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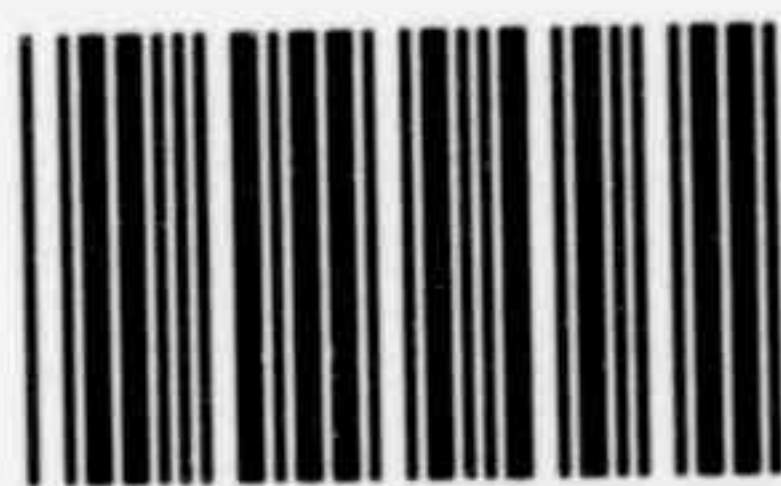
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THE PEOPLE

vs.

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
[Receiving Stolen Goods.]

Gustave Schreiber  
Benjamin Young  
do (2 cases)

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHIPPS,

District Attorney.

Case No. June 15, 1881  
No 2 pleads Burg. 3.  
A True Bill.

S. P. 18 months June 20/81

J. B. Church Foreman  
June 15, 1881.

Mr. J. P. Phipps Jury 3 day.  
S. P. 18 months.



Police Court—Second District.

City and County } ss:  
of New York.

Annie Mc Conlogue  
of No. 53 Thompson Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 53 Thompson

Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Junk Store  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Store for buying & selling of  
rags, bottles &c were **BURGLARIOUSLY**

entered by means forcibly breaking a side door  
leading from a hallway into said premises

on the day of the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1881

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

Say about forty brass Keys of the value of one  
dollar. one set pick of the value of Twenty  
cents <sup>and</sup> five pair of hand Scales of the  
value of one dollar and Twenty five cents  
all the property of Margaret Mc Conlogue  
deponent's mother who is a widow <sup>and</sup> a  
bundle containing calico dresses aprons  
& Skirts say of the value of about Five  
dollars The property of Jane Boyce  
in the care and charge of deponent

~~the property of~~

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

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent saw said  
Schreiber coming out of said hallway  
of said premises in company with said  
Young. That said Schreiber had said  
bundle containing said property in  
his possession and other said property  
was found in the possession of said Schreiber  
at the Station House by officer Ryan

Annie Mc Conlogue

Sworn to before me this  
6<sup>th</sup> day of June 1881  
J. J. Murphy Police Justice



Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Benjamin Young* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Benjamin Young*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*26 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*London (England)*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*34 Chrysler St*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Painter*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge

here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I am not-guilty*

*Benjamin Young.*

Taken before me, this

day of

June 1867

Police Justice.



Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Gustave Schreiber*

being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge ; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz. :

Question.—What is your name ?

Answer.—*Gustave Schreiber*

Question.—How old are you ?

Answer.—*21*

Question.—Where were you born ?

Answer.—*Germany*

Question.—Where do you live ?

Answer.—*313 S-5-Avenue*

Question.—What is your occupation ?

Answer.—*Baker*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you ?

Answer.—*I took the things out but I did not break the door*

*Gustave Schreiber*

Taken before me, this

6<sup>th</sup> day of May 1881

*Wm. J. Smith*  
Police Justice.



Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Amie McConlogue*  
*53 Thompson St.*  
*Gustave Schneider*  
*Benjamin Young*

OFFENCE:  
BURGLARY AND LARCENY.

Dated *June 6* 18*81*

*321. Broadway* Magistrate.

*Thos. E. Ryan* & *Officer S.*

Clerk.

Witnesses: *James McConlogue*  
*53 Thompson St.*  
*James Ryan*  
*8<sup>th</sup> Lincoln.*

Committed in default of \$ *1000* each Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

Eustave Schreiber and Benjamin  
Young each

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

*Margaret McConlogue*

there situate, feloniously and  
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers  
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and  
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with  
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Margaret McConlogue*

then and there being, then and there  
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*Forty Keys of the value of two cents  
each*

*Five pairs of scales of the value  
of twenty five cents each pair*

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

*Margaret McConlogue*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *store* then and there being, 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.



And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

THAT the said

*Eustave Schreiber and  
Benjamin Young each*

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,

*Forty Keys of the value of two  
cents each*

*Five pairs of scales of the value  
of twenty five cents each pair*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Margaret McConlogue*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before

feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from*

*the said Margaret McConlogue*

unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain~~, did feloniously receive and have

(the said

*Eustave Schreiber and  
Benjamin Young*

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 pro-  
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.



22 Hill road

Day of Trial

Counsel,

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Pleads

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
[Receiving Stolen Goods.]

Eustace Schneider  
Benjamin Young  
(Co-acc.)

