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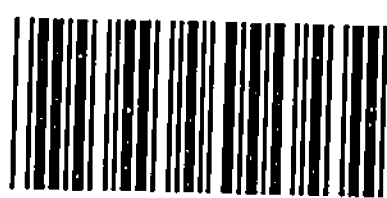
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Carl, Spero

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Spero Carl

BURGLARY—Third Degree,
NOTHING STOLEN.

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JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

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A True Bill.

J. W. Leonard

Foreman.

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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

Spero Carl

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

Spero Carl

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

The said *Spero Carl*

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

Patrick J. Dickey

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, the said *store*
being then and there a building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things
were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit; the same being the goods, chattels,
and personal property of *the said Patrick J. Dickey*

with intent the said
goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *store* 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.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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BAILED,		Police Court <u>5</u> District <u>5</u>	
No. 1, by _____		THE PEOPLE, &c., ON THE COMPLAINT OF,	
Residence _____		<u>Paul & Betty</u> <u>1599 2nd Ave.</u>	
No. 2, by _____		1 <u>Spuo Carl</u>	
Residence _____		2 _____	
No. 3, by _____		3 _____	
Residence _____		4 _____	
No. 4, by _____		Offence <u>Burglary</u>	
Residence _____		Dated <u>July 4</u> 188 <u>3</u>	
Street _____		<u>H. Murray</u> Magistrate.	
Street _____		<u>E. M. A. Rennie</u> Officer.	
Street _____		<u>23</u> Precinct.	
Street _____		Witnesses <u>Robert Foreman</u>	
Street _____		No. <u>336 Pearl</u> Street.	
Street _____		<u>Geo M A Rennie</u>	
Street _____		<u>23rd Precinct</u> Street.	
Street _____		No. _____ Street.	
Street _____		Committee to answer <u>E. S.</u>	
Street _____		<u>without Bail</u>	

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 Spuo Carl

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same ~~and he be committed to bail in the sum of~~ within bail Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, ~~until he~~ within bail

Dated July 4th 1883. Henry Murray Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

Spero Carl

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. *Spero Carl*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *109th St. 9th First Ave 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Boot-black*

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*

*Spero^{his} x Carl
mark*

Taken before me this

day of

1883

Justice

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Police Court—5th District.

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

Patrick J. Hickey
of No. 1599 Second Avenue Street, aged 32 years,
occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No. 1599 Second Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Store

and which was occupied by deponent as a store for the sale of liquors and cigars
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking off a
lock and staple that was attached to a cellar
door and forcibly opening the cellar door leading
into said premises and, thereafter, forcibly using a trap door
leading into said store
on the 4th day of July 1883 in the night time, ~~and the~~
~~following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:~~

with the felonious intent to take steal and
carry away therefrom the following property
viz Five thousand cigars of the value of
three hundred 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 ^{attempted to be} taken, stolen, and carried away by

Spero Carl (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent caught said
defendant in the act of breaking off
said lock and go in said premises
and immediately thereafter deponent
caught said defendant in said
premises

Patrick J. Hickey

Sworn to before me this
4th day of July 1883

James J. Hickey Justice

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Celer, Frank

DATE:

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In consequence of the
extreme youth of the
defendant and of the
desire of the complainant
not to press the charge,
the boy is discharged
on his own recognizance

July 5: 1883

J. P. Pym

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Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

1883

THE PEOPLE	vs.	Frank	Esler
INDICTMENT.			
Grand Jurors in the County of Cook, Ill.			

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

July 5th 1883
J. W. Conant
Foreman
Discharged by Court

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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

Frank Ceter

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

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

The said *Frank Ceter*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *25th* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *two earrings of the*

value of one dollar and fifty cents each each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Sebastian Wolfram* on the person of *one Eva Wolfram* then and there being found, from the person of the said *Eva Wolfram*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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

Frank Celen

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

The said Frank Celen

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the 25th day of June in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms two savings of the
value of one dollar and
eighty cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of _____

Sebastian Wolfrom

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

Wolfrom

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; he the said Frank
Celen

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated June 23 1883 Wm. H. H. H. H. (Police Justice.)

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

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

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198-200.

J District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Frank Celer 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.

Frank Celer

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

13 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Bohemia

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

Answer.

190 East 3rd St. about 4 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Selling bundles of tobacco

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.

Another boy took them and gave them to me Frank Celer

Taken before me this

25th

day of

January
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Henry H. Gardner

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation John Sheridan
Police officer of No.

