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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3954

DESCRIPTION:

Saiderwich, Ida

DATE:

02/05/91



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Witnesses:

Just. Munchie
Offic. Curry
7th No.

John S. ...

John ...
61 ...

John ...
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John ...
60 ...

W. H. Long

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

1897
day of July
1897
Justice

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

John Sanderwich

Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code).

DE LANCEY NICOLL

JOHN R. FELLOWS

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Chas. B. ...
Foreman.

July 6 1897
Fred ...

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Police Court _____ District.

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

of No. 39 Es Broadway Street, aged 42 years,
occupation Tailor being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 29 day of January 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Ida Saidowich (number) who cut deponents fingers with a knife then held in deponents hands

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 29 day of January 1887.
Harry [Signature] Police Justice.
Jacob Feinschneider witness

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Ida Finsechneider

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Russia

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

Answer.

No 69 Monroest. 7 years

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

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Taken before me this

day of

Jan 1892

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Police Justice.

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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named 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 Jan 29 1891 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 26 1891 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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\$1000 - bail for
44. Jannan 31 St 9/22/24
Bailed July 30

Police Court

District 141

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jacob Finschneider
Henry et
Ida Finschneider

Offence Assault
G. S. [Signature]

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BAILED

No. 1, by

Herman Weithman
64 Pitt Street

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated

January 29 1911
Magistrate
Schery

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct 7

Witnesses

No.

Street

No.

Street

No.

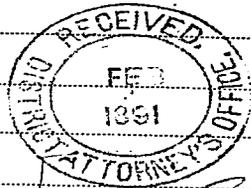
Street

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to answer

Bailed

Ans'n 2



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Sec. 192.

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District Police Court:

Endertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Henry Murray a Police Justice of the City of New York, charging Ida Jaiderwisch Defendant with the offence of Felonious Assault

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

We, Ida Jaiderwisch Defendant of No. 69 Monroe Street; by occupation a housekeeper and Herman Wirthem of No. 64 Pitt Street, by occupation a Designer Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that the above named Ida Jaiderwisch Defendant shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 3 District Police Court in the City of New York, during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Ten Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 30 day of January 1891.

I da Jaiderwisch Herman Wirthem

Police Justice.

0995

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Herman Wertheim

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Twenty* Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *a house and lot of land situated at 69 Monroe Street, and worth ten thousand dollars, over all encumbrances.* *Herman Wertheim*

Sworn to before me, this *30*

July 188*8*

John J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

ss.

Taken the *30* day of *July* 188*8*

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

Ida Sneiderwich

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

Ida Sneiderwich

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

The said

Ida Sneiderwich

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

Jacob Feinschneider
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault; and the said *Ida Sneiderwich*

with a certain

knife

which *she* the said

Ida Sneiderwich
in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a weapon and an instrument ~~and weapon~~ likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *him*, the said *Jacob Feinschneider* then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *cut, stab* bruise and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3954

DESCRIPTION:

Salziger, Jacob

DATE:

02/26/91



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70243

Witnesses:

James D. ...

Counsel

Filed

day of

26 July

1889

Pleads

INJURY TO PROPERTY. [Section 651, Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

I

Jacob Salziger

in presence of

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

JOHN R. FELLEWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. ...

July 26/89

Foreman.

Alvin ...

James ...

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Jacob Salziger

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

204 South St - 1 day

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Confectioner

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

Answer.

I am guilty

Jack. Salziger

Taken before me this

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1891

John W. ...

Police Justice.

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

Defendant

guilty hereof, 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 *July 22* 18*99* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 37 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Richard W. Hoy
249 Bowery
Jacob Saliger

Offences with Bully and
unlawfully detaining
private party

Dated Feb 22 1891

Murray Magistrate.
Pursuer Officer.

11th Precinct.

Witnesses Said Officer

No. Frank McDonnell Street.

No. 249 Bowery Street.

No. 300- to Register Street.



Handwritten signature

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Richard W. Hoyle

of No. 249 Bowery Street, aged 20 years,

occupation Restaurant being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 22 - day of February 1887,

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Jacob Solziger (marked)

did unlawfully and willfully destroy the property of deponent to the value of Thirty five (35) dollars, in violation of Section 654 of the Penal Code of the State of New York, for the reason, that deponent saw defendant, hurl a brick through the plate glass window of deponent's premises, breaking said glass, and destroying a pane of glass in deponent's showcase, and damaging a mirror, both in said premises, all of said property being of the aforesaid

Sworn to before me, this 1887

Police Justice.

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Received before me
this 22nd day of Feb, 1887

John W. W. M. M. M.
Justice

value, Deponent further says, he caused
defendants arrest by Officer Bussier of the 11th
Precinct, and is informed by said Officer that
defendant admitted that he had destroyed
said property in the manner aforesaid.
Wherefore deponent charges defendant
with unlawfully and willfully destroying said property,
and prays he be held and dealt with as the law directs.
Richard W. Hoyt

Police Court, _____ District,

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

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Georg Salziger

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

Georg Salziger

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying*
PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows :

The said *Georg Salziger*,

late of the *Seventeenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *January*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-nine*, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, *one pair of jeans,*
of the value of twenty six dollars,
one other pair of jeans of the
value of ten dollars, and one mirror
of the value of *ten dollars,*
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Richard W. Stone*
then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *steal*
and destroy.

