believe, by Herman Anson

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

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant
and forthwith bring him before me, at the 2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in
case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the
said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 16 day of June 1889

John Thompson POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

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

Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

This Warrant may
be executed in
Greenwich County

Dated

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WARDEN and JEFFER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the

The within named

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mme. de l'ile

of 29 June 1888

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Offence

Larceny

Dated

June 15

188

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No.

1000

Street

No.

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Street

No.

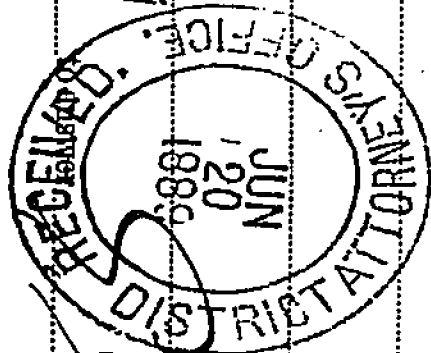
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Street

No.

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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

Thomas Anson

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

Dated *June 15* 188 *James Bond* 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

0235

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Sherman Anson

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

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

The said *Sherman Anson*,

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

*three robes of the value of
fifty dollars each, and one
overcoat of the value of
eighty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Thomas P. Kelly*,

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 M. Fellows
Sherman Anson

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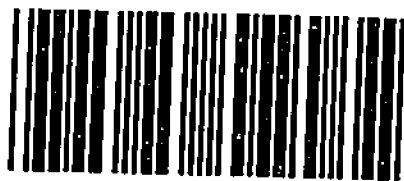
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Anthouse, John

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Freer, Frank

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Witnesses:

Counsel:

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Pleads:

1889

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Anthonse

and

Frank & Trer

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree
(From the Person)
[Sections 628, 680, 550 Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

True Bill.

Foreman.

Ordered to the COURT of

Superior and Criminal

of the COUNTY of NEW YORK

for trial (Entered in the Minutes)

June 13 1889

Ordered to the Court of Sessions
for trial and hearing on the
14th day of June 1889

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0239

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

of No. 132 Madison Street, aged 36 years,

occupation Paper maker being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 24 day of May 1889

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

James Corcoran and Gustave

Johnson to be arrested on sus-

picion of having stolen a diamond

stud valued at One thousand

dollars from his possession

and person. Deponent prays

they be held to enable him to

secure the necessary evidence

J. J. Manning.

Sworn to before me this

of May 1889

day

Police Justice,

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Manning

vs.

James Concoran
322nd St. New York
Gustave Johnson
44th St. New York

Dated *May 24* 188*9*

Parr Magistrate.

Cuff Officer.
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Witness,

Disposition,

May 25
Arrested & Free
anagnosia in the dancing & keeping their
property & heard & A 2000 each
for 20. Property found with them.

9200
defendants
names

Because this
papers was found
subsequently with
another who took
it at the time these
defendants were
charged with
having committed
the crime, and
there being no doubt
of the absolute
innocence of these
defendants in this
case is dispensed

W. J. Owen
Deputy

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Sec. 199. District Police Court. Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

An information having been laid before Mamie J. Conn a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging Frank Green Defendant with the offence of Larceny from Person.

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 hearing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Frank Green Defendant of No. 1212 3rd Avenue Street; by occupation a Bar Keeper and George H. Cornish of No. 1212 - 3rd Avenue Street, by occupation a Bar Keeper Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above named Frank Green Defendant shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 4 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 Twenty Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 26 day of May 1889. Geo. H. Cornish Frank L. Green POLICE JUSTICE. Fra

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Sworn to before me this
day of May 1889.
J. H. [Signature]
District Police Justice.

George N. Cornish
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 forty 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 horses and carriages

and property in stable
or premises 168 East 84 St
West value of five thousand
dollars for

Geo. N. Cornish

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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District Police Court

New York, May 29 1887

To the Dist. Ct.

In the absence of the
Stenographer assigned to
the Court I will give
the following synopsis of
the evidence in this case.

The Complainant first
came and swore positively
that the stub was was taken
from his shirt front ~~between~~
about 7 a.m. by the
bar keeper Johnstone aided
& abetted by one Carver,
and that it was taken then
by violence from him -
Johnstone striking him
a violent blow over the eye.
The witness then disclosed the
fact that the Complainant
had been drinking through the

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Wight in various places,
and particularly from 5 to
7 at the Crozier & Co. bar
where he lost his stud; that
he had been wrestling there
with his friend Parkhurst
56.5.6.20 and that immediately
thereafter Corcoran who
had been with him for 2 hours
then discovered the loss of
the diamond and accused
Parkhurst and struck him.
That subsequently Manning
the complainant accused
Corcoran & Johnstone, when
Corcoran struck Manning
inflicting the wound over his
eye. Corcoran sent out for
a policeman and insisted
on an investigation and
remained in the premises
until 10 a.m. until the
arrival of Detective Buff
23 present who took