10th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Mary Wapman

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

Sworn to before me, this 25th
day of June 1883

John Sheridan

Mary Wapman
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mary Wolfrom, aged 26 years,
of No. *210 East 34th* Street, *Housekeeper*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *25th* day of *June* 188 *8*

at the *day time in 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 the person of deponent~~

And from the person of deponent's
child Eva Wolfrom, aged 2 1/2
years, the following described property, to wit:
one pair of gold ear rings of the value
of three dollars

Sworn before me this

25th

day of *June*

188 *8*

John J. [illegible]

Police Justice,

the property of *deponent and her husband, Sebastian*
Wolfrom

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,
stolen, and carried away by *Frank Celer, now here,*

aged 18 years from the fact that
said ear rings were taken out
of the ears of said child while
it was playing in the street at
about the hour of 1 o'clock on the afternoon
of said day and about half an hour
thereafter said ear rings, which are
now here shown, were found in
the possession of said deponent by
Officer Sheridan now present as said
Officer informs deponent. Maria Wolfrom

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DESCRIPTION:

Clarkson, John

DATE:

07/09/83



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Counsel,
Filed 39 day of July 1883
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38 100 THE PEOPLE
vs. P
John Clarkson
alias
John Clark

1st & 2nd
[9518-532-660]

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.

W. W. Conant
Foreman.

July 9, 1883
Pleads Guilty
Cec. Ann. Year 1883

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Clarkson

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

_____ John Clarkson _____
of the CRIME OF *Petit Larceny as a Second Offence*
committed as follows: _____

~~into of the City and County of New York~~ On the *twenty-fifth* day of
November — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~one~~
~~with force and arms~~, at the City and County aforesaid, at a Court of

General Sessions of the Peace in and for the
City and County of New York, at a term thereof
they holden at the City Hall of the City of
New York, before the honorable Frederick
Smyth, Recorder of the City of New York, Justice
of the said Court, the said John Clarkson, by
the name and description of John Clark was
in due form of law convicted of Petit Larceny
for that the said John Clarkson, by the name
and description of John Clark, then late of the
First Ward of the City of New York in the County
of New York aforesaid, on the fifteenth day
of October in the year Eighteen hundred and
eighty one, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid
with force and arms, one coin of the lawful
money of the United States of the kind known
as a five cent piece of the value of five cents,
of the goods, moneys, chattels and personal
property of one Alfred J. Dick, then and there

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being found, feloniously did steal, take and carry away: And thereupon, upon the said conviction judgment was given by the said Court that the said John Clarkson, by the name and description of John Clark, for the offence aforesaid whereof he was convicted should be imprisoned in the Penitentiary of the City of New York, for the term of three months, as by the record thereof doth more fully appear;

And afterwards, to wit: on the second day of July in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred, and eighty three the said John Clarkson, late of City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, having been duly discharged from the said judgment by reason of the expiration of the said term of imprisonment, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, one nickel coin of the United States of America of the kind known as five cent pieces of the value of five cents, of the goods chattels and personal property of one Frank L. Richards, then and there being found, then and there feloniously did take steal and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McLean

District Attorney.

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City & County
of New York 1881

Albert Bloem of
55 East Tenth Street being duly
Sworn deposes and says that
he is a Bricklayer at said above
mentioned place and that deponent
is acquainted with John Clark for
the past Twelve 12 years deponent
and said Clark for over two years
were room mates and that
the said Clark and deponent were
together for over two years ^{in Park others} and
deponent has always found the
said Clark to be an honest
man and since deponent has
known ~~him~~ said Clark he has
never heard anything against
him or his character spoken of by
his friends but that deponent
has heard men speak of the
said Clark as an honest
upright man and as a steady
man who has always worked
for his living as a Painter and deponent
has never heard of the said Clark being arrested before the time

from to before me
this 25th day of November 1881

Joseph H. Storer
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

Albert Bloem

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City and County of New York

George C Washburn of
No 74 Maiden Lane being duly
sworn deposes and says that he
is a Carpenter at said above number
and that he is acquainted with
John Clark and has known him
for over three years deponent
was introduced to Clark by Benjamin
Bradbury over three years ago and
deponent has been in said Clark's
Company very often and in the
Company of his friends that deponent
has always known said Clark to be
a hard working man and that
he was working at his trade
as a painter deponent has never
heard a word spoken of or against
his said Clark's Character but has
often heard the friends of Clark
and also of my own friends speak
of Clark as a good and true
man who was never in any trouble
of any kind and deponent has never
heard of the said Clark being charged with
any crime or offence before this time
from to before me

This 25th day of November 1881

Joseph H. Stier
Notary Public

George C Washburn

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city & county
of New York 1881

Benjamin Bradbury of
N^o 27 Wall Street being duly sworn
deposes and says that he is the manager
of the Lrexel Building and that he is
acquainted with John Clark who is
now charged with the crime of Petit
Larceny. Deponent further says that he
has known the said John Clark for
the past sixteen years and that the said
Clark has worked both at the Lrexel
Buildings and at deponents house
and since deponent has known said
Clark he has never heard a
word spoken against him as to
his honesty. Deponent further says
that he has heard in business
transactions that the said Clark
was spoken of as an honest and upright
man and as such deponent has
always found said Clark ~~and~~
~~is still~~ to be and deponent has often
heard the said Clark's character
spoken of by his friends as an
honest man and he has never heard of the said
Clark being charged with any crime before this time
from to before me
this 25th day of November 1881
Joseph H. Sturte
Notary Public 1876

Benj. Bradbury

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ESTABLISHED 1834.