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
George Balzage —
of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* —
REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *George Balzage*. —
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

a certain pane of glass

of the value of *Twenty six dollars*. —
in, and forming part and parcel of the realty of a certain building of one
Richard W. Stone. —
there situate, of the real property of the said

Richard W. Stone. —
then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break and destroy*;

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
~~JOHN B. FELLOWS,~~
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3954

DESCRIPTION:

Schemell, Joseph

DATE:

02/04/91



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No. 11.

Counsel,
Filed *H* day of *July* 1891
Pleads,

Witnesses;
Wm. Lanson
Geo. H. Lusk
Offic. Arran

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Joseph Schenck
1679
1679

*anything to the third degree
Grand Jurors, 1891
[Section 488, 26, 25, 27, 28, 29]*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
JOHN R. WHELAN
District Attorney.

A True Bill

Charles B. Fiske
Foreman.
July 4, 1891
Please Jury 3d
Honor of Refuse

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Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 1667 - Avenue C Street, aged 29 years,
occupation Married being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 1669 - Avenue C Street, 12 Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a four story flat
house the ground floor of
and which was occupied by deponent as a confectionery
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly climbing
through a transom over a
door leading into said store

on the 29 day of January 1899 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One gold watch, one gold
cuff button and one gold ear
ring the whole being valued
at fifty dollars and one gold
chain

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

Joseph Schenell
(now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: on the said date the
said property was in a jewelry
box in the rear of deponant's store
the windows and doors of said
store being securely latched and
fastened and deponant having
missed the said jewelry she
is informed by George Dulak
and Joseph Smith (both now here)

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that they saw the defendant coming out of the hallway of said premises on the said date and they saw him display a gold watch which watch answers the description of the watch which defendant said Smith received from said defendant a cuff-button which button answers to hers and a portion of the stolen property

I come to before me James Mosa Janssen this 18th day of February 1891

J. D. ...
Police Justice

Dated 1891 Police Justice

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

Dated 1891 Police Justice

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

Dated 1891 Police Justice

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

I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

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

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of
vs.
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Offence—BURGLARY.

Date 1891

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses.

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 13^{1/2} years, occupation Robert boy of No. 1640 - Avenue A Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Louise Jensen and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me this 1 day of February 1897 } George Fuchs

P. Dickson
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 12 years, occupation School boy of No.

1704-1st Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas Jensen

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

Sworn to before me, this 10th
day of February 1887 } Leo Smith

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph Schinell 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.

Joseph Schinell

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

1679 - Avenue A, 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Essence boy

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Joseph Schinell

Taken before me this

day of *February* 189*7*

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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

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guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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, July 1 1891. *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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Police Court, 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Marah Jensen
1667 Avenue A
vs.
Joseph Schinzel

George Fruehs
27 Precinct

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

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4 _____
Dated, July 1 1891
Worum Magistrate.
Worum Officer.

Witnesses *George Fruehs*
No. 1650 Avenue A Street.
Joseph Smith
No. 1704 _____ Street.



No. _____ Street.
\$ 50 to answer
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Joseph Schemell

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

Joseph Schemell

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

The said

Joseph Schemell

late of the *Twelfth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *29th* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and *ninety-one*, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the
dwelling house of one *Nora Janssen*

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Joseph Schemell

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

The said

Joseph Schemell

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

one watch of the value of thirty-five dollars, one cuff-button of the value of five dollars, one chain of the value of fifteen dollars and one earring of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Nora Jannsen

in the dwelling house of the said

Nora Jannsen

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

THIRD COUNT—

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

Joseph Schemell
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:
The said *Joseph Schemell,*

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

one watch of the value of thirty-five dollars, one cuff-button of the value of five ~~button~~ dollars, one chain of the value of fifteen dollars and one earring of the value of two dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Nora Janssen*

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

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

Joseph Schemell

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

Dehancey Nicoll,
JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Schmidt, William F.

DATE:

02/18/91



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W. H. ...

Witnesses:

Dr. W. H. Simpson

Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,

W. H. ...
MAY OF 1891

THE PEOPLE
vs.
William J. Schmidt

Grand Larceny, First Degree.
(DWELLING HOUSE.)
[Sections 528, 53 & Penal Code]

W. H. ...
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DE LANCEY NICOLL
JOHN R. FELLOWS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. ...
July 10/91 Foreman.
Charles ...
...

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Police Court 4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York, }

William K. Simpson
of No. 952 Lexington Avenue Street, aged 35 years,
occupation Physician being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 9 day of February 1891 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the night time, the following property, viz :

One overcoat of the value of
fifty dollars

the property of deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and
carried away by William J. Schmidt, (now
gone) from the fact that on said date
this defendant came to deponent's house
at the above address, and presented
the letter, which is hereto annexed,
to deponent's servant and when the
servant went upstairs to give the letter to
deponent or his wife, the defendant took
the coat, which was hanging in the
passage in the hall and went away.