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

~~BENJ. K. PHILLIPS,~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. C. Church

Foreman

Not entered on another sheet  
June 15 and 20 - 1881



CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Hustave Schreiber and*  
*Benjamin Young* each

late of the *eight* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *fifth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty *five* with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the *store* of

*Margaret McConlogue*  
there situate, feloniously and  
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers  
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and  
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with  
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property ~~of the said~~ *of me*

*Jane Boyce*  
then and there being, then and there  
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*Divers articles of female wearing*  
*apparel (a more accurate description*  
*of which is to the jurors aforesaid*  
*unknown and cannot now be given)*  
*of the value of five dollars*

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

*Jane Boyce*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *store* then and there being, 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.



And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

THAT the said

*Gustave Schreiber and Benjamin Young each*

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,

*Stole articles of female wearing apparel (a more accurate description of which is to the jurors aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given) of the value of five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Jane Boyce*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from*

*the said Jane Boyce*

unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain,~~ did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Gustave Schreiber and Benjamin Young*

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.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.



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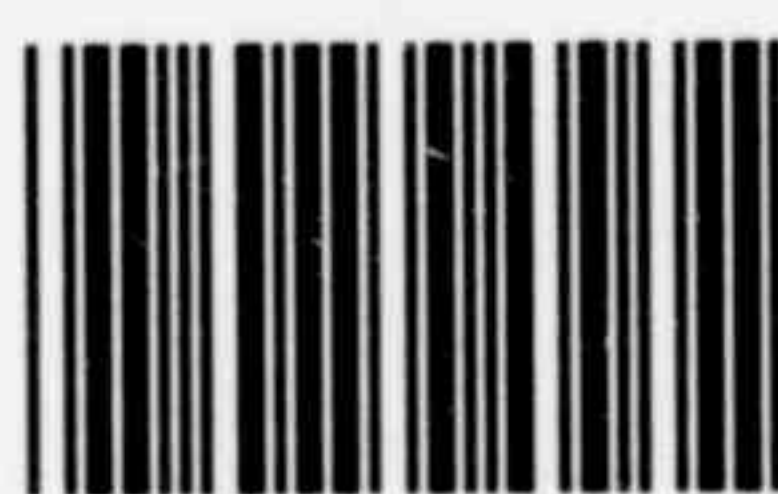
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Schumacher, Bertha

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Pleads *Not Guilty* to

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Indictment for Receiving Stolen Goods.*

*P.*

*Bertha Sakumacher*

*(Sealed)*

DANIEL C ROLLINS,  
~~BENJ. K. PHELPS,~~

District Attorney.

*July 1, 1881*

A True Bill.

*Wm. G. Howard* Foreman.



The following property represented  
by pawn tickets found in the  
possession of the defendant has  
been identified as follows

Laraki Solomon	60 attorney St.	Silk Cloak
Annie Simmons	42 Essex St.	" "
Henriette Ewing	90 Rivington St.	Wearing apparel
Annie Meyers	27 Rivington St.	Mr Gold Ring
Frauer Herwickson	168 Rivington St.	Mr Silk Skirt
Ida Schwartz	136 Essex St.	Sheets, Towels, &c
Frederick Wbach	122 Delaware St.	Mr Silver Watch
Mary Schelling	75 Allen St.	Mr Mohair Suit
Etta Schreiber	39 Ridge St.	Mr Cloak
Lucy Robinson	81 East 3rd St.	Dress
Anthony Hessay	127 Clinton St.	2 coats & 1 Pair Pants
Gussie Craft	218 Chrysler St.	Mr Still
Etta Harris	71 Norfolk St.	Gold Watch & Opera Glass
Maggie Friber	66 attorney St.	Bedding —



Police Office. Third District.

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

*Annie Simon*  
of No 42 Essex Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 42 Essex

Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling House.

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means of forcibly opening the lock on the

front-door leading into deponent's apartment

by means of some implement to deponent's

apartment on the morning of the 24 day of May 1887.

and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..

Wearing apparel consisting of  
one silk dress, one silk cloak, one suit  
of gentleman's clothes all of the value  
of one hundred dollars

the property of *Cynthia and her husband*  
*Morris Simon*

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

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

*Bertie Schumacher*

(nowhere)

for the reasons following, to-wit: From the fact that at about 9 o'clock

A.M., on said day deponent securely locked

and fastened her said premises and

went out; about 15 minutes thereafter

deponent returned and discovered

that the above described property had

been stolen, and ~~the~~ carried away

deponent is informed ~~that~~ by Officer Geo A. Hess

of the 10<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that he found in

said Bertie's apartments at premises No 104

Delancey Street in said City Pawn Tickets



Representing the above described property  
Department has since seen same property  
and identified it as that which was  
stolen as aforesaid  
~~Mary Owen~~ <sup>her J.</sup> ~~Amos~~ <sup>Simmons</sup>  
Mark

Sworn to before me this  
25<sup>th</sup> day of June 1881

Mary Owen Police Justice

City and County of New York

George A. Hess of the 10<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police being duly  
sworn says that he has heard the foregoing  
affidavit read and that portion of it  
which refers to him is true of his own  
knowledge  
George A. Hess

Sworn to before me this  
25<sup>th</sup> day of June 1881

Mary Owen Police Justice



Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Bertha Schumacher* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to *her*, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Bertha Schumacher*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*30 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*Germany*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*104 Delancey St*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*House Keeper*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—

*I am not guilty*

*Bertha Schumacher*

Taken before me, this  
*25th*  
day of *June*, 18*81*  
*Henry Connor*  
Police Justice.



216 Pike road

POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT.

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THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amie Simmons

(42 Essex St.)

Bertie Selumacher



Offence, BURGLARY.

and larceny

Dated

188

June 24th

Wm J. Power

Magistrate.