New York Nov. 15th 1887

To Thomas J. Page, Dr.

Paper Hangings, Fresco and Decorative Painting.

810 BROADWAY,

Terms, Cash.

~~For~~ of Bill Boender.

this is to Certify that
John Clark has been
in our employ. as journeyman
Painter for two seasons.
We have always found
him faithful, honest,
and thoroughly reliable
we can recommend him
to any one requiring his
services.

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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

John Clarke

Bench Warrant for Misdemeanor.

Issued

Oct. 27 ^{*th*}/_{*u*} 1881

☒ The defendant is to be admitted to be bail
in the sum of dollars.

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING :

An indictment having been found on the 18th day of October
188 /, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of

New York, charging John Clarke
with the crime of Petit Larceny goods to of Alfred J. Deck

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named John Clarke

_____ and _____ bring him before that Court to answer the indictment; or
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the Keeper of the
City Prison of the City of New York, or if he require it, that you take him before any Magistrate
in that County, or in the County in which you arrest him, that he may give bail to answer the
indictment.

City of New York, the 27th day of October 188 /.

By order of the Court,


Clerk.

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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 _____

James on Order
15th 1881 under the
11th of 18th Street

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James A. Richards
407 W. 19th St.

John Clarkson

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Office *Petit Larceny*

Dated *July 3rd* 188*3*

J. N. Smith Magistrate.

James Officer.

J. S. S. Precinct.

Witnesses *James W. Johnson*

No. *Special Service* *James W. Johnson* *Contract*

No. *Charles Kelly*

No. *621 West 13th St.*

No. *116 Second Ave.*

No. *407 W. 19th St.*

No. *621 West 13th St.*

No. *116 Second Ave.*

Com.

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

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

Dated *July 3rd* 188*3* *Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

John Clarkson 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.

Taken before me this 9th day of July 1883.
A. J. Wilcox
Police Justice.

John Clarkson

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Police Officer of No. the

Special Service Squad Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Wm. L. Richards.

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

Sworn to before me, this 3rd

day of July 1883

James F. Brennan

J. Wilcox
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Clarkson.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Thirty Eight Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York State

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

Answer.

53 S. 8th Avenue. 1 Year.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter and Bartender

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

Answer.

I am Not guilty.
John Clarkson

Taken before me this

day of

July

1883

W. H. Smith
Police Justice.

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J. M. L.

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. *407 West 19th St.* Street, *Frank L. Richards.* Age *29* *Machinist*
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *2nd* day of *July* 188*3*

at the *2nd* 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 with intent to deprive the true*
owner thereof.
the following property, *viz.*

Good and lawful Money
of the United States Consisting of One Nickel
Coin of the Value of Five Cents

the property of *deponent,*

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

from the fact that about the hour
of Five O'clock P.M. on said date deponent
entered Car. No. 11 of the Tremont Third
Street line of Street Cars and handed
the said Coin to the said Clarkson.
to pay deponent's fare by depositing
the said Coin in a box in said Car;
deponent saw the said Clarkson.
Put the said Coin into his pocket.

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and failed to deposit it in the box
in said Car. as requested by Dependent.
and the said Clarkson did not put
any other Money into the box in said
Car for the purpose of paying Dependent's
fine. Dependent is informed by Officer Brennan
that he arrested the said Clarkson
and on searching him found on
the person, the Coin here shown, which
Dependent identifies as the Coin which
had been taken stolen and carried
away from Dependent's possession.
Dependent is further informed
by the said Officer Brennan that
he the said Brennan was present
in the Court of Special Session in
and for the City and County of New York
on or about the 9th day of June 1882 when
the said Clarkson was convicted of
a similar ~~offense~~ ^{offense} when the
said Clarkson was sentenced to pay a
fine of One hundred dollars and be
committed to the Penitentiary for the term
of six months, Dependent therefore ~~charges~~
that prays that the said Clarkson
may be dealt with as the law directs
and especially as set forth in Section
688 of the Penal Code of the State of New York.
Given under my hand and seal
this 3rd day of July 1882

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

AFFIDAVIT-Larceny.

J. L. Richards
J. W. Smith
Police Justice

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1142

DESCRIPTION:

Clements, Ella

DATE:

07/12/83



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off for term on application
of Def. Counsel. July 13/83
In view of the fact that
The defendant is a married
woman and respectably
connected, and has never
been charged with any
crime; and in addition
that Simpson, Crawford
& Simpson, who are
practically the complain-
ants in the case having
signed and sworn to a
paper praying for a
withdawal of the
complaint, Jack the
Court to discharge the
prisoner upon her own
recognition.