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into custody, and went
to Johnstone's house and
arrested him in bed, and
a Court cleaning crew
to the complaint against
them and described with
Minute particularity how
Johnstone manipulated his
shenover & broom while
taking the diamond, and
then ^{was struck} ~~threw~~ him when
he resisted his manipulation.
The defendant Attkins, a
car conductor who was in
the place after his night
tour of duty on the Car
Car, Stabling on the next
block, says that after the
violent wrestling between
Manning and Parkhurst
in which P was thrown to the
floor, he found the diamond
in the corner of the matting
in front of the bar and placed
it in an envelope and
gave it to the bar keeper
Freer who ~~was~~ ~~the~~ ~~one~~ ~~who~~ ~~gave~~ ~~it~~ ~~to~~ ~~Freer~~

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~~Frederick~~ went home
about 7¹⁵ a.m. He says
his thought was to have
Frederick find the true
owner and obtain a
reward. Frederick indicates
this and says that he
told the store up to
Cuff after Cuff and
Anthony agrees about it
and for this purpose altho
first denying it was in
his person, he went with
Cuff to a place & his
home where he said
it was and pronounced it
and gave it to Cuff there.
These men are said to be
of good character, ~~Frederick~~
~~Frederick~~ ^{has} ~~never~~ been charged
with any crime, and
each day they had but
one purpose - to discover
the true owner & obtain
a reward. It seems to be
a case beyond the discretion

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of the Committee Magistrate
and therefore I have
bound the Defendants
men to answer the
Grand Jury.

Ele. de Cover

John J. Parker

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Police Court—4th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 132 Massachusetts Street, aged 37 years,
occupation barman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 24 day of May 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 diamond stud valued
at One thousand 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 John Authours and Frank

Green (both now here), who were
acting in concert for the reasons

following, to wit: On the said
date as deponent was in a saloon

on the North West Corner of 6th Avenue
at 132nd Street having the said stud

in his shirt from the said shirt
being a portion of his family

clothing, he was sky-larking with
a Mr. Corbush. Whilst sky-larking

the defendants on them pushed
deponent; shortly the said Green

was behind the bar in said saloon
at the time. Shortly after said Authours

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May 1889

Price Justice

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pushed deponer he (deponent) missed
said stud. Deponent is informed
by Officer Cuff (deponent) that when he
Cuff accused the said Anthony of stealing
said stud he (Anthony) admitted to having
stud, and giving the same to said Green.
When said Green was arrested he brought
him (Cuff) to his Green's residence.
The said Green went into the cellar and
brought therefrom the said stud which
said he gave to him Cuff. Deponent
has since seen said stud and identifies
the same as being the stud which was
feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away.

Sworn to before me this 25th day of May, 1889
e.g. b. Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1889
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1889
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1889
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

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Dated,

1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

to answer

Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 44 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 23rd Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 25 day of May 1889 John J. Buff

Aug 6, 1889
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Frank Freer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York.

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

Answer.

1212 - 3rd Avenue. 1 year.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bookkeeper.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

Frank L. Freer

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0252

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

John Authouse

Taken before me this
day of May 1889

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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0253

1m each
No. 920 atty.
May 26
29. 9. 24/1889

BAILED,
No. 1, by Wm. H. Hornick
Residence 1212 - 3rd Avenue Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Subpoena
fork deems Co

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Police Court... 4
District... 199

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. McManis
132 Massachusetts
John J. McManis
Offence Carrying
gun on person

Dated May 25 1889

Magistrate
Officer
1123

Witnesses
John J. McManis
John J. McManis

No. 1
Residence 1212 - 3rd Avenue Street.

No. 2
Residence 1212 - 3rd Avenue Street.

No. 3
Residence 1212 - 3rd Avenue Street.

No. 4
Residence 1212 - 3rd Avenue Street.

No. 2 - Bailers

Other who appears on back

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 May 29 1889 de & Cane Police Justice

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

Dated May 29 1889 de & Cane 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**

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Hon. Frederick Smyth,
Recorder of the City of New York.

In compliance with your request I hereby report
on JOHN OUTHOUSE, whom you are to sentence today.

He is a professional thief, having served five
years in State Prison for letting big Jim Brady and
Billy Miller, two notorious bank breakers out of prison
while he was a keeper at Sing Sing.

He has been arrested for perjury since and has jumped
his bail, and has just done a year on the Island for
stealing a diamond stud in Jimmy Wakely's saloon at 42nd
St. and 6th Avenue.

Yours respectfully,

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
*John Anthouse and
Frank L. Freer.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
John Anthouse and Frank L. Freer
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the ~~first~~ degree, committed as follows:

The said *John Anthouse and Frank
L. Freer, both*
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-fourth*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one stud of the value
of one thousand dollars*

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

— *Frank L. Greer* —
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

Frank L. Greer —

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 stud of the value of
one thousand dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

one John Anthouse, and also by

John J. Manning
by a certain ^{other} person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen, taken and carried away from the said

John J. Manning
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said

Frank L. Greer —

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3345

DESCRIPTION:

Arledter, Lisette

DATE:

06/21/89



3345

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ORIGINAL

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No. 232-
Clerks

Counsel,
Filed
21st day of June 1889
Pleads,
Not guilty, &c

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Lorette Arlester

H.D.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

M. Green

July 10/89 Foreman.

Pleading Guilty

Sent & suspended.