Geo. A. Meers

Officer.

10th Street

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 1000 to answer committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

CASH

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.



THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Bertha Schumacher*

late of the *tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty fourth* day of *May* in the  
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty - *one* with force and arms,  
about the hour of *ten* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Morris Simons*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of force~~

he the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and  
personal property of

*Morris Simons*

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.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One waist of the value of ten dollars*  
*One skirt of the value of ten dollars*  
*One valise of the value of ten dollars*  
*One coat of the value of ten dollars*  
*One vest of the value of ten dollars*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars*  
*One cloak of the value of forty dollars*

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

*Morris Simons*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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.

~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS~~  
~~JAMES E. PHILLIPS~~, District Attorney.



And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

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 waist of the value of ten dollars*  
*One skirt of the value of ten dollars*  
*One overskirt of the value of ten dollars*  
*One coat of the value of ten dollars*  
*One vest of the value of ten dollars*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars*  
*One cloak of the value of forty dollars*

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

*Morris Simons*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

*taken and carried away from the said*  
*Morris Simons*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

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.

**DANIEL G. ROLLINS,**  
**DENISE H. PETERSON,** District Attorney







Police Office. Third District.

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

No. of

89 Norfolk

Josephine Groen

Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No.

89 Norfolk

Street, 10th  
the 4th floor of

Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a

Dwelling House

which was occupied by deponent

and her husband as a Dwelling House

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**

entered by means of forcibly opening the Lock on the front door  
on the 4th floor leading from the hall way into  
deponent's apartment with some intent to deponent

unknown  
time

on the

13th

day of

June

1881

in the day

and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..

Wearing Apparel consisting of Men Coat-  
Pantaloons and Vest and two suits of  
Ladies clothing all of the value  
of Seventy dollars in \$70<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>  
and two Gold Finger Rings of the value  
of seven dollars all of the value  
of seventy seven dollars \$77<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

the property of

deponent and her husband  
Anthony Groen

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

**BURGLARY**

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

Bertha ~~Schumacher~~ Schumacher  
(now here)

for the reasons following, to-wit:

That on said day at about the hour of  
9.40, o'clock A.M. deponent securely locked and  
fastened the doors leading into her apartment  
and went out. That at about the hour of 3 o'clock  
P.M. deponent returned to her apartment in  
said premises and discovered that the front  
door leading into deponent's said apartment  
were open, and on entering she discovered  
that the property described aforesaid had  
been feloniously stolen. Deponent further  
says that she was informed by Augustin



Butz of No. 71 Norfolk Street in said city that  
she saw said Bertha Schumacher entering  
said premises ~~on~~ ~~xxxx~~ at No. 89 Norfolk Street  
in said city at about the hour of 11 o'clock A.M.  
on said day that in about 15 minutes afterwards  
she saw said Bertha coming out of said <sup>apartment</sup>  
House carrying a large Bundle in her arms  
and a Basket on her arm, Deponent is further  
informed by officer George A. Hess of the 10<sup>th</sup>  
Precinct Police that said Bertha acknowledged  
and confessed to him that a portion of said  
deponents property was at her said Berthas  
House situated 104 Delancey Street in said  
city that he went to her said Berthas House  
and there found a portion of said property  
and also sixty nine Pawn Tickets and about  
fifty Keys, That one of said Pawn Tickets  
represented all of deponents property so taken  
~~stolen~~ and carried away, and that has  
since seen all of said wearing apparel  
and identifies it as the property of herself  
and husband.

Josephine Groen

Sworn to before me this

28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1881

Manning J. Owens Police Justice

State of New York

City and County of New York

SS

Augusta Butz of No. 71 Norfolk Street in  
said city being duly sworn deposes and says  
that she has heard the foregoing affidavit  
read and that portion of said affidavit  
which refers to her is true of her own



Knowledge

Augusta Burt

Sworn to before me this  
23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1881

Manning & Son Police Justice

City and County of New York S.S.

George A. Hess a detective officer of the 10<sup>th</sup>  
Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes  
and says that he has heard the affidavit  
of the complainant in the within case  
read and that portion of said affidavit  
which refers to him is true of his own  
Knowledge

George A. Hess

Sworn to before me this  
23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1881

Manning & Son Police Justice



Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Bertha Schuemaker* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to her, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.— *Bertha Schuemaker*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.— *Thirty years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.— *Europe Hamburg in Germany*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.— *107 Delaney Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.— *None*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.— *I am not guilty.*  
*Bertha Schuemaker.*

Taken before me, this

*23*

day of

*June 1887*

*Henry Brown*

Police Justice.



216 Bilk road  
Form 115.  
POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Nephew & Groen  
89 Norfolk St.  
Bentley Summers  
Office *Lawrence & Son*



Dated June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1878  
M. Raver Magistrate,  
George W. Boyle Officer.  
107 1/2 Bremer

Witnesses, Augusta Butz  
No. 71 Norfolk Street.  
Geo. C. Hess  
No. 107 1/2 Bremer Street.  
No. Street.  
\$ 1500 to answer Committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,  
CMM

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



THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Bertha Schumacher*

late of the *Tenth* Ward 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 eighty-*one* with force and arms,  
about the hour of *ten* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Anthony Groen*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of force,~~

he the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and  
personal property of

*Anthony Groen*

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.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One coat of the value of ten dollars.*

*One vest of the value of five dollars.*

*One pair of pantaloons of the value of five dollars.*

*Two waists of the value of five dollars each.*

*Two skirts of the value of ten dollars each.*

*Two over-skirts of the value of ten dollars each.*

*Two finger-rings of the value of three dollars  
and fifty cents each.*

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

*Anthony Groen*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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.