July 13. 1883
M. J. Morgan
Apr 23rd 1883

Counsel,
Filed 12th day of July 1883
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Ella
Clements

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.

S. W. Bonnstoot
July 13/83. Foreman.
Quintanilla

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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

Erna Clements

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

Erna Clements

of the CRIME OF Petit LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Erna Clements*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Sixth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms *two jackets of the value of Seven dollars and fifty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Thomas Simpson* then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McKee
District Attorney.

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____

Street _____

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____

Street _____

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____

Street _____

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____

Street _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
JAMES DUNN,
vs
JAMES DUNN & Co.
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Offence
J. L. L. L. L.

Dated 11/13/2018 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct. 10

Witnesses *[Signature]*

No. 214 West 37
Street.

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No. 10 Street.

to answer 150-14.

[Handwritten signature]

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 Edna Bennett

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and ~~he~~ ^{each} 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 April 7 1883 H. E. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198—200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Annie Jane 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. Annie Jane.

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29. Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York.

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

Answer. 223. Third Avenue. N. York.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. House Keeper.

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

Answer. I am not guilty of the charge.

Annie Jane

Taken before me this

day of March

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Ellu Clemente 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. *Ellu Clemente*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Albany N. Y.*

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

Answer. *Brooklyn. 10 Years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Pressman.*

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 against myself*
Ellu Clemente

Taken before me this

day of

Aug 7

1883

Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss.:

Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE,

On Complaint of

For

vs.

Annie Lane.

John J. Turner,
Victim of Larceny

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~wave~~ ^{demand.} a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and my right to ~~make a statement in relation to it~~, and demand a trial at the COURT OF ~~SPECIAL~~ ^{General.} SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated

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July 27th

J. H. Hill

Police Justice.

Annie Lane
her name

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Police Court 2 District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of

For

John J. Turner.
Victim Larceny

Ella Clements

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ^{demand} a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, ~~and my right to make a statement in relation to it~~, and demand a trial at the COURT OF ~~SESSIONS~~ ^{General} SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated July 7th 1883

Ella Clements

J. H. Smith Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Ella Clements 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. Ella Clements

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Albany N. Y.

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

Answer. Brooklyn. 10 Years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Dressmaker.

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 at present.
Ella Clements

Taken before me this

day of Aug

1883

J. H. Williams
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

aged 22 years, occupation Saleswoman of No. 314 West 39th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 7 day of July 1883 } Mary Langenbacher
W. H. Smith
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 309. *Liik Avenue* Street.

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *29th* day of *July* 188*3*.

at the *Premises Nos. 307 to 315. Liik Avenue* City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent *at the day time with intent to deprive the true owner of the said same and to use the same* the following property, viz:

Two Jersey Sackets together of the value of fifteen dollars.

the property of

Thomas Simpson William Browder and John Simpson Copartners and his Dependent One Anne Charge.

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

Ellu Clements and Annie Jane (both now present) from the fact that the said defendants came into the said premises together. And deponent is informed by Mary Langford Bucher that the said defendants came to a counter in said premises and requested to be shown some jerseys and that she saw the said Clements take and carry away one.

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of said Jersey. and conceal the
 name on her person. The said Clements
 in company with the said Jane
 then went towards the door of said
 premises. When the said lady and her
 stopped the said defendants and
 found concealed on the person
 of the said Clements the two Jerseys.
 There shown and which had been
 taken stolen and carried away
 from the counter in said premises
 dependent therefore from that the
 said defendants may be dealt with
 as the law directs.

Given to be true me J. H. Smith
 this 7th day of July 1883

J. H. Smith
 Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,

VERSUS

Ellen Clement

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself.

Simpson Crawford Simpson
per James Simpson

State of New York
City & County of New York ss.

On this 13th day of July A.D. 1883, before me personally came James Simpson, to me known & known to me to be the individual described in the foregoing instrument & who executed the same, & acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Edwin G. Davis,
Notary Public,
Kings T.M. Co.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Connors, Susan

DATE:

07/13/83



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Amended 10/03 in Billone

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed, 13 day of *July* 1883

Pleads

Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Susan Connors

St. John

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. W. Connors

Foreman.

Aug 6/83

True & Convinced of

Guilty of 2. degree

by the jury in

1883

Assault in the First Degree, etc.
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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

Susan Connors

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

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

The said *Susan Connors*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *seven* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas Britton* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas Britton* with a certain *knife* which the said *Susan Connors*

in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *in* the said *Thomas Britton* 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

Susan Connors

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:

The said *Susan Connors*, 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 *Thomas Britton* then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas Britton* with a certain *knife* which the said

Susan Connors

in *her* right hand then and there had and held, ~~the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm~~ feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound ~~thereby then and there inflicting upon the said Thomas Britton, to wit: thereby then and there cutting open the cheek of the said Thomas Britton~~ against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Smith
11. Feb
Susan Connor

Offence Felony
Assault

Dated June 17 1880

Exhibit _____
Magistrate.

