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DESCRIPTION:

Palmer, Harold

DATE:

11/05/91



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Mooney, Thomas F.

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Leonard, Edward J.

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POOR QUALITY
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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

day of Nov 189

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

I

Harold Palmer

Thomas J. Mooney

Edward J. Leonard

H.D.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Robbery, (Sections 224 and 228, Penal Code.)
Degree.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Connelley

Foreman.

Part 3. Nov 12/91 130

view and requested

Nov 2-13.

Indictment dismissed

The prisonery de-
manded a separate
trial. The People
said Harold Palmer
spoke whom was the
Stamper-Corcoran
Prisonery requested -
Hempden ask that the
Indictment as yet
Money of demand be
dismissed by J.P.
Nov 16/91 A.D.A.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0476

Police Court

6th District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Henry Michel -

of ~~the~~ House of Detention Street,

being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the 31st day of October 1891, at the hour of 2³⁰ O'clock A.M. 23rd Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ:

Four one hundred ¹⁰⁰ pieces of the currency
and value of one ¹⁰ dollar and one
cloth coat of the value of four
dollars together with in all of
the value of five ¹⁰⁰ dollars more

of the value of _____ 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 force and violence as aforesaid by

Howard Palmer, Thomas F. Moore, Edward J. Leonard
(all three present) who were in each others
company and were consorting together and
while so together the said defendants
did seize violently, took of deponent
and did then and there by force
and violence and against deponent's will
and against take from the possession and
possession of deponent the above described
property at the hour of about 2³⁰ O'clock
A.M. on the morning of the 31st day of
October 1891 -

Henry Michel.

Sworn before me, this 1st day of November 1891 -

Charles W. Smith

POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0477

Sec. 198-200.

6

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Harold Palmer*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years -*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Passaic R. I. -*

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

Answer. *628 E 137th St. 4 years -*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Ice Wagon Helper*

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*

Harold Palmer

Taken before me this

1891

day of *March* 1891

Charles A. Harnett

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0478

Sec. 198-200.

6th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas F. Mooney 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.

Thomas F. Mooney

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

516 East 137th St. 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Brick layer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge

Thomas F. Mooney

Taken before me this

1st

day of *March*

1891

Charles A. Stewart Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0479

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

6th District Police Court.

Edward J. Leonard being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law; on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is *h*'s 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 *h*'s waiver cannot be used
against *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Edward J. Leonard

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York -

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

Answer.

572 E 142nd St ; 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bricklayer

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

Edward J. Leonard

Taken before me this *10th*

day of *August*

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Charles W. Stanton Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0480

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by *Van Huisen*
Residence *241st - 3d Ave*
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court *6* District *1374*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Michael

Wanda Palmer

Thomas J. Murney

William J. Leonard

Offence *Rotten*

Dated

March 1st 1891

Michael Magistrate

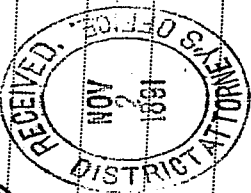
William Burger Officer

33rd Precinct

Witnesses

Anna, serve

Officer 33rd Precinct



No.

Street

No.

Street

Call

*Complaints committed to
House of Detention in City
of N.Y. = 1374*

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 *Alfred Davis*

guilty thereof, I order that *the 7* be held to answer the same and *the 7* be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty* Hundred Dollars, *each* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until *the 7* give such bail.

Dated *March 1st 1891* *Charles J. Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0481

462

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Harold Palmer, Thomas
J. Mooney and Edward
J. Leonard.*

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

Harold Palmer, Thomas J. Mooney, Edward J. Leonard
of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Harold Palmer, Thomas J. Mooney
and Edward J. Leonard, all* —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *October*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, in the *morning* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Henry Friedel*, — in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault; and

*the sum of one dollar and fifty cents in
money, lawful money of the United States
of America, and of the value of one
dollar and fifty cents, and one coat
of the value of four dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Henry Friedel*, from the person of the said *Henry Friedel*, against the will and by violence to the person of the said *Henry Friedel*, — then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *the said* *Harold Palmer, Thomas J. Mooney and* *Edward J. Leonard*, and each of them, being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, to wit: each by the others, and also by several persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid as yet unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

*Edmund J. Smith,
District Attorney*

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BOX:

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DESCRIPTION:

Phinney, Lester E.

DATE:

11/20/91



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0483

Witnesses:

Deputy Sheriff

Ch. 9000

vs. DeLoe
31 March

Counsel.

Filed day of 189

Pleds, Magistrate

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Lester E. Blinn

(Sections 528 and 53 2 of the Penal Code.)
LANCEY NICOLL, MISAPPROPRIATION.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Handwritten signature

Foreman.