This defendant has admitted and
confessed in open court, in presence
of deponent and Detective Joseph
Martin, that he took the said coat,
whereupon deponent prays that he be
held and dealt with as the law directs
Wm K Simpson

Sworn to before me this 10 day of February 1891
at New York
John J. O'Brien
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

William F. Schmidt 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. William F. Schmidt

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 1053 Bowery one month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Dancer

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

Answer. I am guilty

W. F. Schmidt

Taken before me this

day of

1887
1887

Police Justice.

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

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 *July 2* 18 *91* *John Ryan* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. J. Simpson
934 Lexington Ave
Wm. J. Schmidt

Wm. J. Schmidt
Offence

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Dated *Sept 3* 18*91*

John Magistrate.

Martin Officer.

Campbell 35 Precinct.

Witnesses *Call the office*

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer.



J. J.
Wm. J. Schmidt
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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.

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X
New York Feb. 1891.

Dear Lady!

Please excuse my address in writing to you, but necessity compels me to ask for your assistance. I am a german boy well educated can play a piano, and C^o cornet, but have not been successfull to obtain work. Kind Lady! If you know a son, or daughter, I appeal to your motherly affections for the sake of your loved children, help me, by giving me the price of a nights lodging. Praise God the Almighty we pray you, by giving you health

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and happiness. In hope of
receiving for what I ask
I remain

Very respectfully

W. F. Schmidt

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William F. Schmidt

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

William F. Schmidt

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

The said *William F. Schmidt*

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *February* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *ninety* in the night time of the same day,
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one overcoat of the value
of fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William K. Simpson*

in the dwelling-house of the said *William K. Simpson*

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

De Lancey McCall,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Schlegel, Albert

DATE:

02/20/91



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W. D. ...

Witnesses:

Abraham ...
Officer ...

Counsel,
Filed
Pleas,

1891

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Albert Schlegel

... Hotel

Grand Larceny *Second Degree*
[Sections 528, 537, 189 Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Richard B. ...
Foreman.

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...

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

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 57 West 14th Street, aged Adolph Frankfield years,
occupation jeweler being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the May 25th day of 1900 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, Alfred Schlegel did

feloniously take and carry away
several gold and silver watches
valued in all at about \$150. - Schlegel
deposits and his customers, as Schlegel
has good cause to believe.

Sworn to before me this
24th day of March 1901

Frank H. Maguire
Commissioner of Sticks
N. Y. C.

Frankfield

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

The District Attorney

vs.

Albert Schlegel

Offence Grand Jury

Dated *mch 4* 1891

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Wm. DeLoach

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse *Wm. DeLoach*

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

The said *Wm. DeLoach*,

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

matches of the value of twenty dollars each, and four other matches of the value of ten dollars each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Adolph*

August Thawfeld.

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.

Edmund Neill
John A. ...

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Beck ordered
J. DeWitt

Witness:

Adolph Franz
John M. Clancy

Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,
Stipuit,
5th day of August 1891

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

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Albert Schlegel
(2 cases)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Alfred J. ...
Foreman.

NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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The People etc. :
against :
Albert Schlegel :

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City and County of New York, ss:-

Charles Richter being duly sworn says:

That he is in the hotel business at 572 Wythe Avenue, Brooklyn. That he has known the above named defendant for about seven years. That he knows a great many other people who know him and his reputation has always been of the best.

The defendant has a family dependent upon him for support and he has always been a good husband and father.

The defendant and myself have always been on very friendly terms, the defendant visiting in my family, and I visiting in his; I would do anything I could to help him in his trouble even to giving him employment again.

Sworn to before me this) *Chas. Richter*
5th day of March, 1891.)

Jacob P. Owen

Notary Public
New York County.

NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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 The People etc. :
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 against :
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 Albert Schlegel. :
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City and County of New York, ss:-

Herman Lauckhardt being duly sworn deposes and says:

That he is a compositor on the Staats Zeitung
 in the City of New York and resides at 314 South Fourth street
 Brooklyn, E. D. I know the defendant for about fourteen
 years and all during that time the defendant has borne an
 excellent character, and above reproach. What caused him
 to fall, not one of his friends can tell as he had no cause
 to do wrong, having a home, wife and family; and the acts
 that have been committed by him cannot be excused or accounted
 for unless the defendant be not of sound mind.

Sworn to before me this)
)
 5th day of March, 1891.)

Jacob M. ... Herman Lauckhardt.

Notary Public

New York County

NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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 The People etc. :
 against :
 Albert Schlegel. :
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City and County of New York, ss:-

Charles F. Keale being duly sworn deposes and says:

He is in business as a druggist at 586 Wythe Avenue, Brooklyn, E. D. That deponent knows many people who know the defendant, and all speak of him as an honest, industrious man. He has never been in any trouble of any kind or character up to the present time, and he has a reputation of having taken good care of his wife and little family.

Sworn to before me this)
 5th day of March, 1891.)*Chas F. Keale*

Jacob Emanuel

Notary Public
 New York County.

NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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The People etc. :
against :
Albert Schlegel. :

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City and County of New York, ss.-

John Dierking being duly sworn deposes and says:

He resides at 539 Keepe Street, Brooklyn, E. D.