Witnesses:

upon examination of all the
facts, I recommend that for
self plea of guilty, the entire
betrayal, deft to clear
occurrence of the same
in London, & to be
hanged.

July 10/89
A.D.R.
Deputy

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0259

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Lizette Arledter 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 *h* see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *h*
that *h* 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. *Lizette Arledter*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *58 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *25 Bleeker St. one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Housekeeper*

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 and*
demand an examination

Lizette Arledter

Taken before me this

13

day of

June

188

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So. 10th St. Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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BAILED,
No. 1, by Murray & Duff
Residence 114 East 102 Street
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court--- 1st 906 District
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Geo. E. Cooper
Agathe Costello
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Offence Disorderly
House
Dated June 13 188 9
Magistrate, McClary
Officer, Cooper
Precinct, C O
Witnesses
Thomas Moran
Henry Stubie
James E. Cooper
Commenced by James E. Cooper
100 East 102 Street
100 East 102 Street
100 East 102 Street
RECEIVED
See Report of N. Y. S. P. O. O.
for information about defendant
COMPLAINT with these papers, if lost,
notify Precinct of one
Adair, June 17/89

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

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

Dated June 13 188 9 Police Justice.

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

Dated June 17th 188 9 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

0261

District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Frank Spamer

Abduction

Send me papers

ADD

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0262

*The New York Society for the
Prevention of Cruelty to Children*

100 EAST 23^d ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, June 24th 1889

Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the
City and County of New York.

*The People
against*

Lizette Arbetter

Notice of Prosecution.

To the District Attorney of the
City and County of New York,

Sir: This Society is interested in the prosecution of
the above defendant, and is familiar with the facts of the
case. It respectfully requests that before sending the papers
to the Grand Jury, fixing the day of trial, consenting to
any postponement thereof, or to any reduction of bail, or
final disposition of the charge, you will duly notify me as
its President and Counsel, so that I may confer with you
in regard thereto. This request is made pursuant to the
statute (Laws of 1886, Chapter 30, Section 1), and in
furtherance of the ends of Justice.

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

Elbridge T. Gerry,
President, &c.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0263

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE



CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

Disorderly House

NOTICE OF PROSECUTION

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.

and June 2/89

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0264

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

James G. Cooper
of the Central Office Police Street, aged _____ years,
occupation *Police Officer* being duly sworn deposes and says
that on the _____ day of _____ 188

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *Henry Stuber*
now here, is a material witness for the
people against *Lizzette Arledter*, ^{for} keeping
a disorderly house, deponent has
good cause to believe that the said
Henry Stuber, who has no permanent residence
or home, will not appear on trial, wherefor
deponent prays that said *Stuber* be sent
to the house of detention in default of
giving bail for his appearance on trial.

James G. Cooper

Sworn to before me, this *11th* day of *June* 188*9*

Do J. G. Cooper
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court, 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Harry Stoker

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated June 14th 1889

H. O'Reilly Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness, _____

Disposition, _____

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0266

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, / DISTRICT.

James G. Cooper
of No. Central Office Street, aged years,
occupation Roundman

being duly sworn deposes and says
that on the 13th day of June 1889

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

and Mamie Fainor (both working are
material witnesses for the People against
hizzie Artteler. That said witnesses
are non-residents and have no per-
manent homes and deponent fears
that they will not appear when wanted,
and asks that they be sent to the
House of Detention for Witnesses in default
of bail

James G. Cooper

Sworn to before me, this 13th day of June 1889

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0267

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mamie Francis
aged *20* years, occupation *House Keeper* of No.

136 McDougal Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *James H. Cooper*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of *June* 188*9*

Samuel J. Kelly
Police Justice.

Mamie Francis

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0268

Sec. 322, Penal Code.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

James G. Cooper
of No. Central Office Police Street, in said City, being duly sworn says,
that at the premises known as Number 25 Beecher Street,
in the City and County of New York, on the 11 day of June 1889, and on divers
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Jane Doe
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a house of ill fame
and assignation and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil
name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Jane Doe
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said

Jane Doe
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 12 day
of June 1889

James G. Cooper
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0269

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Police Court—1—District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James G. Cooper
vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated June 1 1889

Justice.

Officer.

Precinct.

WITNESSES :

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0270

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

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

of No. James G. Cooper
Central office Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that Lizette Arletter (now present) is the person of the name
James G. Cooper mentioned in deponent's affidavit of the 12th day of June 188 9
hereunto annexed.

Sworn to before me, this 13
day of June 188 9 } James G. Cooper

Da V. C. Bull POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0271

Sec. 151.

Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*
OF NEW YORK, } *of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:*

Whereas, Complaint in writing and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by *James G. Cooper* of No. *Central Office Police* Street, that on the *12* day of *June* 188*9*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *Jane Doe* did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number *25 Bleeker* Street, in said City, a *house of assignation and ill fame* and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

THESE ARE WHEREFORE, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to Command you, the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said

Jane Doe and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said *Jane Doe* and forthwith bring them before me, at the *25th* DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this *12* day of *June* 188*9*

J. G. Cooper POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0272

Police Court—^{1st} District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Gas H Cooper
vs.
Jane Doe

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated *June 12* 188 *9*

O'Reilly Magistrate

Cooper Officer.

