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DESCRIPTION:

Parker, Francis H.

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Witnesses:

Mary C. May
Sarah Beach
Offin Handley

Counsel,

Filed

10th day of

1892

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Francis H. Barker

Grand Larceny, First Degree,
(DWELLING HOUSE.)
[Sections 523, 524, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. L. Garrison
Foreman.

Part 3, February 1892
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Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Margaret E. Meigs
of No. 242 West 34th Street, aged 48 years,
occupation Housewife none being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that on the 16th day of January 1892 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

a quantity of
jewelry consisting of one pair of onyx
and diamond earrings, one pair of
topaz earrings, three pairs of bracelets,
a gold watchcase, with locket, a
diamond collar button, a pair of gold
shank pins, a pearl opera glass, a
manicure set of and other articles
all of the value of one thousand
dollars

the property of deponent

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

under the following circumstances: The
said property was in deponent's room
at 242 West 34th Street on said date
and was left there by deponent
when deponent went out in the afternoon.
On deponent's return about the hour of
ten o'clock P.M. on said date
deponent discovered that the said
property had been taken from her room.
Deponent charges defendant with the
said larceny for the reason that he was
seen in the upper rooms of the said
house in the evening of said date,
making inquiries for fictitious persons
and having no right in the upper

Sworn to before me, this
of 1 day
1892

Police Justice.

Rooms of said house, as deponent is
 informed by Mrs. Wilhelmus Snyder
 and Miss Mary F. Fulton now here,
 who have fully identified the defendant
 and deponent is, Mr. Jacob Beach
 nor has that the defendant was
 formerly employed in said house
 and was familiar with the premises
 and that he saw him in said
 house on said night and told
 him to remain there then

Sworn to before me Margaret E. Meigs
 the 5th day of February

1892

[Signature]

[Signature]

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Wilhelmine Snyder
aged _____ years, occupation *Teacher* of No. _____

242 West 38th Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Harriet E. Meyer*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *3*
day of *February* 18*88*

Wilhelmine Snyder
[Signature]

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation May A. Fulton
Dress maker of No.

242 West 34th Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Margaret E. Meyer
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 5

day of January 1888

M. A. Fulton

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Saul Beach
aged years, occupation *Housekeeper* of No.

262 West 74th Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Margaret E. Meigs*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *5*
day of *February*, 18*88* *S. Beach*

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

District Police Court.

Francis H. Parker 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.

Francis H. Parker

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N. Y.

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

Answer.

27 West 27 St - 3 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Writer

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.

Francis H. Parker

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

Francis H. Parker

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *1000* 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 *Jul 5* 18*82* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court---

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary E. Wiggins
242 W 34th St
James H. Parker

Offence Grand Larceny

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BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated Feb 5 1892

Dinner

Magistrate.

Henry J. McQuinn Officer.

C. O.

Precinct.

Witnesses Wilhelmie Snyder

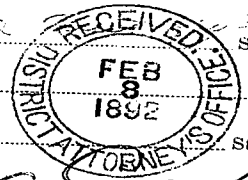
No. Mary A. Fulton Street.

Isaac Beach

No. 242 Street.

No. 1100 Street.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Francis W. Parker

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

Francis W. Parker

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

The said

Francis W. Parker

late of the 20th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the sixteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two in the night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

two pairs of earrings of the value of twenty-five dollars each pair, three pairs of bracelets of the value of thirty-five dollars each pair, one necklace of the value of fifty dollars, one locket of the value of ten dollars, one pair of the value of fifty dollars, one collar button of the value of fifteen dollars, two shawl pins of the value of eight dollars each, one pair of opera glasses of the value of twenty-five dollars and divers other goods, chattels and personal property, (a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) of the value of one hundred dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Margaret E. Meigs

in the dwelling house of the said

Margaret E. Meigs

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

Wm Lancy Nicoll

District Attorney.

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Parks, Joseph

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Anthony Lee
Officer Haqqerty

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Counsel,

Filed

Pleaded

9 day of

July
1892

THE PEOPLE

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is a
convicted
murderer

Joseph Parks

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Henry Sparrow
Foreman.