I know the defendant for about six years.

I know other people who know him and he has up to the present time borne an excellent character for honesty.

No one can account for his present predicament, nor give the reason for the commission of the offense. He has always been a devoted, kind and good father and husband.

Sworn to before me this)
5th day of March, 1891.)

John Dierking

B. W. Hackett
Notary Public
New York County.

NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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 The People etc. :
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 against :
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 Albert Schlegel. :
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City and County of New York, ss:-

Augustus Brown being duly sworn deposes and says
says:

That he is in business in Elizabethport as a machinest
and resides at 251 East 122nd street in the City of New York.

I know the above named defendant for about fourteen or
fifteen years. Up to the present trouble he has always
borne an excellent character for honesty, sobriety and faith-
fulness to his duties in his business wherever employed, up
to the present time.

Every one; and I know many who know defendant, speak of
him in the highest terms. I have been associated with him
in a social way, and I know he has always taken good care of
his wife and family.

Sworn to before me this)
5th day of March, 1891.)

Augustus Brown

Jacob M. ...

Notary Public

New York County.

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U. S. Supreme Court

The People vs
Plaintiff

against

Albert Seegel.
Defendant.

Affidavit

PURDY & McLAUGHLIN,

Attorneys for

No. 280 BROADWAY, New York City

Due and timely service of cop of the
within hereby admitted
this day of 18

Attorney.

To

filed March 1917

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York, }

Adolph Frankfurt

of No. 52 West 14th Street, aged 62 years,

occupation Jeweler

deposes and says, that on the 12th day of June 1890 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:

Twelve watches of the value of about
Four hundred dollars

the property of deponent and his copartners and partly in the
care and charge of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by Albert Schlegel (now here)

for the reasons that during said period the defendant was in the employ of deponent's firm as a watchmaker and salesman and received into his possession, custody or control as the servant, agent and clerk of deponent's said firm, the said property, a part of which is the property of deponent's firm and the remainder are watches which were brought to said firm and received by said defendant from various customers of said firm. That said property has been missed

Sworn to before me, this _____ day

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Police Justice.

and deponent is informed by Thomas Wade (now here) Police Detective that on the 13th February, 1891 he arrested the defendant who delivered to said Wade eleven ~~of~~ pawn tickets which he acknowledged were watches belonging to said firm or received by him into his care, custody and control as the clerk and servant of said firm from the customers aforesaid. And admits the larceny of said additional watches

Sworn to before me this 14th February, 1891

[Signature]

[Signature]
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Wade

aged 30 years, occupation officer of No.

300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Adolph W. Sautfeld

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

Sworn to before me, this 14
day of February, 1899.

Thomas J. Wade

W. W. Mahan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Albert Schlegel*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *535 Myrtle Avenue, 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Watch maker*

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

Answer. ~~I have nothing to say~~ *I have nothing to say*

Albert Schlegel.

Taken before me this

14th

day

February 1891

W. J. ...

Police Justice.

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

defendant

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

Dated *July 14* 1891 *H. M. M. M. M.* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Adolph Frankfield
Albert Schlegel

Gaud Jarceny
Officer

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Dated Feb 14 1891
W. Mahon Magistrate.
McBuckey & Mado Officer.
W.O. Precinct.

Witnesses officers
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.



No. _____ Street.
\$ 2500 to answer G. S.

W. Mahon
G. S.

Mr Kelly
B. W. P.

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Albert Schlegel

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse Albert Schlegel

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

The said Albert Schlegel,

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

*twelve watches of the value of
thirty-five dollars each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Adolph Frankfield

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said Albert Schlegel

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,

*Twelve watches of the value of
thirty-five dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of Adolph Frankfeld

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

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

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Schmidtz, Margaret

DATE:

02/11/91



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No 107.

Witnesses:

Elizabeth Shout
H. E. Sticking

Counsel,

Filed

11

day of

July 1891

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Margaret Schmidt

J. J. Hanna

Abandonment of child.
[Sec. 207, Penal Code]

LANCEY NICOLL,
JOHN R. FELLOWS

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Chas. B. DeWitt

Foreman.

July 11/91
Plead Guilty
Per one of us.

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The New York Society for the
Prevention of Cruelty to Children

100 EAST 23D ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, February 9th 1881

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

The People
against
Margaret Schmittz

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 postponements 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 1876, Chapter 30, Section 3), and in furtherance of the ends of Justice.

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

Elbridge T. Gerry,
President, &c.

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE



CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

Wm. McKim

NOTICE OF PROSECUTION

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.

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Police Court, 2 District.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

Elizabeth Strout

of No. 149 West 30 Street, aged 18 years,

occupation none being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 4th day of February 1891, at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, Margaret Schmidt

(now here being the parent or being a person having the care and custody for nurture of a child (now here) said child being under the age of six years, to wit: of the age of three days, did unlawfully desert the said child with intent wholly to abandon it in violation of 287 of the Penal Code.

Deponent further alleges that she saw the defendant in the vestibule of premises 149 West 30th Street as she was leaving it and deponent saw her run across the street and deponent found said child in the vestibule.