O. O. Precinct.

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

James G. Cooper Officer.

Dated *June 13* 188 *9*

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Wm. C. Murphy Police Justice.

Dated _____ 188

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

The within named

Police Justice.

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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

Lisette Arledter

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

(Sec. 322,
Penal Code.)

Lisette Arledter
of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND
HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, committed as follows:

The said

Lisette Arledter

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
on the *eleventh* day of *June* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~nine~~, and on divers other days and times, as well
before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and
wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well
men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night
as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said
house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement
of the said

Lisette Arledter

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers
unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offences on the days and times aforesaid, as well
in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and
common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in
manifest destruction and subversion of and against good morals and good manners, 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

Lisette Arledter

(Section 385,
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said

Lisette Arledter

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *eleventh*
day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

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and eighty-*nine*, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in *her* said house, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT—

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

(Section 322
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *eleventh* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine* and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in *her* said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, 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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Armstrong, Thomas

DATE:

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No. 183

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

19 June 1889

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Thomas Armstrong

146 May 19

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. M. Green

June 19/89

Foreman.

Heads. G. J. Riley

S. P. 3 yrd.

Witnesses:

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Patrick Phelan

of No. 214 West 27th Street, aged _____ years,
occupation Carpenter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 20th 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
and person of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

One silver watch
and chain of the value of twelve dollars
\$ 12—

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Thomas Armstrong I now

live deponent wore the said watch on
said date about 9.30 P. M., in the
left pocket of his vest and deponent
stood in the doorway of his residence
the defendant then and there
snatched the said watch and
chain and ran off and defendant
has admitted to Detective Carey
now here that he pawned the
said watch. Patrick Phelan

Sworn to before me, this

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day

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William J. McNamee Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

Thomas Armstrong 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.

Thomas Armstrong

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N.Y.

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

Answer.

146 West 17th - 8 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Brick Layer

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 was drunk at the
time and did not know
what I was doing.*

✓ Thomas Armstrong

Taken before me this

day of

June

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Schuyler Van Dusen Police Justice.

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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--- 2
District. 853

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Phelan

7214 West 21st
New York, N.Y.

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence Larceny
felony

Dated June 10 1889

Corman Magistrate

Carlo J. Jovan, Officer

16 Precinct

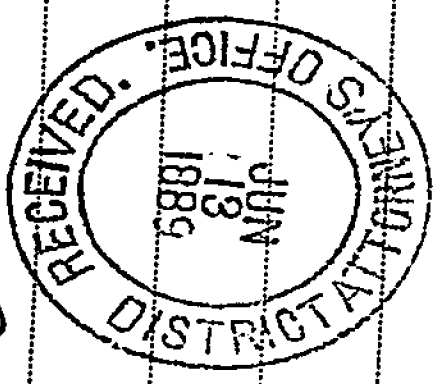
Witnesses J. J. Carey

No. 16 Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$ 5.81 to answer



Corman

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

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

Dated June 10 1889 J. J. Corman 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.

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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

Thomas Armstrong

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

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

The said

Thomas Armstrong

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
eighty-nine, in the night — time of the said day, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value
of eight dollars and one chain
of the value of four dollars

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

Patrick Phelan
John R. Fellows,
District Attorney.

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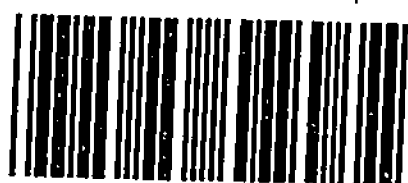
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Witnesses:

Counsel,

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Pleads,

1889

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Atkinson
alias Ned Johnson
alias Motie Jansen
Natusus Walsunsky

Grand Larceny Second degree.
[Sections 628, 631, Penal Code].
Inch and Device.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Foreman.

July 16, 1889.

(Both)

Spied & Counted

Each

July 17/18
S.P. 4 yrs

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State of New York.

OFFICE OF
THE COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION.

CASTLE GARDEN, N. Y.

City and County of New York, ss:

Frank Matulis
being duly sworn deposes and says: That he is a native of Russia and residing
at 295 - Kent St Williamsburgh
and arrived at the Port of New York, on the 14th day of May 1889
per S. S. Wetka from Bremer
and was defrauded out of 1500 Roubles
by one Jan Ferons of No 44 - 5th ave
Williamsburgh in the following manner -
Said Ferons told deponent to buy three
sewing machines and to start in the
tailoring business. Deponent then was
introduced to another man ^{whose name deponent does not know} ~~by said~~
~~man~~ who was to furnish deponent
with work on his machines - Deponent
was told by Ferons that he had to put
into the hand of the other man 300
Roubles security before he could get any
work. Deponent in the presence of said
Feron gave that other man 300 Roubles -
Deponent never received any work from
said unknown man and when he
demanded his 300 Roubles back deponent
was told that he could not get it -
The rest of deponent's money, about 1000
Roubles, was in a box in deponent's residence ^{with deponent}
Said Ferons and another man ^{named Kazimir Kewitzky who resides at 100 Nassau St} knew that
the money was there - On the night of the
4th deponent's room was forcibly entered during
his sleep and the said 1000 Roubles taken
away ^{and deponent accuses} ~~and deponent accuses~~ said burglary

Sworn to before me this 10th day of June 1889

day of June 1889

John Dwyer
Notary Public, New York.