~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS,~~  
~~DENNY R. PHILLIPS,~~ District Attorney.



And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

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 coat of the value of ten dollars  
One vest of the value of five dollars  
One pair of pantaloons of the value of five dollars  
Two waists of the value of five dollars each  
Two skirts of the value of ten dollars each  
Two overskirts of the value of ten dollars each  
Two finger-rings of the value of three dollars  
and fifty cents each.*

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

*Anthony Groen*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

*taken and carried away from the said  
Anthony Groen*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Bertha Schumacher*

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.

**DANIEL C. ROLLINS,**  
~~DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY~~ District Attorney



BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Sleeper, Frank

DATE:

06/16/81



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

**489**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Scott, Edward**

**DATE:**

**06/16/81**



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Chas. G. Galt  
Richard Thompson

1798 Broadway  
Witness  
No 2 Jack Ramsay  
432 West 20th St  
Solomon P. Stoddard  
177 N. 45th St  
\$500

Apr 27 1882  
Complainant & witnesses  
do not appear & case  
is taken & defendant  
is paid \$500 - 100 per  
cent  
Embroidered that said  
be discharged & do not  
go in this can recognize  
-yane

W. H. Deane  
Expt District City  
No evidence produced  
claiming that any effort  
has been made. but when  
to produce his record  
Application to discharge  
Apr 27 1882 returned to

1882  
B.W.

Filed 16 day of June 1881  
Plead's not guilty (20)  
2. John (4)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
1. Frank Sleeper  
2. Edward A. Scott

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney.

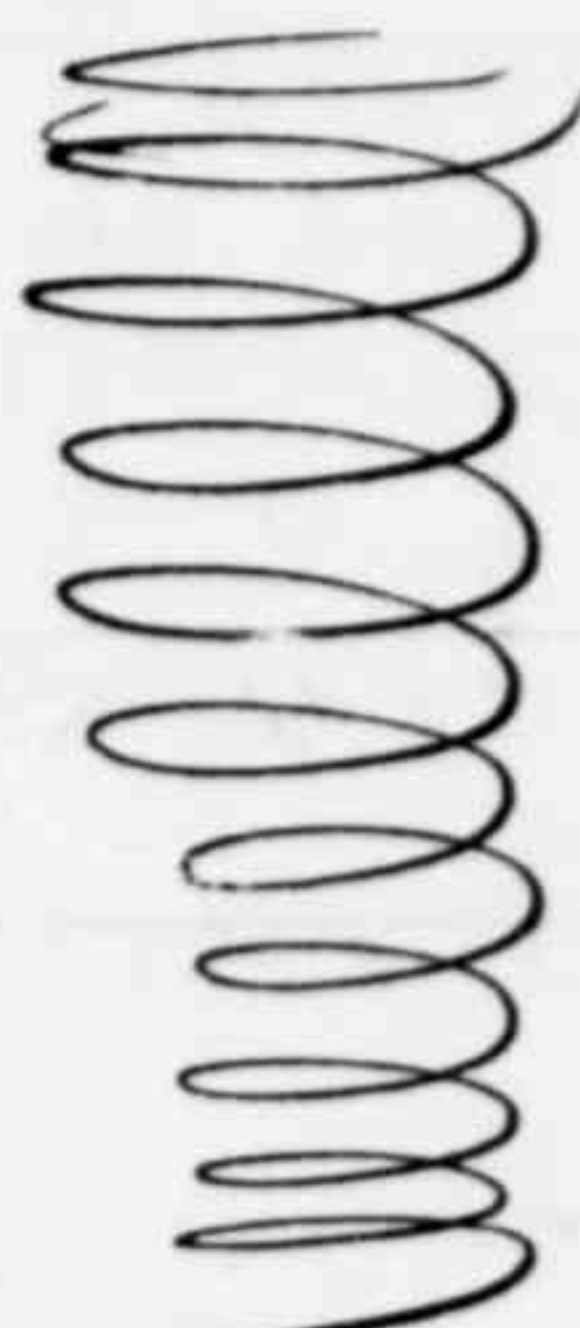
Ch. 2.  
and grand jury 2/2

A True Bill.  
The Complainant says he has  
two witnesses who are in the City  
to take the first time now -  
Lumpkin & C. L. French Foreman.

22  
Dist. Att.



People &c  
Against  
Frank Sleeper<sup>and</sup>  
Edward Scott



City and County of New York ss:  
Jacob Ramsay Jr. being duly sworn  
says, that I am the Complainant  
in the above entitled proceeding  
The defendants were arrested upon  
my complaint for an aggravated  
assault against me on the 31<sup>st</sup>  
day of October 1880 at the City of  
New York.

The defendants were arrested and  
an examination was thereupon had  
before the Police Magistrate when  
the following facts appeared.