Sworn to before me
the 5th February, 1891

Miss Elizabeth Strout

W. W. Matson
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Margaret Schmitz*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *37 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *No home*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *None; married woman*

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

Answer. *I have no home; my
husband abandoned me
five months ago. I could
not support the child and
abandoned it to give it
to a home *W. H. Morgan**

Taken before me this

5th

day of *February* 188*9*
M. H. Mahlon

Police Justice.

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

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 *July 5* 18 *91* *W. M. M. M. M. M.* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Elizabeth Strout
149 West 30th St

Margaret Schmidt

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Office of
of child under 6 yrs

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated Feb 5 1891

W. M. Mason Magistrate.

Warner Officer.

Precinct.

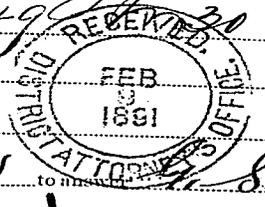
Witnesses J. P. Kin

No. Geo. Glynn Street.

No. 149 Street.

No. Street.

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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

Margaret Schminck

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

indictment, accuse *Margaret Schminck*

of the crime of *deserting a child with intent wholly to abandon it, -*

committed as follows:

The said *Margaret Schminck*

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

fourth day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety *one*, at the City and County aforesaid,

being the mother of a certain child under the age of six years, the child of the age of three days, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,

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feloniously did desert the said child,
with intent wholly to abandon it:
against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and
against the peace of the People of the
State of New York, and their dignity.

Wm. Lawrence Rice,

Attorney

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Schulte, George

DATE:

02/04/91



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McGuire, James

DATE:

02/04/91



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Witnesses;

Alfred Riley

W.S.

Counsel,

Filed

4 day of *July* 189*7*

Plends,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Schulte

and *A*

James McSine

Grand Larceny, *Second* Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 527 — Pennl Code]

L. LARLEY NICOLL
JOHN K. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. B. Red. deade

Robt July 4/97 Foreman.

Heads of

Each in one yf.

Police Court - 6th District.

Affidavit - Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 18 Courtland St. New York City, aged 38 years, occupation Foreman Telegraph Co. being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 29 day of January 1887 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 AM time, the following property viz: Two hundred

pounds of hard drawn Copper Wire of the value of fifteen cents per pound, altogether of the value of thirty dollars.

the property of the American Telegraph Company in charge and in custody 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 George Schultze and James McGuire both (now here) under the following circumstances: At or about 12.30 P.M. on the aforesaid day deponent who is a foreman in the aforesaid company came to a place where deponent had a lot of workmen under his supervision the said both defendants took from the ground the said wire, deponent seeing them putting it on a wagon and drove off deponent running after the wagon for a while, Robert Hartley an employee of this deponent saw said defendants steal the property.

A. A. Reilly

Sworn to before me, this 29th day of January 1887. Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James McQuire

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am guilty.
James McQuire
mark*

Taken before me this
day of *January* 19*31*
James McQuire
Police Justice

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Sec. 188-20.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

6th District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

George Schutte

Taken before me this

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Robert Harvey

aged *26* years, occupation *laborer* of No. *185 1/2 Kingsbridge Road* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Alfred A. Kelly*

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *30* day of *January* 188*8*

His
Robert Harvey
mark

Alfred A. Kelly
Police Justice.

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

George Shekull and James Mc Guire

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, *each* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *Jan 30th 1891* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court---

6th

District. ¹³⁷

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alfred A. Leilly
George Schulz
James M. Quire

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Offence *Drunkenness*

Belmont

Dated

January 30 91

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

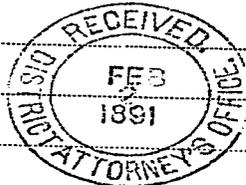
Street.

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Street.

\$ *500* to answer *L. & W.*

each and
committed



BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

George Schulte and James McGuire

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

The said *George Schulte and James McGuire, both*

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

two hundred pounds of copper wire of the value of fifteen cents each pound

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

*De Ransey McCall,
District Attorney.*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3954

DESCRIPTION:

Selbo, Pietro

DATE:

02/09/91



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Witnesses:

[Signature]

[Signature]
Counsel,
Filed *[Signature]* day of *[Signature]* 188*[Signature]*
Pleads, *[Signature]*

CONCEALED WEAPON.
(Section 410, Penal Code).

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Dietro Selbo

DE LANCEY NICOLS
JOHN T. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]
Foreman.

[Signature]
Sept 12/91

[Signature]

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Pietro Selbo

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. *Pietro Selbo.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *141. Mulberry Street. 3 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Pietro ^{his} Selbo
mark.

Taken before me this

2nd

day of *February* 1891

John J. ...

Police Justice.

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

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 July 2 18 97 W. J. Madala Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Stanton
vs.
Pete Selto.

Offence *Cancelled Warrant*

Dated February 2nd 1911

Chas. Melon Magistrate.

Stanton Officer.
15th Precinct.

Witnesses *Angela M. Bonanjo*
No. 104th Matt Street.