Patrol Office
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Precinct:

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street,

No. 7 Street, X

to answer

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Dated June 7th 1883 Andrew White Police Justice.

Dated 188 *Police Justice.*

Dated _____ 188. _____ *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Susan Gounors 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. Susan Gounors

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 56 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 3 Destrassess St. Seven years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laundress

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 cut the complainant for satisfaction because he had struck me some time before.

Susan ^{her} Gounors
mark

Taken before me this

day of

July

1883

Charles F. Smith Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas T. Britton
of No. 11 Desbrosses Street,

40. Labore being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Wednesday the Sixth day of June

in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Susan Connor (now dead)
who cut and stabbed deponent
in the face with a knife or some
other sharp instrument (then
and then held in the hands
of said Susan), cutting
deponent's cheek open to the
bone, and making a cut about
two and one half inches in
length.

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

of

June 1 day
1883

his
Thomas T. Britton
mark

Andrew John

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Testimony in the
care of
Susan Corvers
pled July
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The People v. Susan Gurners
County of General Sessions Part I
Before Recorder Smyth Aug. 6.
Indictment for assault in the first degree 1883

Thomas Britton, sworn and examined,
testified. I live in Desbrosses St. I know the
prisoner and saw her the day she cut me.
I never saw her before Wednesday the 6th
of June. I saw her that day between one
and two in the afternoon. I met her first
on Desbrosses St. and she followed me
down to where I board in Hudson street
about 15 minutes after. Then I met herself
and another woman in Desbrosses St.
They wanted me to pay for beer for them
and I refused and I was going about my
business. This woman got hold of my finger
and bit me. I struck my hand against
her cheek so as to get my finger out
and I went along down to Hudson St. and
after a few minutes the prisoner came
in; she had something on her head so
as to hide her face from me; she went
one step behind me; she drew the knife
across my nose; she cut my nose clean
off; she drew it across and cut it
right through; she did it so quick that
I could not say whether it was a knife
or a razor; it must have been a very

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sharp instrument that did it. I think she was arrested about an hour after that I had to go to the doctor and get it fixed. I was in the hospital for five weeks. Cross Examined. It is not true that I rubbed my hand on the person of this woman. I did not put my hand on her bosom and rub it down to her stomach. I had nothing at all to do with her.

Patrick O'Reilly sworn. I am an officer and arrested the prisoner about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Some parties told me there was a woman after cutting a man across the way. I went there and saw the blood. I went to his residence and found this complainant with three stitches in his face and three more in his nose after coming from the doctor. I fetched him to the hospital because the blood could not get a passage way through the arteries. I had to get those stitches cut and get the arteries sewed. The blood escaped from the arteries again and I had to go back to the hospital and get it cut the second time. I have been on the force 13 years and have seen a good many wounded persons. It must have been a very sharp instrument that was used to have

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cut those small arteries. A stone or a club or a blunt instrument could not have made them. This was a clean cut to the bone. Did you ever see a man's nose cut off with a stone? No sir. Susan Connors, sworn and examined in her own behalf testified. I live at No 3 Desbrosses street and am a married woman. My husband was eight months buried at the time this unfortunate man met me and struck me. I met him at my own door where I have lived eight years. He was talking to another woman, I was emptying a pail; the lady called me over and the two of them called me over; she said to me, "This gentleman is going to treat." That is all right. I said, "gentlemen before ladies." I went over and he rubbed his hand down that way on my stomach. I put my two hands and shoved him against the railing ^{at} her window. He let me have two strokes in the face and he knocked a tooth out of my mouth. I looked for the sharpest stone, I hit him with a slate stone. I had no knife or razor, only a sharp slate stone that they write on. I have never been in a Court room before and am a hard-

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working woman. I am the mother of eleven children and the grandmother of five. I cut him out in the street. I don't know where the complainant boards. I threw the slate stone at him in the street. Thomas Britten recalled by the Court. Where were you when you were cut? In the house where I was boarding in Hudson St. I was not boarding there long and do not know the number, it was at the corner of Hudson and Laight St. two doors from the corner. I heard the prisoner lived in Desbrosses St. about five doors from where I was boarding. Did you see her pick up a slate? She says she cut you with a slate? No sir. I did not strike her in the face with my fist. I walked away and she followed me. I was in the house a good while. I had my hand on a little counter and was there 20 minutes. I did not give her a black eye. Patrick Reilly recalled by the Court. When I arrested this prisoner her eye was black, the corner of it. She told the sergeant when he asked her why she did it, she said her blood was as good as his. No 3 Desbrosses St. is two blocks from Hudson street. She was convicted of assault in the second degree.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Conor, Harry

DATE:

07/13/83



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In view of the tender
age of the deft. and after
examination of the specimen of
an analyzed test the deft.
could not secure a conviction
July 13. 1883