7 Park 3.7 January 18/92

Indicted & Convicted

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Police Court— 3 District.City and County { ss.:
of New York,of No. 372 Cherry Anthony Lee Street, aged 13 years,
occupation go to school being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 372 Cherry Street, 7 Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a tenement dwelling
the apartments on the top floor of
and which was occupied by deponent's mother as a dwelling
and in which there was at the time a human being, by namewere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open
the door with an instrument com-
monally known as a jimmyon the 2nd day of February 1892 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz:with intent to commit some crime
thereinthe property of
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed with the intent aforesaid
and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away byJoseph Parks (now here) and an unknown
man not arrested who were in company with each other
for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent securely
locked and fastened the door leading
to said apartment and a large quantity
of personal property was therein; deponent
returned in about a half an hour
and upon deponent entering the
room the defendant Parks ran out
and then the unknown man also

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man out having his hands over his face
so that deponent could not distinguish
his features. Deponent found the contents
of the bureau disturbed the contents
of the rooms otherwise upset.
Sworn to before me
this 3rd February, 1892

Anthony-Lee
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1892
Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.
Dated 1892
Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1892
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

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 The People of the State of New York, :
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 against : Before
 : Hon. Rufus E. Cowing
 Joseph Parks. : and a Jury.
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Indictment filed February 9, 1892.

Indicted for burglary in the third degree.

New York, February 18, 1892.

A P P E A R A N C E S:

For the People,

Asst. District-Atty. Henry E. McDona;

For the Defendant,

Mark Alter, Esq.

ANTHONY LEE, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live at No. 372 Cherry Street in this city.
 I am 13 years of age. I go to Sunday School and I understand the nature of an oath. I was alone in charge of the premises 372 Cherry St. on the 2d. day of February last. I live with my mother on the top floor. She was out working on that day. I went out about 2 o'clock and I came in about half past two and I saw the door of our room open. When I went out I locked the door and took the key with me. I am positive the door was locked. When I returned I found a piece of the door had been broken off and that the door was open. There were marks on the jamb

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as though some instrument had been used to open the door. When I got in the room I saw everything upset and the drawers looked as though they had been ransacked. I saw this defendant now at the bar coming out of the room. When he saw me he ran downstairs in company with another fellow. I am positive in my identification of the defendant as I had seen him a couple of times before.

Cross-examination:

I went out at about 2 o'clock. My mother left home in the morning and left me home to take charge of the house. This defendant rushed out of the room as I got upstairs but I had a good look at him and I remember his face. I was about five feet away from him when I first saw him. He passed me and ran down the stairs. I am positive that I had seen him before. He lives around that neighborhood. I have spoken to the police about this case.

JAMES HAGGERTY, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer attached to the Seventh Precinct. The defendant Joseph Parks was brought into our Station House by another officer on the night of February 2d. He was charged with burglary of the premises 372 Cherry St. by the little boy who has been examined. When he was asked what he had to say he said he was not there and did not know anything at all about it.

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DEFENSE:

JOSEPH PARKS, the defendant sworn, testified:

I live at 58 Gouverneur Street in this city. I am a married man but I have no children. I am employed driving a truck for a man by the name of Wilson Devlin at No. 330 DeLancey Street. I have been working for him going on two years. On the day spoken of, the 2d. of February, I was out driving a truck and remained at that work until about half past two o'clock and remained at that work until about twenty minutes of six o'clock until I went home. I remained at home until about half past seven. I had my supper. I went out and took a walk and I sat down on the corner of Gouverneur and Cherry Streets. Then I had a glass of mixed ale. After coming out of the liquor store a policeman came up to me and arrested me. I made no attempt to get away. I didn't break into this house and was not present as the little boy has testified.

Cross-examination:

I finished driving the truck at half past two but went to the stable and did not get home until twenty minutes of six. I am positive that I was not in this house as the little boy has testified.

The Jury returned a verdict of guilty of burglary in the third degree.

Indictment filed Feb. 9th 1892.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

THE PEOPLE &c.

against

JOSEPH PARKS.

Abstract of testimony on

trial, New York Feb. 18th

1892.

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

John J. Smith
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 *Feb 3* 188 *John J. 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 he to be discharged.