No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.
\$ 1000 to answer *G. S. ...*

1000 bond & file in 2 Pm

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

1073

Police Court, 2 District.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 15th Police Precinct Thomas Stanton Street, aged 28 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 31st day of January 1891, at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, Pietro Selto (now here)

did with intent to use, carried concealed
and possessed an instrument or weapon
of the kind commonly known as a billy
in violation of Section 410 of the Penal
Code.

Deponent further alleges that he found the
defendant in premises situate at South East
corner of Wooster and West Fourth and found
the billy here shown concealed upon his person.

Thomas Stanton

Sworn to before me this
31st day of January 1891.
W. J. Minkato
Police Justice

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Pietro Selbo

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

Pietro Selbo

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

The said

Pietro Selbo

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirty first* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty nine~~ *eighty nine* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did furtively carry, concealed on his person, a certain instrument and weapon of the kind commonly known as *a billy* with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons 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

Pietro Selbo

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

The said

Pietro Selbo

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, feloniously did possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind commonly known as *a billy* by him then and there concealed, and furtively carried on his person, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons 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.

Wm Lancy Nicoll
JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3954

DESCRIPTION:

Selk, Christian

DATE:

02/18/91



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No 176.

Counsel,
Filed *W. E. J. J.* 1891
Pleads,

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

THE PEOPLE
vs.
I
Christian Seble

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
~~JOHN R. WILLIAMS~~
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Alfred B. Borch
Foreman.
J. J. J. 11/91

Charles K. ...
City Prison 29 days
J. J. J. 20/91

Send for Complaint

Witnesses:
M. J. ...
P. Moon

In the statement
of the officer the
the injury to complain
ant was away from
being a servant he
the cheer made in
a scuffle with
No intent to take the
and to hold a dagger
around a recommend
the Court to accept
plea of assault in
1st degree.

McHenry ...
W. J. ...

July 18 1891

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Police Court - 1st District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 444-2-Avenue Street, aged 35 years, occupation Sailor being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 11 day of February 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Christian Silk

(now here) who did willfully and maliciously, cut deponent on the cheek, with a knife then and there held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 11th day of February 1889 } August Beyer

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

Christian Sierk

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Christian Sierk*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *53 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *Williamburgh*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Longshoreman*

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

Christian Sierk

Taken before me this

day of *February* 188*9*

Police Justice

[Signature]

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 January 11 1891 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

August Meyer
1777 2nd Avenue
Christian Jalk

Almond
Almond
Offence

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Dated

February 11 91

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

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P. Olson
Mallory Line Pier 20
East River

Street.

Street.

to answer

500

Almond
Almond



BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Christian Selk

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

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

The said

Christian Selk
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
eleventh day of *February* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *ninety-one*, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *August Beyer*
in the Peace of the said People then and there being feloniously did make an assault
and *him* the said *August Beyer*
with a certain *knife*

which the said *Christian Selk*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

3 with intent *him* the said *August Beyer*
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

Christian Selk
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of
the said *August Beyer* in the peace of
the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make
another assault, and *him* the said

with a certain

which the said

Christian Selk
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did
wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York,
and their dignity.

DeRaney Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3954

DESCRIPTION:

Shea, Dennis

DATE:

02/05/91



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Witnesses:

John Lyon

7036
Counsel,
Filed *J. P. [Signature]*
day of *July*
18 *99*
Plends,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

H
Dennis Shea

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.
[Sections 528, 529 — Penal Code].

DE LANCEY NICOLL
JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

for [Signature]

A True Bill.

Chas. W. [Signature]

Foreman.

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

of No. 9 New Street, aged 29 years,
occupation Manager being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 22 day of September 1890 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:

Good and lawful money of the United States of the amount and value of Forty four dollars and forty six cents \$44⁴⁶/₁₀₀

the property of The Independent District Telegraph Company of which deponent is Treasurer

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 Dennis Shea (now here)

Deponent says that said defendant was a messenger in the employ of said Company and by virtue of such employment did receive and have in his possession the aforesaid sum of money and having so received and taken the same in his possession for and on account of said Company did unlawfully and feloniously appropriate the same to his own use with intent to deprive said Company of the same

J. Wolff

Sworn to before me this

25

day

of January 1891
Charles W. ... Police Justice.

1085

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Dennis Shea 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.

Dennis Shea

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N.Y.C.

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

Answer.

9 Duane St. 1 week

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Printer

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge
and waive further examination
Dennis Shea*

Taken before me this

day of

25

Charles A. ...
Police Justice.

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

Byrdant

.....
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 *Jan* *25* 18 *9*, *Charles W. Stewart* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 1st District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Wolf
New St
Dennis Shea

Offence
Larceny Felony

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BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated Jan 25 1891

John H. Lyons
2d Precinct

Witnesses Robt Ligon

No. 9 New Street
John H. Lyons
Second Precinct

No. 50
\$ 50
RECEIVED. DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE
JAN 31 1891
C. M.