For Mr. Brady
D.A. Deak

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Counsel,

Filed 13 day of

1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE	vs.	James Conner
INDICTMENT.		
Grand Larceny in the second degree		
Receiving Stolen Goods		
65281, 531 and 5507		

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

L. W. Conner
July 13/83 Foreman.
Discharged by Court

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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

Harry Connor

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

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

The said *Harry Connor*

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- *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *one watch of the value*

one hundred dollars, and one chain of the value of forty five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *George Tréper* on the person of the said *George Tréper* then and there being found, from the person of the said

George Tréper

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

~~JOHN MCKEON, District Attorney~~

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

_____ Harry Connor _____

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

The said Harry Connor _____

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the 27th day of June in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, one chain of the value

of forty five dollars and one watch
of the value of one hundred
dollars _____

of the goods, chattels and personal property of George Tregel _____

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

Tregel _____

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

_____ Harry Connor _____

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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

POLICE COURT, 5th DISTRICT.

of No. *the 3^d Inspection District* *Officer Edward Gallagher*
Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says that on the *28th* day of *June* 188*3*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *he arrested Harry*

Connor, now here, from information received that the said Harry Connor, in concert with two other boys, feloniously took, stole and carried away a watch from the person of one George Brief, whose property the said Harry Connor upon such information charges the Harry Connor with having taken, stolen and carried away. This Deponent therefore says said Harry Connor may hold for examination until this deponent

Sworn to before me, this
of 188

Police Justice.

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James to before me
June 29th 1883
Edw. Gallagher
Justice

Was the opportunity of obtaining the
presence of this defendant informant
in relation to said larceny.
Edward Gallagher

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.
Harry Connor

Dated June 29 1883

Magistrate.

Witness,
Edw. Gallagher
3rd Precinct

Disposition,
X = June 30th 1883 J. M.

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Police Court— 5th District. 055

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Fiegel
25 New St. 100 St.
bet 8 & 9 Sts.
Harry Cameron

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

Dated June 30 1883

John Callaghan Magistrate.
3rd Precinct
2nd Precinct

Witnesses: Albert Freund
No. 1545 Third Ave Street
John Callaghan 3rd Precinct
No. 7600 2nd Street
3rd Precinct District
Comm

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE POLICE
CITY OF NEW YORK
JUN 30 1883
COMM

Offence Larceny from the person on the day
the person in the night
Time

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 Harry Cameron

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

Dated June 30 1883 R. Callaghan Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

5th

District Police Court.

Harry Connor 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. Harry Connor

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 11 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. I have no home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Nothing

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. Another boy gave me the watch

Harry Connor

Taken before me this

30

day of

June 1893

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Albert Freund
aged 30 years, occupation Pawn Broker of No.
1545 Third Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George Trevel
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 30
day of June 1883 }

Albert Freund

J. P. Morgan
Police Justice.

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5th

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 25 New Avenue Street, George Tiefel
100 St bet 84 & 9th

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 27th day of June 1883

at the _____ City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, on the day time and from his person
the following property, viz:

one gold watch and chain attached
of the value of one hundred and forty
five dollars

Sworn before me this

30

day of

June

1883

the property of deponent who is 50 years old and
keeps a Hotel

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 Harry Connor (now here)

that deponent is informed by Albert Freund
that said defendant came in his

loan office no 1545 Third Avenue
with said watch in his possession
and the said Connor wanted to
pledge the same for twenty five
dollars

George Tiefel

Police Justice.

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BOX:

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1142

DESCRIPTION:

Coyle, Hugh

DATE:

07/13/83



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Counsel,

Filed 13 day of July 1883

Pleads

Maguelly

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Dughh Coyle

Maguelly

Account in the first degree, etc. (921 and 213)

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.

S. M. Connelton

Foreman.

Aug 7 '83

Frederick Connelton

Seaverly Bay

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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

Dough Coyle

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

Dough Coyle
of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*
committed as follows:

The said *Dough Coyle*

late of the City and County of New York, on the *Seventh* day of

July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*
with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, *feloniously* did

assault one Theodore Remmer, then and there
being, with a certain pistol then and there
charged and loaded with gunpowder and
one leaden bullet which he the said Dough
Coyle in his right hand then and there had
and held, with intent to kill the said Theodore
Remmer then and there wilfully and felonious-
ly 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 *Dough Coyle*
of the Crime of *Assault in the Second Degree*,
committed as follows:

The said *Dough Coyle*, late of the City
and County aforesaid, afterwards committed on the

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day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did assault one Theodore Remier, then and there being, with a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which he the said Hugh Coyle in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John Mc Keon

District Attorney

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT of

Wardene Weaver

vs.

Wm. Coyle

Offence

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Dated

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

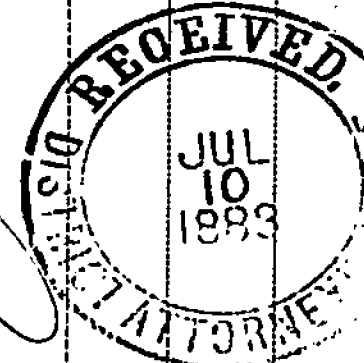
Witnesses

No. _____

Street.