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 3rd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Lee
372 1/2 Cherry St.
Joseph Parker

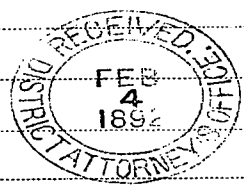
Burglary
Offence

BAILED,

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

Dated February 3 - 1892
Kilbreth Magistrate.
Haggerty Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses
No. Street.
No. Street.
No. Street.
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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

3 - District Police Court.

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Question. What is your name.

Answer. *Joseph Parks*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *58 Greenwich St. 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

J. Parks

Taken before me this

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Police Justice.

J. H. H. H.

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OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph Parks

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Joseph Parks

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The said

Joseph L. Parks

late of the *34th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, with force and arms, in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Ann Lee

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Ann Lee* in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney

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THE PEOPLE

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William Barnley

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John Amos

Grand Larceny, Second Degree,
[Sections 228, 231, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray D. Lamm
Foreman.

July 15/92

Robt. J. Lamm

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Police Court—2nd District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

Charles A. Elch
 of No. 272, 274 Market Street Newark, New Jersey, Street, aged 50 years,
 occupation Shoe Business being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 5th day of February 1892 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:

A quantity of Shoes of the
 amount and value of thirty

Four dollars and eighty-five
 Cents (\$ 4 $\frac{85}{100}$)

the property of Deponent

Sworn to before me, this
 of _____ day
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Police Justice.

and that this deponent
 has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen
 and carried away by William Carmly & John Amos.

(both now here), and while acting in concert
 with each other from the following facts to
 wit: That about the hour of 11 o'clock A.M. of the
 aforesaid date, deponent sent the defendant from
 his place of business, at the aforesaid address, to
 the Firm of Fisher and Co at No 31 Warren Street
 to get and receive the aforesaid property, and that
 after receiving the said property, to return with
 the same to deponent, and that deponent is
 informed that said defendant did receive the
 aforesaid property to be delivered to deponent. And
 that said defendant did not return to deponent. After receiving said property
 and that deponent is informed by Officer Coetzger
 the 2^d Precinct Police that about the hour of
 Eight o'clock P.M. of the aforesaid date, he saw the

defendant Parnly acting in concert with Amos at
 the corner of 36th Street and 7th Avenue, with
 a quantity of shoes in their possession, and
 which shoes said defendants were trying to
 dispose of by offering the same for sale to
 streetkeepers - and that said Officer found
 a quantity of shoes in a liquor store at the
 corner of 36th Street and 7th Avenue, and which
 property was left in said store by said Parnly -
 and that said Officer found two pair of shoes in
 the Pawn Office of Silverstein No 10-6 - Avenue -
 and two pair of shoes in the Pawn Office of Kalman
 on 7th Avenue - and defendant further says
 that he has seen all of the above property and
 recognizes the same as his property - and as the
 aforesaid property stolen from him on the aforesaid
 date - and that said defendant Parnly admitted
 and confessed to defendant in Open Court in
 presence of Officer Gregger that he had taken
 stolen and carried away the aforesaid property
 Defendant therefore charges the defendants with
 acting in concert with each other in having
 committed a Larceny and asks that they be
 dealt with as the Law may direct

Given to before me this } Chas H. DeLoach
 7th day of February 1942 }

John J. ...
 John J. ...

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation _____ of No. _____

28th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Charles A. Selch*

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

Sworn to before me, this _____

day of *May* 1890, }

Frederick B. Goetzger

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

John Amos 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. *John Amos*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *47 years -*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *No 18 Cherry Street - 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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 don't know anything
about it*

John Amos
Amos

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2nd

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

William Parmlig 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.

William Parmlig

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

41 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New Jersey.

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

Answer.

96. River Street - Newark, New Jersey -

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer.

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

Answer.

I am guilty.
William Parmlig

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that 17 be held to answer the same and 17 be admitted to bail in the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated February 7 18 1902 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court---

154 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles A. Selch
272 27th Street
William Carmy
John Amato

Officer

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated *February 7* 18*92*

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

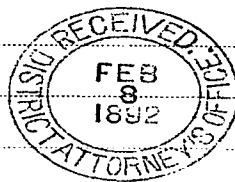
Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *5.00* to answer



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IRVING R. FISHER.
GEORGE W. DAVIS.
NATH'L C. FISHER.