Handwritten signature and notes

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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

Dennis Shea

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse *Dennis Shea*

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

The said *Dennis Shea*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *2nd* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*, 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 *forty-four*

§ 44. 26

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

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

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

forty-six cents

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *James Wolff* then and there being found,

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
~~JOHN R. FELLOWS~~ District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Sheppard, Elizabeth

DATE:

02/13/91



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

You are examined
 of the complaint in this case
 and testify that the man who
 of your name is mostly
 of the defendant was some
 witness
 as the other one
 March 24th 1891
 issued and it cannot
 be ascertained as to
 no other witness who
 was the keeper of the
 her wounds upon their
 persons. I am satisfied
 the Co. into the
 to make a cure and
 under the
 the defendant's
 March 24th 1891
 when I was
 this case and
 the complaint to
 he is guilty
 with the defendant
 and you testify that
 it is in your
 to consider the
 defendant of the
 the man
 that the defendant
 the
 March 24th 1891

No 137
 Counsel
 Filed
 Pleads
 day of
 18
 THE PEOPLE
 Elizabeth Sheppard
 IN LANCEY NICOLL
 JOHN R. FELLOWS
 District Attorney
 A True Bill
 Charles B. ...
 ...
 ...

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.
 (Statute of 1887, Penal Code)

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

From an examination
of the complaint in this case
I am satisfied she was the
offender and it was only after
the defendant was struck
and she offered violence
that she was
arrested and it cannot
be ascertained as to whether
no other witnesses were
used the jury being parties
then present upon their
verdict. I am satisfied
she is not to be held
responsible in this case and
I recommend her
release. I am satisfied
that the defendant is
not guilty of the crime
charged and I recommend
that she be released
with costs.
Dec 24th 1891

No 157. Re. [unclear]

Counsel, [unclear]
Filed [unclear] day of July 18 91
Pleads, Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.
Elizabeth Sheppard

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL
JOHN R. FELLOWES

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John B. Pollock
March 24/91 Foreman.
[unclear]
[unclear]
[unclear]

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Police Court 2 District.

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

Mabel Preston

of No. 140 West 27th Street, aged 33 years,

occupation Laundress being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 6th day of February 1891 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Elizabeth
Sheppard (now here) who cut deponent and slashed
deponent's face with the blade of a knife that
she held in her hand.

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 7th day }
of February 1891 }

Mabel ^{her} Preston
mark

W. J. ... Police Justice.

1093

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Elizabeth Sheppard*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Washington D. C.*

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

Answer. *150 West 27th Street. One day*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Dyer*

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*
Elizabeth Sheppard

Taken before me this 7th

day of July 1891

W. J. ...

Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mabel Preston
140 W. 27th St

Elizabeth Stepper

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Offence
Abscond. Feb 7

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated February 7th 1891

Magistrate

Hotchkiss Officer

19th Precinct

Witnesses

Mama White

No. 15th Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$ 1000 to answer



1000 to answer
4th
1000

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Elizabeth Sheppard

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

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

The said *Elizabeth Sheppard*,
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
sixth day of *February* —in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *ninety-one*, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Mabel Preston*
in the Peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and *her* the said *Mabel Preston*
with a certain *knife*

which the said *Elizabeth Sheppard*
in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

3 with intent *her* the said *Mabel Preston*
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said
Elizabeth Sheppard
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Elizabeth Sheppard*,
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of
the said *Mabel Preston* in the peace of
the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make
another assault, and *her* the said
with a certain *knife*

which the said *Elizabeth Sheppard*
in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did
wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York,
and their dignity.

De Lancy Nicoll
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3954

DESCRIPTION:

Shiner, George

DATE:

02/13/91



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W. B. [Signature]

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1891

Pleads,

Allegedly

THE PEOPLE

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

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1891-7-26
[Signature]

George Shiner

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

JOHN E. FELLOWS,

District Attorneys.

Part III February 26/91

ried and convicted

9. L. 2^d day

A True Bill.

Chas. B. [Signature]

Foreman

[Signature]
July 27/91
P. S. [Signature]
[Signature] R. B. M.

Police Court South District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,

of No. 740 Second Avenue Marx Stykowitz
occupation bell-boy Street, aged 15 years,
deposes and says, that on the 7th day of February 1891 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the night time, the following property, viz:

One Silver Watch of the
value of Four - Dollars
(\$4.00)

the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by George Blumer (now here) from the fact that at about the hour of 2 A.M. on the aforesaid day deponent was in West 42nd Street and said property was in a pocket of the vest then and worn upon deponent's body, and said defendant came up to deponent and broke the chain attached to the said watch and said defendant did then take said watch out of deponent's pocket and run away and said defendant was then arrested and property was found in his defendant's possession Marx Stykowitz

Sworn to before me this 13th day of February 1891
John Ryan Police

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. George Shiner

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 50 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. No 806 - 7 Avenue about 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Heoster

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. The complainant was sick and vomiting, and the watch fell out of his pocket and I picked it up.

George Shiner
made

Taken before me this

day of

John H. Ryan
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Police Justice.

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

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 *Feb 7* 18*91* *John J. Ryan* Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 4th District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Stokowicz
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George Shiner
7th Ward

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of
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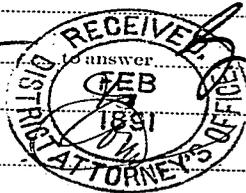
Dated Feb 7 1891

Ryan Magistrate.
Neggedmitt Officer.
23 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Call Officer
Tommy Bertico Street.
Bell. Box at Sadner House
40th St & Broadway

No. \$1000 - answer Street.