No. _____

Street.



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

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY,
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Hugh Boyle 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.

Hugh Boyle

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

31 City Hall Place about 3 weeks

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 was robbed of my pocket book in the house and when I spoke of it they put me out - one of the party remarked pull him back and we will club him. What I did was done to protect myself

H Boyle

Taken before me this

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Police Justice.

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Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

of No.

Theodore Reimer
473 Pearl
34 years old. Hotel Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the *7th* day of *July*

in the year 188*3* at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Hugh Boyle
Now here *That said Boyle*
did wilfully and maliciously
point and aim a pistol
loaded with powder and lead
at deponent and while said
pistol was so pointed & aimed
the defendant in a rude angry
and revengeful manner exclaimed
I will kill you meaning that
deponent that said assault
was committed

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

day

of

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Theodore Reimer

John B. Smith

POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Testimony in the
case of
Hugh Boyle
filed July
1883.

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The People v. Court of General Sessions. Part I
Hugh Boyle v. Before Recorder Smyth. Aug. 7. 1883

Indictment for assault in the first degree
Theodore Reimer, sworn and examined. I
live at 475 Pearl St. Keep a hotel there, and
saw the prisoner at my place on the 7th of
last month; he entered my place at six
o'clock and came back at 10 o'clock and
assaulted me; he went out of my place at
seven o'clock and came back at ten and
asked for a glass of beer which I refused
to give him. He sat down for a while and
watched me as I went behind the bar
again; he got up and asked again for a
glass of beer and I refused him again.
Then he put his hand in his pocket and
said, "Do you recollect what I told you when
I was here at six o'clock, that I would re-
turn?" He pulled out his pistol and said,
"You Dutch son of a b—h, get ready. I
am going to shoot you." At that momen-
ent he pulled out his pistol and held
it right against me. "All right," says I, "I
will be here in a minute." I went out of
the side door and called my little daugh-
ter, to go and get a policeman. He
went around the saloon with the pis-
tol in his hand; the pistol was cocked

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and loaded. All he had to do was to pull
and he would have shot me. The only
chance I had to escape was to go and
call a policeman, he did not fire the pis-
tol. He played a game of billiards and he
lost, he came to the bar and he did not
have the money. I was sitting at my supper,
the prisoner said to me, "This is a nice
way keeping a house. I lost my money."
I said, there was nobody in my house
would take your money. Cross Examined.
My hotel has thirty rooms. I keep a res-
pectable house. I did not hear him say
that he had been robbed of seven dollars;
he did not ask me to have some persons
arrested for stealing money from him.
I put the prisoner out on the sidewalk. I
did not catch him by the coat and drag
him along; the policeman did that when
he arrested him. The pistol was cocked
when he came in at ten o'clock. I never
had a pistol in my place. The prisoner
put the pistol against me when I was
standing against the bar.
Carnegie's. Healy sworn. I live at 217
Centre St. I know Mr. Reimer, was at
his hotel on the 7th of last month and saw
the prisoner there between five and six

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o'clock after I came home from "work". He was playing pool with a boy, and I afterwards joined them. After he got "stuck" he went to the bar to pay and said he lost his pocket book in the house. Mr. Reimer asked him if he would not pay for the game? He said he would not and Mr. Reimer put him out. The prisoner said for him to come out on the sidewalk and he would settle the case. The prisoner went away and came in about ~~half~~ ^{an hour or three quarters} with a revolver. He had some dispute with Mr. Reimer about drinks; the prisoner remained in the saloon all the time and had his pistol out. Mr. Reimer and I went up stairs because I was afraid of being shot. I went out for a policeman. When I got back I could not tell whether the prisoner had the pistol in his hand for the policeman got in first. Cross Examined. I don't know whether the prisoner cocked the pistol or ~~not~~ ^{not}. I heard him halloo that he was robbed of seven dollars. He asked Mr. Reimer did he allow such conduct in his house of people getting robbed? Mr. Reimer told him to go out if he did not want to pay for the game that he played.