Frank Matulis
mark

(2284)

Morris Levy
144 N. 5th St. N. Y.

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AFFIDAVIT

Mary Matulis

J. J. Werra

May 14th 1889

CADY GARDEN, NEW YORK.

June 10th 1889

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COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION,

State of New York.

Motis Jansen

being duly sworn deposes and says:

That he is ~~a native of~~ residing at 2251 Jackson St. N. Y. City
and arrived at the Port of New York that on the 4th inst 188

~~by S. S.~~

~~from~~

one Jan Jerons, accompanied by one Franz Matulis,
came to deponent - Said Jerons told said Matulis
in deponent's presence that he (meaning deponent)
could find work for Matulis, but that said
Matulis must deposit 300 Roubles into deponent's
hands - Said Matulis put said 300 Roubles into
the hands of this deponent and deponent after-
wards gave said 300 Roubles to one William
Waldenjo.

Motis Jansen

Sworn to before me this

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day of

June 1889

Jessie Drueger

Notary Public, New York.

The People
vs.
Michael Attersky
alias Johnson
alias
Motis Jansen
and
Nathanus Muhlensche

Court of General Sessions, Part I
Before Judge Cowing.
Monday, July 15, 1889.
Indictment for grand larceny
in the second degree.

Ranz Matulis, sworn and examined through the Interpreter, testified: I am 38 years old and was born in the province of Lithuania, Russia; the government is Cosses. My brother and I had a farm there and he paid me my share and kept the farm. It was in January or February, the month after New Years. I got a thousand roubles for my share of the farm. A rouble is about half a dollar; it was in Russian paper money. I arrived in this country on the 14th or 15th of May last, and I had two thousand roubles in my possession. I came here alone, but several of my countrymen were in the same ship. Upon arriving at Castle Garden I met a countryman named Kavalefski. There was a man named Kraevitski on the ship. I went with Kavalefski to his tailor shop in New York, but I could not tell you the name of the street. He talked my language, I did not know where

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to go from Castle Garden; he invited me to go to his shop and I went. Krasvitska came with me to Karalefiski's and there we met John Ferous; he worked at Karalefiski's as a journeyman tailor; he spoke the Lithuanian language. In the evening Ferous invited me to go over to his house in Brooklyn and to sleep with him. I went and Krasvitska came along. I stopped about ten days at Ferous. After I was there two or three days Ferous commenced to propose to me to go into business, saying, that we shall buy machines and do tailoring work, Ferous being a tailor he could work at tailoring. About a week after I lived in Ferous's house we bought the machines, three, two new ones and one old one. Ferous went with me to a place in Brooklyn. I don't know where it is and I could not describe it. I paid seventy four dollars for the new machines and eight dollars for the second hand one. I hired the room and placed the machines in the room in Brooklyn. Was it

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295 Kent Avenue? No 295; the name I cannot pronounce. There is a sugar refinery near by. Perons and I talked about getting some work. He said, I will talk to a man who will give us work - an Italian named Kualunsoche. Perons and I agreed to go in partnership, and what we got for the work to divide half and half. Then one day Perons brought Kualunsoche to the place in Brooklyn where the machines were. Then they told me, "Now we have to go over to New York and make ~~arrangements~~ arrangements to get work and I have to make a deposit in New York with the man who gives the work, who gives out the pantalorns - that the man would not trust us with five hundred pants and I would have to put down at least three hundred roubles, and when the man got his pants he would return the security. Then I, Perons, and Kualunsoche went to New York. I don't know the place. They pointed to a house and said that the house belonged to the man. Perons said "I am security for this man;

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the house belongs to him and every-
thing, there is nothing wrong," mean-
ing the man from whom we were
to get the pants. Then we went into
a room and Atten-sky was sitting
there, but he talked in a language
I could not understand. Then we
entered the room Kvalumsche said,
pointing to Atten-sky, "This is the
gentleman who will give us the
five hundred pants; with this
gentleman you will have to leave
the deposit, he is the owner of the
house. Then I said to Kvalumsche,
I would not trust, he may be a
cheat and swindler. Atten-sky did
not say a word, he was sitting there.
Kvalumsche said, "I will give secur-
ity for this man, he is an honest
man and the house belongs to
him and he will give us work.
Then they all entered into a con-
versation in a language that I
did not understand. Atten-sky
made motions with his hands to
the ceiling and I understood he
meant by it that the house belonged
to him. He then took the leg of his

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pantaloons between his fingers and made motions and said, "five hundred." Walsche said to me, "Here five hundred pair of pants he likes." After that I took out my money and gave three hundred Russian roubles into the hands of Atlensky as security for the five hundred pants that he will give me to finish and that I will bring back again. He gave me a receipt, not in Russian but in English that I could not read. This was on a Tuesday. The agreement was they told me that the next day I was to get the pants; they did not come the next day. I did not get anything. Every day I asked Perov's where the pants were, why they did not send the pants, and he put me off from one day to another, he said, "tomorrow"; but they did not come. I went around and made enquiries among my countrymen. I found a man and he took me to Castle Garden - it was Morris Levi. Mr. Weinberg talked with Mr. Levi, and six days after the payment of the roubles I made

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the complaint through this man, pointing to Mr. Groden. I could not give you the names of the streets I went to with those people; they took me from one place to another. The officers went to Peron's house, and they went to a factory in ~~Brooklyn~~ ^{New York} and found Attenksy and I recognized him immediately when I saw him. I first went to Brooklyn with the officers. I had no talk with Attenksy when he was arrested. I also recognized Mualunsche when he was arrested. I was prevented by the police from having any talk with him. I never recieved any of my three hundred roubles back and recieved no pants from Attenksy. I remained in his room an hour when the deposit was made; he always talked in a foreign language.