All claims must be made within five days after receipt of goods.

New York, _____ 189
M. C. F. F. F.



* REDUCED OF *
NATH'L FISHER & CO.,
 WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

TERMS :

Subject to discount of
6 % FOR CASH 10 DAYS.
5 % " " 30 "

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS

31 WARREN AND 27 MURRAY STS.

ADDRESS,
P. O. BOX 1343.

Price

Case Nos.	Stock Nos.	Pairs.
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992	1 " " " " " "	160	160
1154	2 " " " " " "	160	320
992	1 " " " " " "	160	160
1026	4 " " " " " "	25	100
983	2 " " " " " "	160	320
1095	2 " " " " " "	125	250
1035	1 " " " " " "		225
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DELIVERED.

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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
William Parmley
 and
John Amos

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

William Parmley and John Amos
 of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed
 as follows:

The said

William Parmley and John Amos, both

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

six pairs of shoes of the value of two
dollars each pair, four, other pairs of
shoes of the value of one dollar and
twenty-five cents each pair, and
eleven other pairs of shoes of the
value of one dollar and sixty
cents each pair

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Charles A. Felch

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

~~William~~ John Amos
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

John Amos
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,

six pairs of shoes of the value of two dollars each pair, four other pairs of shoes of the value of one dollar and twenty-five cents each pair, and eleven other pairs of shoes of the value of one dollar and sixty cents each pair

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Charles A. Felch,
by one William Parmenter, and
by a certain ^{other} person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said Charles A. Felch

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Pfeifer, Frederick

DATE:

02/26/92



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Witnesses:

Samuel Spurr
Chas Goldstone
Alfred Nugent

Counsel,

Filed

26 day of July

1892

Pleas,

Indictment

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Frederick Speyer

Burglary in the Third Degree
Section 498, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray E. Harrison
 Foreman.

Part 3. March 10/92.

Ind & acquitted

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Police Court—3 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 99 Hester Street, aged 32 years,
 occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that the premises No. 99 Hester Street, 10 Ward
 in the City and County aforesaid the said being a dwellling house
the store of
and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor store
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking the
panel in the side door leading to
said store

on the 18th day of February 1895 in the night time, and the
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two bottles of whiskey valued Seven
dollars and fifty cents and lawful money
of the United States valued One dollar and fifty cents

the property of deponent

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

Frederick Pfeiffer (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

that said store was
securely locked and fastened said
property was therein; deponent found
the place broken open and said property
missing. Deponent is informed by Charles
Goodstein (now here) that at about the hour
of two o'clock on the morning of said
day deponent saw the defendant on Hester
Street, about one hundred feet of said

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premises carrying bottles under his arm.

Sworn to before me *2 Herman Spinks*
this 19th February 1892

Charles Tainton
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of One 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 1892 Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.
Dated 1892 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 1892 Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated

1892

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 27 years, occupation Operator of No. 58 Ludlow Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Hermon Sprake
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 19

day of May 1890

Charles Goldstein

Charles K. Taintor
Police Justice.

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Seq. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

District Police Court.

Fredrick Pfeifer 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.

Fredrick Pfeifer

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

37 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

73 Forsyth St. 37 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Barber

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

Fred Pfeifer

Taken before me this

day of

Charles J. Devine

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated, July 1, 1892 Charles W. Linton Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189..... Police Justice.

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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

Human Servant
Frederick Taylor

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Offense,

Dated,

February 19 1892

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

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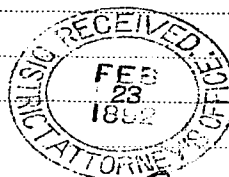
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frederick Pfeifer

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

Frederick Pfeifer

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

The said

Frederick Pfeifer

late of the *10th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
eighteenth day of *February* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two* in the *night*—time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of
one *Hyman Spivak*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Fredrick Pfeiffer

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said *Fredrick Pfeiffer*

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

five bottles of whiskey of the value of one dollar and fifty cents each bottle, 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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Hyman Spivak

in the

store

of the said

Hyman Spivak

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

THIRD COUNT:

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

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

The said *Frederick Pfeifer*

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

five bottles of whiskey of the value of one dollar and fifty cents each bottle, 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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

Hyman Spivak

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

Hyman Spivak

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

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Phenix, Charles T.