On the evening of October 31<sup>st</sup> 1880  
I retired to bed at about 11 o'clock  
P.M. while I was asleep in my  
room at no. 20 Jones where I re-  
sided the front door bell was rung.  
One Miss Julia Rhode who was the  
housekeeper of said residence and  
who had retired to rest opened the



door, believing that her mistress who was out, had rung the bell. On opening the door she was confronted by five persons, consisting of the two defendants one of whom carried a thick heavy stick and the other a short club or billy, and three loomen, who each wore heavy dark veils over their faces completely obscuring their features. The men at once pushed the door opened stating that they were Police Magistrates' detectives in search of me. They rushed into the hall closing the front door and at once took possession of the house. They ordered Miss Glode to conduct them through the house and at first refused to allow her to dress, but finally consented to allow her to put on some garments, the entire party however, men and women standing in her room while she dressed herself. She was then ordered to lead them from room to room and on searching my apartments they broke open the



door in spite of my protests from  
within and my demand for proof  
of their authority, and after break-  
ing the door the men with uplifted  
stick and club rushed in upon  
(Mr. Ramsay) me and severely  
beat and assaulted me. They  
then ransacked the apartment  
and finding no one else in my  
room they left the house. The  
following morning, I was  
placed under the care of my  
Physician necessitated by the  
injuries I had sustained and  
continued. So for several days  
the Police Magistrate thereupon  
held the defendants to bail  
to await the action of the  
Grand Jury

Sworn before me  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1887  
O. L. L. L. L.  
(Notary Public  
N.Y.C.)

Jacob Ramsay Jr  
432 West 20<sup>th</sup> St  
~~432 W. 21<sup>st</sup> St~~

Witness. Julia Alford.  
Jacob Ramsay Jr



District Attorney's Office.

THE PEOPLE,

For Wednesday June 15

Frank Sleeper

Edw<sup>rd</sup> A. Scott

This case may go  
to the Grand Jury  
direct. It has  
been before a Police  
Magistrate, and  
the defendants have  
been held for trial  
but the papers  
have been mislaid.

DGR

Mail \$500

DGR



New York April 14/82

Hon John M Keon District attorney

Dear Sir

I would call your attention to a matter in which some action ought to be taken the particulars of which are these

there is a person at present in this city who calls himself a Private Detective who goes by the name of Edward Scott he has been Indicted and held in \$1000 Bail for trial but the case has never been called owing to some collusion with the clerks of the late District attorney Mr. Rollins to whom he paid money he also paid the sum of \$150. to a man by the name of Campbell who went on his bond the papers in the case are in your office but may have been put out of the way

this man Scott is a notorious character having been in prison several times and also served a term for forgery he is a professional Blackmailer and with a woman with whom he lives and passes off for his wife they are continually Blackmailing timid persons who dont care to have their names made public he has been arrested



in this City some time since for Banco Swindling and  
also for Breaking into a Gentlemans apartments in  
Jones Street this City for which act he has been Indicted  
He also served a term of some time in prison for the  
charge of Swindling

hoping that you will notice his Indictment  
and place him on your Calendar for trial at your  
own convenience I remain Sir

Very Respectfully

Theodore W. Smith

P.S.

the complainant in his case is a Mr Ramsay



CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That Frank Sheper and Edward  
A. Scott each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the *thirty first* day of *October* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Jacob Ramsay Junior*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *kill* the said *Jacob Ramsay Junior*  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the  
said *Jacob Ramsay Junior* and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

~~BENT. K. PHELPS,~~ District Attorney.



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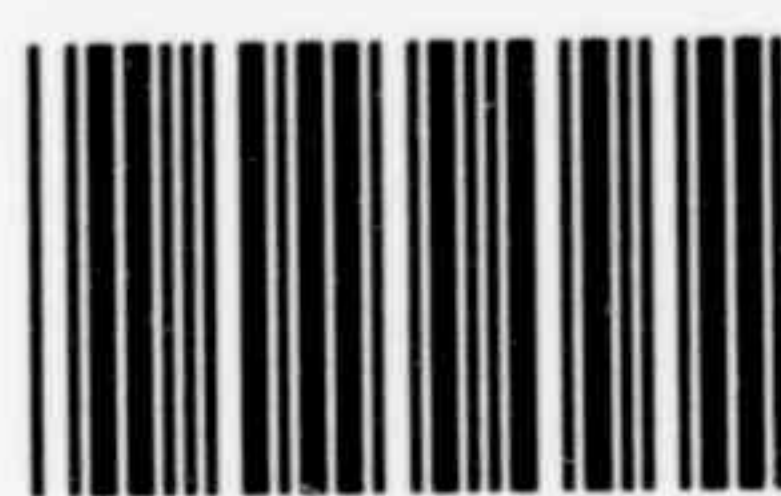
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DESCRIPTION:

Shannon, Joseph

DATE:

06/15/81



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18 With indent.

Counsel,  
Filed 15 day of June 1881  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Shannon

1723  
1881

DANIEL C ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. B. Church Foreman.

James C. 1881.

James C. 1881.  
Elmer Ref.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.



STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Police Court—First District.

*Clarence W. Seaman*  
of No. *281 Broadway* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 18 *81*  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent,

the following property, viz:

*One Typewriter  
Machine*

of the value of *Seventy five* Dollars,

the property of

*S. Remington & Sons an  
incorporated Company and  
in Leominster Mass & Chicago*

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

*Joseph Shannon  
(now in) in whose possession  
said property was found  
as deponent is informed  
by Officer Carr*

*Clarence W. Seaman*

Sworn to, before me, this

of

18

day

Police Justice.



City & County  
of New York } ss

Gilbert Carr of the  
4th Precinct being duly  
sworn says that on the  
6th day of June 1881  
he arrested Joseph Shannon  
with the property described  
in the foregoing Affidavit  
in his possession

Gilbert Carr

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 7th day of June 1881  
McNeill G. Barry  
Notary Public



Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles H. Spang*  
281 Broadway St.