Cross Examined. I don't know the place where the deposit was made; there was a saloon down stairs but Attenksy was up stairs in a room and Peron and Mualunsche. I did not see Attenksy before I made the deposit, but I studied his face.

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all the time so as to remember him again. Both Thalumsche and Perous told me Attenisky was the owner of the house, and when we came to the saloon Thalumsche was the first to point to the house and to say that the house belonged to Attenisky. I believed he was the owner of the house. I did not know anything to the contrary; they insisted and said I shall trust him. I believed the whole story, that he will give me the pants, that he was a responsible man, and that the house belonged to him. I did not see Attenisky in the mean time until he was arrested. They were never present when I and Perous talked about the partnership and buying the machines. Then I parted with my money Perous and Thalumsche returned to Brooklyn. I did not go to the saloon to get a drink but went over to Brooklyn. They (Perous and Thalumsche) said, "Now give him the money and tomorrow for sure you will have the pants." The receipt which Attenisky wrote out had a name, but I could not read it.

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Thomas Holland sworn. I am a police officer in Brooklyn. I received instructions to arrest Terros. I arrested Atlenky at Hoe's foundry in Grand St. New York, June 11th; he spoke English pretty fair and wanted to know what I arrested him for? I told him I would let him know in a minute. Officer Weinberg came up and told him what he was arrested for - for swindling Matulis out of three hundred roubles. He said he never saw him (Matulis) before in his life. We asked Atlenky where he lived and he told us 51 Jackson St. We went down and searched his house and did not find any money. On our way over to Brooklyn Officer Weinberg said to him, "John Terros told me you had the money." He (Atlenky) said, "I have not seen John Terros in two years;" and when we arrived on the ferry boat the officer called my attention to what he had said, that Atlenky told him that Matulis robbed a post office in Russia. The officer asked him who told him that and he said, Terros. about two

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weeks previous. The officer then said, "I thought you had not seen Perros in two years." He did not say anything further on that occasion. It was thought first that if any crime was committed it was in Brooklyn that it was done and he was taken to the station house; I believe it was discovered that if any crime was committed it was in New York and the Magistrate turned the prisoner over to Officer Weinberg. He (Weinberg) called me over in the 16th precinct station house and wanted me to listen to what he said in the presence of Atlenksy and his wife. The officer said: "I want you to understand that I don't make any promises." Then she told him where to find this other prisoner, Matalusche. I did not hear her say anything further than that Atlenksy and the woman talked in English but I did not hear what they said to the officer. Atlenksy was taken away by the officer and that was the last I saw of him. I came to the 3rd precinct station house with Matalis and another man and while I was waiting to see the officer they brought in the other

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prisoner Kvalumsche. I had no talk with him and did not hear him talk. Cross Examined. Attencky spoke pretty fair English, so that I could understand him. Attencky told Officer Weinberg that he had not seen Lerons in two years. I went to Lerons but did not find him. I first saw the woman at the Court House in Lee Ave. Brooklyn. I did not know anything of Kvalumsche at that time; it was the second day after that she had some conversation with Weinberg. I think it was upon her statement that Kvalumsche was arrested.

Morris Levi, sworn and examined.
I live at 145 Wester St and am a journeyman tailor. I am a Lithuanian and from the same government as the complainant. I have known the defendant Attencky since I have been in America, three years. I knew Kvalumsche at home and since he has been in America, he is from the same town that I am, but Attencky is not, though we talk the same language. I only know Matulis since he has been in this country; he came

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to my shop the next Monday after the money was stolen. I had a conversation with him and went with him to Castle Garden. I saw Mr. Groden and Mr. Weinberg there and I made a complaint for Matulis. I saw Kvalumsche the day after the money was stolen in Essex St. New York. I talked with him. I asked him, how is the greenhorn? (meaning Matulis) because he (Matulis) came from Castle Garden to Kavalefos-Kis, and I work there. Then Kvalumsche said, "We received already three hundred roubles of the greenhorn." Then I said to him, "In what way did you get three hundred roubles of the greenhorn?" Then he said, "Kerous and Matulis bought three sewing machines, after the machines were bought Kvalumsche said that Kerous said to him (Matulis) 'Now, we will try to get goods to work on those machines, and if you will deposit three hundred roubles security we will get goods.'" Then Kvalumsche told me how they went with him to Attencky and then Matulis gave three hundred roubles to Attencky and he (Attencky) said, "Tomorrow I will send five hundred