DATE:

02/01/92



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Witnesses:

The evidence at present in possession of District Attorney is insufficient to warrant a conviction. I therefore recommend the discharge of defendant upon his own recognizance.

May 23rd 1902
W. M. Davis -
Asst

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads, *W. M. Davis*

1892

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles J. Thomas

Grand Larceny, (From the Person),
[Sections 525, 526, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

*Part 3, May 23rd 1902
Left Keen 8:22
in room ready
at 9:40 at Keen
A TRUE BILL.*

Ray

Foreman.

[Signature]

Pa

[Signature]

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VOLCANIC OIL AND COAL CO.

Philadelphia, April 1st 1892.

District Attorney's Office
 New York City.
 Barton J. Weeks, Esq

Dear Sir, your favor of
 March 31st at hand, would
 state in reply, that it
 would be impossible for
 me to identify the other man,
 even if you had him,
 I explained this by letter
 to Inspector Byrnes and
 also to Mr. Brady (the De-
 tective) who is on the case.
 Kindly give me one weeks
 notice when the trial comes
 up, as I can not leave
 my business on short
 notice.

I have already made this

trips to New York in re-
sponse to Inspector By-
rnes ^{and} The District Atty's
summons without re-
ceiving any mileage to
which I am entitled,
kindly have the matter
attended to and Advise

Yours Truly
Geo. J. Tuttle.
615 7th St.

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VOLCANIC OIL AND COAL CO.

Philadelphia, May 7th 1892.

Barton S Weeks, Esq
Asst District Attorney.
New York City.
Dear Sir.

I can attend in
New York on Wednesday (May
11th) if the trial of Charles
S Phoenix will come off
on that date.

The last time I appeared
in Court his trial was
postponed. I can assure
you, it is very hard for
me to leave my business
so often.

Yours Truly

Geo J. Titus
618 N 16th St.
Phila
Pa.

Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,George C. Stiles
of No. 618 North 4th Street, Phila. City of Philadelphia Street, aged 25 years,occupation Secretary being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 20 day of December 1897 at the City of NewYork, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
And per se of deponent, in the PM time, the following property, viz:

A three stone Diamond and Sapphire Ring of the value of one hundred and twenty five dollars (125), a Solitaire Ring of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars (150), a Gold Mounting case watch of the value of one hundred and twenty dollars (120), a Gold Chain and Charm of the value of Sixty dollars (60), a Cameo Ring of the value of Fifteen dollars (15), an Onyx coat of the value of Fifty five dollars (55) and a Silver Match Safe of the value of Ten dollars (10). ^{Between} twenty and thirty dollars in good and lawful money of the United States - in all of the amount of Five hundred ^{& fifty} dollars (560) 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 J. Phenix (now here) and John Doe (not yet arrested), and while acting in concert with each other, from the following facts to wit: That on the aforesaid date about the hour of two o'clock A.M. deponent left the Engineers Club in West 31 Street, between 5th and 6th Avenues, and shortly after leaving said Club House, deponent found himself in a Restaurant, and which Restaurant and location of said Restaurant is at present unknown to deponent, and that while deponent was in said Restaurant sitting at a table, he was accosted by the defendant Phenix, who had entered said Restaurant shortly after deponent, and that said defendant Phenix then introduced deponent to his friend John Doe, who was in company with the defendant Phenix, and

said defendant Phenix then asked and requested deponent to have a drink with them, and that at the time deponent was sitting at the table in said Restaurant, and at the time said defendant Phenix in company with John Doe asked and requested deponent to have a drink with them. The aforesaid property was in the possession and on the person of deponent, and that deponent in company with said defendant Phenix, and John Doe, then proceeded to the bar in said Restaurant, and called for and received a glass of beer, and that after drinking said glass of beer deponent became unconscious, and that between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock A.M. of the aforesaid date, deponent found himself in the neighborhood of 158th Street and 3rd Avenue, and the aforesaid property taken and stolen from his person, and said defendant Phenix and said John Doe, missing. Deponent therefore charges the defendant Phenix while acting in concert with said John Doe in having committed a Larceny and asks that they may be held and dealt with as the Law may direct.