*Joseph L. Spang*

Affidavit—Larceny.

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

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Dated

*Eric J. Spang*  
Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

*Officer Spang*

\$15.00  
*T. A. General*  
to answer

Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office



CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:*

That

*Joseph Shannon*

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

*One machine (of the kind commonly  
called a type writing machine) of the  
value of seventy five dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Eliphaz Remington*  
*Lawrence W. Seaman* then and  
there being found, 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.



And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present  
That the said

Joseph Shannon

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 machine (of the kind  
commonly called a type writing  
machine) of the value of seventy  
five dollars

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

~~Eliphalet Remington~~  
Clarence W. Seaman

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

~~Eliphalet Remington~~ Clarence W. Seaman  
unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain~~ did feloniously receive and have (the said

Joseph Shannon  
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
~~taken and carried away~~ 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.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS~~, District Attorney.



**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

**489**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Sherwin, John**

**DATE:**

**06/09/81**



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THE JUDGES OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

1000 OF THE FIRST PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

10. The following are the names of the persons who have been appointed to the various committees of the Board of Directors:

the first of these is the fact that the  
and that the second is the fact that the  
of our country from the first of these  
in the country of New York, and in the

Reads guilty  
U.S.P. 18 months



STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Police Court—First District.

No. 35 Broadway or *Alexander Lawrence*  
 of No. *451 West 34<sup>th</sup>* Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the *22<sup>d</sup>* day of *May* 188*1*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
 away from the possession of deponent, *and from on board*

*the Steam Ship "Delaware".*

the following property, viz: *Good and lawful money*

*of the issue of the United States Govern-  
 = ment consisting of Seven notes or bills  
 of the denomination and value of Twenty  
 dollars each and amounting in all  
 to the sum and*

of the value of *One hundred and forty* Dollars,  
 the property of *this deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property  
 was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *John Sherman,*

*(nowhere) from the fact that the ac-  
 = cused acknowledged and confessed to  
 deponent in open court that he, said  
 Sherman, did take, steal and carry  
 away the said from a drawer in  
 deponent's room on board the Steam  
 Ship "Delaware", then and there lying  
 at the pier foot of 21<sup>st</sup> West, East  
 River.*

*Alex Lawrence*

Sworn to, before me, this

of

1881

day

Police Justice.



Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John Sherwin* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer,

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge*  
*John Sherwin.*

Taken before me, this

5<sup>th</sup>  
day of

June 1881  
Police Justice.



Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Alexander Lawrence*

*35 Broadway*

*vs. John Sherman*

Affidavit—Larceny.

BAILED :

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

Dated

*June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1881*

*R. P. Lawrence* Magistrate.

*W. C. Lawrence* Officer.

*John Sherman* Clerk.

Witnesses :

*Am. in Court*

*but Lawrence*

\$ to answer

at Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office





CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

**THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,**  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present :*

**That**

*John Sherwin*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, aforesaid on the *twenty second* day of *May* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty one~~ *eighty one* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force  
and arms, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one  
thousand dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value  
of five hundred dollars each : twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars,  
and of the value of one hundred dollars each : thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars,  
and of the value of fifty dollars each : fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the  
value of twenty dollars each : sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value  
of ten dollars each : eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and  
of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars  
each : ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each :  
one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each :  
one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar  
each : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due  
and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind  
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars : two promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied of the value  
of twenty dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes,) be-  
ing then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each : ten promissory notes for the payment of money  
(and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each : ten  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatis-  
fied, of the value of three dollars each : fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as  
bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each : thirty promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value  
of one dollar each : bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the  
jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as  
double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each : three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the  
value of ten dollars each : six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each :  
fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each : ten gold  
coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each : thirty gold coins (of the  
kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each : gold coin of the denomination to the jurors  
unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver  
coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each : sixty silver coins (of the kind usually  
known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each : one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as  
quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each : three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes),  
of the value of ten cents each : six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five  
cents each : one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each : silver  
coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value  
of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each : five hundred coins  
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of Amer-  
ica, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomi-  
nation of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each : two hundred due bills of the United States  
of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the  
denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each : five hundred due bills  
of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as frac-  
tional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Alexander Lawrence*

then and there being found,  
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.

*Daniel G. Rollins*  
**BENJ. K. PHILLIPS, District Attorney.**



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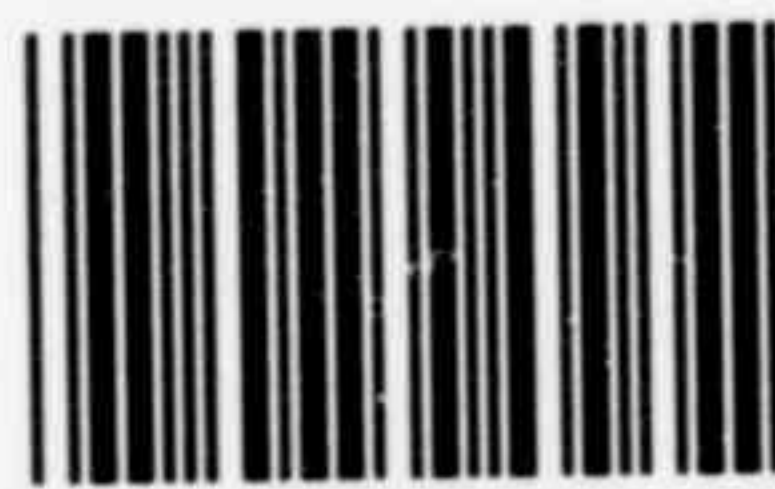
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DESCRIPTION:

Simons, Charles

DATE:

06/27/81



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Counsel,  
Filed 27 day of June 1881  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Simon

56.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. B. Church Foreman.