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pair of pants to you." He told me the whole story. He told me that Attenksy kept fifty dollars for himself (that is, one hundred roubles) and Perons kept fifty dollars (one hundred roubles) and that he (Kualumsche) got fifty five dollars. He did not explain how the five dollars went; it was divided practically into thirds. Then I said to Kualumsche, "Mark my words, something will come out of that; you took the greenhorn and took all his money." He says, "The greenhorn has not got any money, where will he go?" Then I said to Kualumsche, "I will not be silent about it, I will go and do something about it." Then I went to Williamsburg to find Matulis. I found him in the place where the machines were. That was all was said at that conversation. I never saw Kualumsche and Matulis together. I heard at Karalefzskis how it was done upon the greenhorn. I heard my boss talk of it. After I went to Castle Garden and made the complaint I went with officer Weinberg and Mr. Holland and found Attenksy.

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It was in a factory in Grand St. where we found Attenisky. I went in and asked the workmen if a man by the name of Attenisky was working there? They said, No. They asked me if I could recognize the man? I said, "yes." I went through the factory with the detective and I recognized him. He was working. All I said to him was, "There is your warehouse for which you took three hundred roubles security? He did not give any answer. The detectives took him from the factory to his dwelling place where he lives. He said he did not know anything about the transaction, he did not know the "greenhorn." The "greenhorn" was present. Then he was arrested and taken to Williamsburgh. I was not present when Makunische was arrested. I saw him after he was arrested and had no talk with him; the only talk I had with him was in the street when I said I would not be silent about it. Cross Examined. Since I have been in the country, for the last three years I worked at 211 Grand St. for one boss. Then I came here I worked for a boss named Levi who kept a place in East Broadway about

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two or three weeks. On the morning of Wednesday a man named Cheballas came to the shop and told us about the loss that Matulis sustained and this man I saw about two or three o'clock on the same day in Essex St. I did not work that day, it was our holiday. I think Cheballas lives in Ludlow St.; he is a workman in a factory. I have nothing against Matulis. I found Matulis in Williamsburgh. I went around and asked different persons where he lived. I was present with the officers when the prisoners were taken to the Police Court in Williamsburgh and in New York. I was examined and my affidavit was taken down in writing. I acted as interpreter for Matulis in the Courts.

Joseph Weinberg, sworn and examined. I am an officer of the Municipal Police of the Third Precinct attached to Castle Garden. It was to Supt. Jackson and Detective Groden that the complaint was made in this case and I was put upon it to investigate it. I was directed to take Matulis over to Brooklyn. I did so and went to the Court and had a warrant issued against John Perros

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Two detectives went with me and we searched Peron's house 44 South Fifth St. we could not find him. Then I accompanied detective Holland to Boe's factory York; we recieved information which led us to go there; we went there after Attenusky. Matulis and Levi gave us the information. I went into the factory and spoke to one of the employees there and asked him about Attenusky; he went over the books and there was no such name on the books. I then asked permission to send Levi through the factory as he knew Attenusky. I left Levi in charge of Officer Holland and went to another door lest there might be an escape, and a boy came running saying, "they found the man." When I came back I saw they had Attenusky. Levi asked Matulis if that was the man and he said, "yes." The name that Attenusky gave at the factory was Johnson. I had a talk with him, he spoke English. I said, "I want that money which you took of Matulis." He said, "I don't know the man." I then asked him where he

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lived? He said No 51 Jackson St; we went over there and asked to be shown his trunk; we saw it; we did not find any roubles and we left; we all went from there to Brooklyn, and before we got to the ferry house I said to Attenasky, "Feros told me you got that money" He said, "I have not seen Feros in two years." He spoke English so that I could understand it. In the ferry house he said in English, "I would not believe him (Matulis) he robbed a post office in Russia." I asked him who told him so, and he said John Feros about two weeks ago. I said, Did you not tell me you did not see John Feros in two years. He did not speak to me another word from the time we started on the ferry boat until I seen him the day following in the station house in Brooklyn. Then you did see him on the day following in the station house in Brooklyn who was there and what was said? This lady was there; she met me coming out of the Court house after the prisoners had been surrendered to me. Tell me what took place

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where they were all talking together when the prisoner was there? To the best of my recollection she came up - Atlen-sky was there - she said, "Why don't you arrest Kvalun-sche?" His name had not come to the surface yet at all? Yes, I heard of him before about half an hour previous before she told me of it. I had that picture which was handed to me by Mr. Levi. He says, "This is the man." The first suggestion to arrest him was from her? Not quite; she only said, "Why don't you arrest Kvalun-sche?" Was Atlen-sky there? Atlen-sky was present at the time that his wife was - I presume she is his wife, so he says. She says, "I met Kvalun-sche last night in New York and he says to me, 'Why Johnson is arrested and I have got the money.' She said that in the station house. She said Kvalun-sche told her Johnson was arrested, and laughed at her and that he (Kvalun-sche) had the money. Then we were in the front office in the station house. I says to Atlen-sky in the presence of his wife, and she heard it, 'if you had told me the truth when we arrested you, we