Handwritten signature/initials

BAILED,
No. 1, by
Residence Street.
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No. 4, by
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that I was waiting for a car. He offered to help me and took hold of my arm and walked along with us down Sixth Avenue. I had my watch in my vest pocket. As we reached 41st. Street and Sixth Avenue the defendant put his hand in my pocket, took out the watch and ran away across the street. I was not able to run, but Tony ran over after him and got the watch out of the defendant's hand. An officer came along and we had the defendant arrested right there and then. I saw the watch in the defendant's hand before he handed it back to Tony.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

- Q Were you not lying down at the time the defendant came up to you ? A No, sir; I was standing on the street.
- Q He offered to help you ? A Yes, sir.
- Q Did he unbutton your vest when he took the watch and chain A One button was off.
- Q The chain was fastened to your vest ? A Yes, sir; in the regular way.
- Q You recollect that the defendant took it ? A Yes, sir.
- Q On that point you have no doubt at all? A No, sir.
- Q You saw him with the watch and chain? A Yes, sir; I saw it in his hand.
- Q Before he ran away? A Yes, sir; at the time he ran across the street.
- Q How did he hold it in his hand ? A He had his hand down. I suppose he wanted to put it in his pocket.

Q Your friend Tony ran after him? A Yes, sir; Tony ran after him and he was handed over to the Police Officer.

TONY BERTA, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a hall-boy at the Gedney House. On the night of the 8th. of February I was going home with the complainant who has just testified. On the corner of 42nd. Street we met the defendant who offered to help me take him home. He got on one side of him and I got on the other. As we neared the corner of 41st. Street the complainant said to me: "That man has got my watch". I saw the man running across the street. I ran after him. He ran into a yard and I caught him and took the watch right out of his hand. I asked him why he did not give the boy back his watch and then he handed it right over to me. I saw the watch in this man's hand. An officer then came along. I told him the facts of the case and he arrested the defendant.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

Q Have you talked to anybody about this case? A I have talked with the complainant, but nothing as to what I would testify here.

Q As soon as the complainant told you that this man had taken his watch, you ran after him? A I looked across the street and saw the man running, and then I ran after him.

Q How old are you? A Nineteen; I will be twenty on the 22d. of April.

Q Had you been drinking anything that evening ? A No, sir.
HENRY N. NEGGESMITH, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a Police Officer attached to the 23d. Precinct. On the 8th. of February about one o'clock I was standing at Sixth Avenue and 42nd. Street. I heard the cry of "Police". I looked down and I saw a young man running after the defendant. I ran down and arrested him. The boy then handed me over the watch and said that the defendant had taken it from his friend. I asked the defendant what he was doing in the yard in which I caught him and he told me that he lived there. Afterwards in the Station House he gave an entirely different address.

DEFENSE:

GEORGE SHINER, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I am a coachman and groom by occupation. I have been employed in various places in the City of New York. On the 7th. of February I left my room at 733 Seventh Avenue and spent the evening with friends. I was on my way home somewhere about fifteen minutes past twelve o'clock. I saw these two boys together and I noticed one of them was very sick. There were several people on the sidewalk looking at them. I walked up to the boy and caught hold of him by the arm and said that I would take him home. We started to walk along the street, I having my right hand under his arm. We had only gone a

short distance when I saw Berta fumbling with his hand at the vest waistcoat pocket and trying to get his watch. When I saw him do that I told him it was not right. He then cursed me and I told him he was no friend of this young man. Just then the watch dropped on the sidewalk. I was quicker than Berta was and I caught hold of it in my left hand just at the time he took hold of it. He catches me by the hand, gave me a blow and took the watch from me. Then the other man began to shout "Police". The officer came and I was arrested. I did not take the watch from the boy and had no intention of stealing anything from him whatever. I have always borne a good character in this community.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

- Q Your room was on Seventh Avenue ? A Yes, sir.
- Q You are not employed by anyone ? A No, sir; not at present.
- Q You simply was anxious to see this boy home ? A Yes, sir.
- Q And you tell the jury that his friend attempted to steal the watch from him? A Yes, sir.
- Q Why did you run? A We got mixed up together and the boy struck at me and I went across the street. We were both together at the time the officer got to us. I had not been drinking at all on that evening.
- Q You didn't give any alarm when you saw the boy's friend

attempting to steal his watch? A No, sir; I did not.

Q You didn't attempt to steal it ? A No, sir.

The jury returned a verdict of "guilty of grand larceny in the second degree" .

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Indictment filed Feb'y 13, 1891

COURT OF GEN'L SESSIONS, PART II

The People of the State of New York,

against

George Shiner.

ABSTRACT OF TESTIMONY ON TRIAL
FEB'Y 26, 1891.

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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

George Shiner

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

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

The said *George Shiner*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eightth* ~~seventh~~ day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty-ninety-one~~, in the *night* - time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of four dollars

Amended by order of the Court, February 24, 1891.

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

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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