Reads fully - G.D.  
5 July 6/1881

~~Pen~~ one year.  
Pen



STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Police Court—First District.

of No. 390 Broadway Street, being duly sworn, deposesand says, that on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1887at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the possession of deponent, and from said

the following property, viz:

premises  
one piece of black  
Silk about thirty eight  
yards

of the value of

Thirty eight

Dollars,

the property of

Albert Cornell and in  
deponent's care and chargeand that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Charles Simonsnow here and another person  
not arrested. That the prisoner  
and said other together entered  
said premises and were by deponent  
shown some patterns of silkThat while said other engaged  
deponent in conversation the  
prisoner stole and carried away  
said property which was subsequently  
found in his possession by Officer  
Heidelberg as deponent is informed  
and verily believesChas Henry GiffordSworn to, before me, this 23 day

18

day

of June  
Michael J. McCarthy  
Police Justice.



City and County  
of New York

Charles Heidelberg of the  
Police Central office being duty  
room says that at about  
three o'clock <sup>P.M.</sup> on the day in  
question deponent saw the  
prisoner leave said premises  
and following him arrested  
him in Walker Street and  
found in his possession concealed  
beneath his coat the property  
aforesaid which is identified  
by Complainant as having  
been taken and carried away  
from the aforesaid premises

Chas Heidelberg

Sworn to before me this  
28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1881  
Merrill W. Bayard  
Police Justice



**Police Court—First District.**

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Charles E. Simons* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to *him*, states as follows,  
viz:

*Question.* What is your name?

*Answer.*

*Question.* How old are you?

*Answer,*

*Question.* Where were you born?

*Answer.*

*Question.* Where do ~~you~~ live?

*Answer*

*Question.* What is your occupation?

*Answer.*

*Question.* Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

*Answer*

Charles Johnson

Taken before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189\_\_\_\_  
We ever test bearing Police Justice



day of

June 18



200. *File name*

Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Elias H. Gifford*

*390 Broadway*

*Charles Simmons*

*Affidavit—Larceny.*

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

Dated

*June 23*

18

*Sturtevant*

Magistrate.

*Charles Heidt*

Officer.

*Central office*

Clerk.

Witnesses:

*Calcutt Officer*



\$ *1.500*

at

Received at Dist. *Adm*



CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:*

That

*Charles Simons*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*twenty second* day of *June* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid  
with force and arms,

*thirty eight yards of silk of the  
value one dollar each yard*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Albert Cornell*

then and  
there being found, 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.



And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

Charles Simon

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,

Thirty eight yards of silk of the value of one dollar each yard

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

Albert Cornell

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

Albert Cornell

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Charles Simon

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.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.



And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

Charles Simons

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,

Thirty eight yards of silk of the value of one dollar each yard

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

Albert Cornell

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ taken and carried away from the said Albert Cornell

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Charles Simons

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen, ~~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.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS



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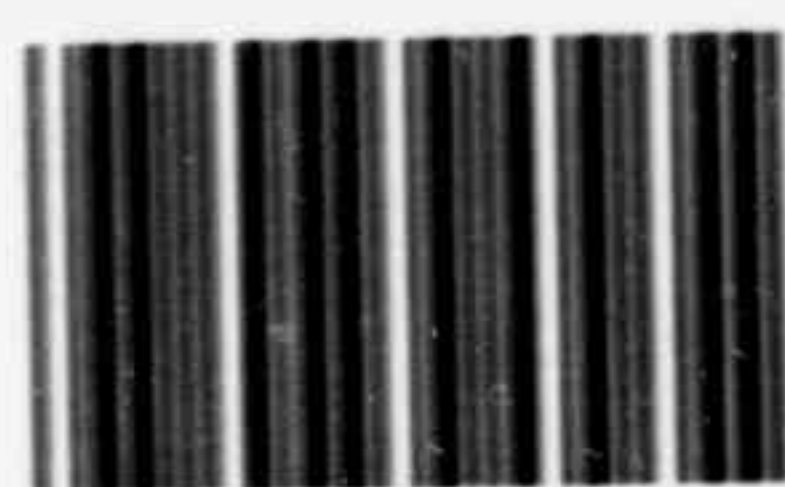
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Counsel,

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*Book*  
**THE PEOPLE**  
28.  
**BURGLARY—First Degree, and Grand Larceny.**

*John Smith*

*Annie G. Hall*  
**BENJ. K. PHELPS,**

District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

*W. C. Church* Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

*June 16. 1881.*  
*Pleaded Guilty & deys*  
*S. P. 14 months. 70*



Police Office, Third District.

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

Nathan Heisbaums

No. of 53 Hester

Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 53 Hester

Street, 10 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling House  
the first floor  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house for himself and  
family

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means forcibly breaking the lock of the  
door in the rear of said premises

on the Morning of the 27 day of May 1881  
and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz..