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might have got all these people. Why didn't you tell us the truth?" I said further to him, "you are under arrest; mind you what you are telling me hear now, there is no promises made, but should you be the means of arresting Perus or recovering the money for that poor emigrant, I shall assist you all lies in my power." From there I took him over to Castle Garden and repeated the statement to Supt. Jackson and Commissioner Howzlet. Detective Groden came up afterwards where Attenstky and his wife were at the bread stand and had something to eat there, and I say, "This is the prisoner I have arrested, and this woman claims to be his wife; they seem to act very fair." Was that all the talk in Brooklyn? That is pretty near all I can remember. He said to me in Brooklyn that he had received the money and also to Groden in my presence that he handed it over to Kualumsche. Did he tell you anything as to the manner in which the money was given? I then asked him to tell me the truth, and

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he says, yes: he said that Thalumsche and Terons came up to his rooms and in the presence of his wife - and that he resisted them on many occasions - they asked him several times to go and he refused to go with them to get the money - the three hundred roubles; he rejected first off their idea but finally they brought such pressure to bear on him that he yielded and he went with them to the corner of Broome St. and the Bowery. Atkinson told you the corner of Broome St. and the Bowery was the place they brought the "greenhorn?" Yes, that is what he said. Did he tell you any of the conversation that took place there? He did say that he represented himself as a man which promised him five hundred pair of pants, he acknowledged the truth afterwards. He said that he paid the money which he recieved over to Thalumsche; he promised to see him in the morning - that the money was paid in Russian roubles, that he would have it exchanged and he will get his part out of it the next morning. These statements were repeated to Loosen.

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Were you at the Police Court when the defendant Attenisky was arraigned upon the charge in New York? I was. Did you hear him make any statement there? I did not pay any particular attention to it; he signed that paper. Do you recollect what he said at the Police Court? I think he said to the best of my knowledge that he received the money and handed it over to Wah unsche. Did you hear Wahunsche make any statement? He said that he got the money from Attenisky and handed it over to Pearson. Motis Jansen is another alias that Attenisky has. After I was through with him in Court I had no talk after that. Mr. Jackson and detective Groden are the first persons that told me about the case. I am positive that Attenisky told me he had not seen Pearson in two years; it is not the fact that he told me he had known Pearson two years. Attenisky worked in Hoe's foundry under the name of Jensen. I did not ask him why he called himself that. I did not hear anything against him in the shop. I saw his

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wife in Brooklyn on the 13th. Does she live in Brooklyn? Yes. I don't know why she went to Brooklyn to live. I saw her when I stepped out of the Court with him. That was before I arrested the other man. I searched the house 37 Jackson st. There was in the trunk some wearing apparel and a watch and chain. I searched Perons house and I found 143 roubles in the bed ticking. Perons was not there.

Peter Groden sworn. I am a member of the Municipal Police and am detailed to the Commission of Emigration. A complaint in the case of Matulis was referred to me, and I gave instructions to Officer Weinberg to follow up the thing, and Weinberg brought in Atensky. I went down to where they were all assembled in the refreshment saloon, having some lunch. Weinberg said, "This is one of the men," and he had a picture in his hand of this lady here. He says, "There are others into it, and this man has got the money." I said to the wife and to him - both were present - "You try to assist us all you can to get this money for

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This poor unfortunate fellow Mr. Weinberg said previously, "we cannot make any promises, still we may make it light for you." She says, "I seen him (Wualumsche) last night, and he is working in such a place. She said, he put his hand on his pocket and said he had the money." I said, "Are you sure we can get him there?" She says, "yes, he is working." I told Weinberg he had better go up and get him; Weinberg went up and got him. We took the whole party. Wualumsche did not speak English that I could understand. That was about the substance. I spoke to Attenusky in Castle Garden.

The Case for the Defence
Counsel for the defence moved to dismiss the indictment upon the ground that there was a variance between the proof and the indictment on the ground that the indictment charges larceny and the proof shows false and fraudulent representation which induced him to part with his money.
The Court replied that the people claim

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that this money was obtained by means of trick and fraud - the money was put up as collateral security, and not the title. Therefore it comes under the old common law according to their claim, that if a person fraudulently obtains possession simply of another person's property feloniously, that is larceny.

Counsel contended that this was a conspiracy and it should be alleged in the indictment. We will rest on the law questions.

After the judge charged the jury they rendered a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree.

The defendants were remanded till ~~the~~ tomorrow.

Wednesday, July 17. th 1889.

The defendants were arraigned for sentence, and the Court sentenced each of them to the State prison for four years.

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Testimony in the
case of
Michael Atkinson
and
Katherine W. W. W. W.

filed June 1949

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Michael O'Sullivan,
otherwise called Ned
Johnson, otherwise called
Mickie Hansen, and
Matthew Wadsworth*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Michael O'Sullivan, otherwise called Ned Johnson, otherwise called Mickie Hansen, and Matthew Wadsworth* of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Michael O'Sullivan, otherwise called Ned Johnson, otherwise called Mickie Hansen, and Matthew Wadsworth*, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*the sum of three hundred dollars
in lawful money of the Russian
Empire (a more particular
description whereof is to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown)
of the value of one hundred
and fifty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Frank Matulis,*

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 J. Sedgwick,
District Attorney*