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John Curley, an officer, sworn I arrested the prisoner. I found him at the door of the lager beer saloon with a pistol and a box of cartridges in his hand. The prisoner told me he had been robbed, he went off to buy this pistol (it was a new one) he did not want to take a mean chance against this man, he told him to go up stairs and get his pistol and defend himself; he told me he paid \$2.50 for the pistol and the cartridges, it is a French repeater. Hugh Leagle, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified. I worked for John Flannery, a stevedore, off and on four years at pier 18 East River. I went into this saloon at six o'clock and played a game of pool and was "stuck," and when I went to pay I found my pocket book containing \$8 was gone. I told the proprietor and said, "Is this the kind of a house you keep, to allow people to be robbed?" He seized hold of me by the arm and said, "let us take him back in the store and club him." I saw I was in a bad place and went outside of the door; he tried to pull me in off the pavement. I went away, I told them that I would find my money, if possible. I went to see if I could see any officer but I could not find any. I went and

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got this pistol. I had no intention of assaulting Mr. Reimer without I could not help it, without I was set upon. I went into the saloon with the pistol in my hand. I never opened my mouth. The complainant came from behind the bar and went to his side door. I supposed he was going to arm himself. I kept the pistol pointed to the ground all the time and waited for his return, and in a minute the officers came. Of course I was not going to resist the law. Cross Examined I pawned my suit of clothes at Thompson's to get money to purchase the pistol; it cost \$2.50 or \$3.00. I live at 31 City Hall place.

Eliza Coyle, Kate McCabe, and John McCafferty testified to the good character of the defendant.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of assault in the third degree.

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Cronin, Charles

DATE:

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Counsel,
Filed 10 day of July 1883
Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Charles Cronin
INDICTMENT.
Grand Larceny in the Second Degree.
(5528 July 531)

John McKeon
JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

S. W. Connelley
July 10th 1883. Foreman.
John P. Connelley
Plead Guilty 2nd time
July 10th 1883 & C. was
imprisoned.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Cronin

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

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

The said *Charles Cronin*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~Second~~ day of *July* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms *five promissory notes for*

the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the kind commonly called United States Treasury notes, of the denomination and of the value of one dollar each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Jennings* on the person of the said *John Jennings* then and there being found, from the person of the said

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

Charles Cronin

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles Cronin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *102 James Street, one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Fire Smith*

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*

Thomas Cronin

Taken before me this

day of

July

1887

Thomas Cronin
Police Justice.

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3rd District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.

years *thirty four* of No. *224* *Prospect Street* Street, in the City of *Brooklyn*

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *2* day of *July* 188*3*

at the *day time* in 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 the person of deponent*

the following property, viz :

good lawful money of the issue of the United States consisting of five notes of the denomination and value of one dollar each, and in all of the value of five dollars

the property of *deponent*

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,

stolen, and carried away by *Charles Cronin (nowhere)*

and another person not arrested, and

whose name is unknown to deponent

from the fact, that deponent at the

hour of about 4 o'clock P. M. was

walking along Catherine Street, when

deponent had said money in the left

hand pocket of the vest then worn

upon deponent's person. That said

defendants came up to deponent, and

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

Notary Justice,

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said Cronin placed his hand in said
vest pocket and stole said money, therefrom,
deponent immediately seized hold of said
Cronin and held him when said
unknown person struck deponent a blow
in the face, Deponent held said Cronin
and caused his arrest

Sworn to before me this
30th day of July 1883
J. M. Patterson
John L. Simpson
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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DESCRIPTION:

Cummings, Charles

DATE:

07/09/83



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Counsel,
Filed day of July 1883
Pleads Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.
Charles
Cumming

by *John McKee*

JOHN-MCKEON,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

S. W. Livingston
Aug 3/83 For
Wm. D. D.
Pleas
Per. Six m.

Grand Larceny, Second degree, and
Receiving Stolen Goods.
(528 Aug 53)

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Cummings

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

Charles Cummings

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

The said Charles Cummings

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 30th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms

ten rings of the value of five dollars and seventy cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Thomson S. Wood then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John McLean
District Attorney.

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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, _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Lawson & Wood
14 St. John St.
Charles Cunningham
Offence, *Grand Larceny*

Dated *July 30th* 188 *3*

Magistrate.
Justice
25th Street
Officer.

Witnesses *Mathew Davis & John*
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

No. *1100 to 1100* Street, *1*

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 *Charles Cunningham*

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *250* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *July 30th* 188 *3* *City Court* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Charles Cummings

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

37 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Lancaster Pennsylvania

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

Answer.

Harrisburg

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Jeweler

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

Charles Cummings

Taken before me this

day of

June

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Police Justice.

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1st District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss
Jewelry 14 John

Rawson L Wood aged 20 years
Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 30 day of June 1883

on the day then at the City of New York,

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

of deponent with the unlawful intent to cheat and deprive the true owner of

the following property, viz:

Ten Gold Rings value at
fifty seven dollars and $\$57 \frac{00}{100}$

Sworn before me this

1883
City of New York
John R Wood

the property of John R Wood and deponent copartners
doing business at said number and street

and that this deponent

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

from the fact that deponent was engaged showing
some Gold Rings to a customer when said defendant
came up sat down on a Chair and looked at
the same Rings. Deponent was informed
by said Customer to whom he was showing
the Rings that said defendant had stolen
some of the Rings. Deponent then sent out for
an officer and when he came in upon making
search the said property was found in the
possession of said defendant. Deponent therefore charges
him with the Larceny of said property, Rawson L. Wood

Police Justice.