One Woolen Ladies Dress of the value  
of seventeen dollars and one coat  
and one pair of Pants of the value  
of twenty dollars said property - being  
in all of the value of thirty-seven  
dollars

the property of deponent

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

John Smith (now here)

for the reasons following, to-wit: Deponent is informed by  
Lettie Heisbaums (deponent's daughter)  
that she saw said Smith in said Room  
and seized hold of him and held him  
that at that time said Smith had the  
aforesaid property in his possession  
and for the further reason that deponent  
took the aforesaid property from the  
possession of said Smith  
N. W. Hester

Subscribed to before me this  
27th day of May 1881

John W. Hester  
Police Justice



City & County of New York 53

I, Lettie Weissbaum of No 53 West  
Street being duly sworn deposes & says that  
on 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1881 she caught  
John Smith (nowhere) in the above said  
premises with the within described  
property in his possession that  
deponent seized hold of said Smith  
who struck her one violent blow on  
her face with his fist attempting to  
run away with the property.

Sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1881. Lettie Weissbaum  
J. B. Munn, Justice



Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John Smith* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—

*John Smith*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

*32 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

*New York*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

*7 York Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

*Writer*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the  
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—

*I am not guilty*

*John Smith*  
*His*  
*Mark*

Taken before me, this

27

day of

May

1881

Police Justice.



POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT, 574

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Nathan M. Lamm*

*53 Vestry St*

*John Smith*

Offence, BURGLARY.

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Dated

*May 27*

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Magistrate.

*Murray*

*Burnaby 3rd Dist. Police Court*

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ *1000*

Received in Dist. Atty's Office

*Burglary 24 Degree & Grand Larceny*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence



CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*John Smith*  
late of the *tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid,  
on the *twenty-seventh* day of *May* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*ones* with force and arms,  
about the hour of *nine* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Nathan Weisbaum*  
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of  
*forcibly breaking open an outer door of said*  
*dwelling house*  
whilst there was then and there some human being to wit, one *Yette Weisbaum*  
within the said dwelling house he, the said

*John Smith*  
then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and  
personal property of *Nathan Weisbaum*  
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.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, about the hour of *nine* o'clock in the *day* time of said day  
the said

*John Smith*  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One skirt of the value of ten dollars.*  
*one over skirt of the value of three dollars.*  
*One waist of the value of four dollars.*  
*One coat of the value of ten dollars*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of *Nathan Weisbaum*

*Nathan Weisbaum* in the said dwelling house of one  
, then and there being found  
in 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.

*Benjamin Phelps*  
BENJAMIN PHELPS, District Attorney.



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THE PEOPLE

vs.

John J. Smith

Felonious Assault and Battery.

Daniel G. Rollins  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part Trro June 23, 1881

Tried & acquitted

A True Bill.

W. C. Clark Foreman

Thurs June 28  
Point 2



POLICE COURT—FIFTH DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John J. Smith* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*John J. Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Fifty-five years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*No 1407 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Av.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Shoe lace maker*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what,—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

*I am not guilty. I struck him in self defence*

*John J. Smith*

Taken before me, this

*31*

day of

*May*

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*J. J. Smith*

Police Justice.



Police Court—

g-<sup>th</sup> District.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No.

157 East 113<sup>th</sup>

Street,

on

Saturday

the

28<sup>th</sup>

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
day of May

in the year 1881 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John J. Smith

who did wilfully and maliciously  
strike deponent on the head  
with an iron foot-stool, weighing  
ten pounds, thereby making  
five several cuts and wounds  
upon deponent's head and so  
wounding and injuring deponent

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, <sup>and</sup> to do him 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

30<sup>th</sup> day

of

May

1881

Titus X Smith  
(mark)

Hugh Farmer POLICE JUSTICE.



Police Court-- 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, ETC.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Titus Smith*  
157 E. 43<sup>rd</sup> St.  
*John J. Smith*  
AFFIDAVIT--A. & B.  
FELONIOUS.

Dated, *May 20*, 188*1*  
*Gardner* Magistrate.  
*W. Sinclair* Officer.

Witness, *Wm. Radloff*  
*2060 3<sup>rd</sup> Av*  
*572 5<sup>th</sup> Ave*

*Thomas O'Connell*  
RECEIVED  
JUN 3 1881  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE  
*Conrad*



CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*John J. Smith*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*Twenty eighth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Titus Smith*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *him* the said *Titus Smith*  
with a certain *piece of iron*  
which the said *John J. Smith*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound  
with intent *him* the said *Titus Smith*  
then and there, feloniously and willfully 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County  
aforesaid, the said *John J. Smith*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Titus Smith*  
then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an  
assault and *him* the said *Titus Smith*  
with a certain *piece of iron* which the said *John J. Smith*

in *his* right hand, then and there  
had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, willfully  
and feloniously, and without justifiable ~~and~~ excusable cause, did then and there beat,  
strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously  
do bodily harm unto *him* the said *Titus Smith*  
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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-  
said, the said *John J. Smith*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of *Titus Smith*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another  
assault and *him* the said *Titus Smith*  
with a certain *piece of iron*  
which the said *John J. Smith*

in *his* right  
hand then and there had and held, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,  
and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death  
of *him* the said *Titus Smith* with intent *him* the



said *Litus Smith* then and there feloniously and willfully 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *John J. Smith*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Litus Smith* then and there being, willfully and feloniously, did make another assault and the said *Litus Smith* with a certain *piece of iron* which the said *John J. Smith*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, willfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *Litus Smith* 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.

*Daniel G. Rollins*  
~~BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.~~

*104 Phil Adams,*  
*E. E. P.*  
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THE PEOPLE  
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Felonious Assault and Battery.

*Daniel G. Rollins*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS

District Attorney.

Part due June 23, 1881  
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A True Bill.

*Wm. Stewart* Foreman