Handwritten signature

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0484

Police Court First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,

of No. 56 Prince Street, aged 31 years,
occupation Manufacturer being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 17 day of September 1891 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the day time, the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money of the amount and
value of one dollar ^{and} forty cents

the property of Deponent Cipriano

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 Lester E. Plummer (nowhere)

Deponent says that said defendant was a clerk in
his employ and by virtue of such employment
did receive and have in his possession the
aforesaid sum of money and having received
and taken it into his possession for and
on account of his employers did unlawfully
and feloniously appropriate the same to
his own use with intent to deprive the
true owners of the same. Deponent is informed
by Matthew George Cornell that he paid
said defendant the aforesaid sum of money
on said date. Deponent further says that
said defendant unlawfully and feloniously

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0485

appropriated divers sums of money at divers
times of the amount and value of \$322⁵⁷/₁₀₀
the property of his employers

[Signature]

Sworn to before me
this 9 day of Nov 1891
Do hereby Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0486

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1877.

aged 45 years, occupation Confectioner of No. 1157 B'way Brooklyn Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Arthur J. Kochler and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 9-
day of Dec 1891

Matthew G. Cornell

Do J. C. B. [Signature]
Police Justice.

POLICE COURT 1 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

On complaint of Arthur J. Kochler

For [Signature]

Arthur E. Phinney

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

Dated Dec 9 1891

Arthur E. Phinney

Do J. C. B. [Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0487

Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I did use the money
L E Phinney

Taken before me this
day of *Nov*

1881

J. C. McFadden
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0488

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

Police Court---
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Arthur J. K...
156 Avenue C
Astoria & J...
14/13*

Offence *Larceny*

Dated *Nov 9* 1891

Daniel O'Reilly Magistrate.

Valley Officer.

CO Precinct.

Witness *W. L. Connell*

No. 157 3rd Street, Brooklyn.

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

100 West 14th Street

100 West 14th Street

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

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

Dated *Nov 9* 1891 *Do J. C. B...* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0489

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

538

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Lester E. Shimney

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
of the CRIME OF *Lester E. Shimney* *Petit LARCENY,* committed
as follows:

The said

Lester E. Shimney

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventeenth*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*one*, at the City and County aforesaid, being then and there the clerk
and servant of *Max W. Monheimer and*
Arthur J. Koehler, copartners

and as such *clerk and servant* then and there having in his
possession, custody and control certain goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Max W. Monheimer and Arthur J. Koehler
the true owner thereof, to wit:

the sum of one dollar
and forty cents in money lawful
money of the United States of
America, and of the value of
one dollar and forty cents

the said *Lester E. Shimney* afterwards, to wit:
on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
did feloniously appropriate the said *sum of money*

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said

Max W. Monheimer and Arthur J. Koehler
of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same goods, chattels and personal
property of the said *Max W. Monheimer and Arthur J. Koehler*

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Pigott, William J.

DATE:

11/11/91



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0491

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

11 day of Nov 1891

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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

William J. Byratt

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Henry Perry

Foreman.

Part 3. Nov 16/91-

Pleas Assault - 3rd deg.

Per 1913.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0492

Police Court. 5 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss:
OF NEW YORK,

of the 29 Timothy H. O'Leary Precinct Street, aged years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 5 day of November 1899, at the City of New York,
in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by William Pickett
(now here) who, while deponent was in the act
of putting him under arrest on a complaint
of said Pickett's sister made two at-
tempts to strike deponent with a
hatchet

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
the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 6

day of Nov 1899

Edw. Mearns } Timothy H. O'Leary
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0493

Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Pickett*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *14 W. 136 St - S. No.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *clerk*

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.*
W. J. Pickett

Taken before me this

day of

Nov.

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0494

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James H. O'Leary

William Pickett

1388
Assault 2d degree

Dated

March 6 1888

McCauley Magistrate

Witnesses

No. 1, by

No. 2, by

No. 3, by

No. 4, by

No. 5, by

No. 6, by

to answer

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to answer

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

Defendant

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

Dated March 6 1888 McCauley Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0495

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

509

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William J. Pigott

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

William J. Pigott

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

The said

William J. Pigott

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifth*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*one*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously made an
assault in and upon one *Timothy W. O'Leary*

then and there being, a *Patrolman* of the Municipal Police of the City of
New York, and as such *Patrolman* being then and there engaged in the lawful
apprehension of *him*, the said
William J. Pigott

and the said

William J. Pigott

him the said

Timothy W. O'Leary

then and there feloniously did beat, strike, wound and otherwise illtreat, with intent, then and there
and thereby to prevent and resist the lawful *apprehension*
of *him*, the said *William J. Pigott* as aforesaid,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People
of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.