Sworn to before me this } Geo. C. Stiles.
27 day of January 1892 }

Wm. H. Brady
Police Judge

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,2
District Police Court.

Charles J. Phenis 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 walver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles J. Phenis*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *44 years -*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S. -*

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

Answer. *212 West 57th Street - 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Horseman*

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 -
C. J. Phenis

Taken before me this

*27*day of *January**1894**John A. H. Brady*

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated May 27 18 92 John H. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George B. Stiles
618 - 12th St. Philadelphia
Charles J. Harris

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BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated

January 27 1892 Magistrate.

Grady Officer.

C. G. Precinct.

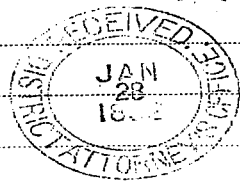
Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *25.00* to answer



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G. H. Harris

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in and for OF ONLY AND CONSIDER, & THE WORK.

THE PEOPLE SEC/9
Signed 17

-signature-

CLARENCE B. BAKER
District Attorney

Indicated for
District Attorney.

Sir:-

Reference is made to the letter dated -
September 11, 1934, from the Hon. DeLancey Nicoll, District Attorney,
New York County, New York, in which you advised that on
Wednesday, September 12, 1934, at 11 A. M., you were
present at the trial of the case of the People vs. John J. Sweeney,
and that you were of the opinion that the evidence was not sufficient
to sustain the charge of the indictment against the defendant.
In view of the fact that the defendant is a person of good character
and of high standing in the community, and that the evidence is not
sufficient to sustain the charge of the indictment against the defendant,
it is recommended that the defendant be released on bail.

Frank J. Keller
District Attorney,
New York County,
New York.

To Hon. DeLancey Nicoll,
District Attorney,
New York County.

0434

COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK
In and for the City of Albany, New York.

NOT IN DISPUTE.
Held: 188

-Arrest-

ALBANY, N.Y.
Held: 188

CITY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK.

ALBANY, N.Y. 1888.

I He is arrested on the 11th day of May last.

II It appears by the record in the City Prison in Albany
of the City of Albany that he has been confined since the
27th day of January, 1888.

III THAT the defendant was informed on the 11th day of May last
that his case was to be brought on, and that on the
11th day of May last, the trial of said case was fixed for
trial in Court House of this County, and on the 11th day of May
last was informed that the trial of said case was fixed for
trial on the 11th day of May last.

FOUR That the defendant was ready to come to Court on the
11th day of May last, but on the 11th day of May last by the District At-
torney of the County of Albany he was notified that an adjournment
of said case, on the 11th day of May last of defendant the
trial of said case was fixed for the 11th day of May last. P. Saythe
Recorder of the City of Albany on the 11th day of May last the
11th day of May last.

IV THAT on the 11th day of May last, the complainant herein
who it appears by the complaint in this action is a non-

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

NEW YORK COUNTY, *part-2*

THE PEOPLE ETC.,
Plaintiff

-Against-

CHARLES T. PHENIX
Defendant

Copy
NOTICE OF MOTION FOR
DISCHARGE.

FRANK J. KELLER,
ATTY. FOR DEFENDANT,

61-65 PARK ROW,

WORLD BLDN'G.,

N. Y. CITY.

0437

Form No. 1.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

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This is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE, and is delivered by request of the sender, under the conditions named above.

THOS. T. ECKERT, General Manager.

NORVIN GREEN, President.

NUMBER	SENT BY	REC'D BY	CHECK
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RECEIVED at the WESTERN UNION BUILDING, 195 Broadway, N. Y. 3/18 1892

Dated Philadelphia Pa 3/18
 To De Lancey McGill Esq
 District Attorney
 New York

Subpoena came too late for me to get over
 in time for Phoenix trial today. Kindly give me
 two days notice when trial is postponed
 can't leave by business on short notice
 Geo C Stiles

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 T. Phenix

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

Charles T. Phenix

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

The said

Charles T. Phenix

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *20th* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one finger-ring of the value of one hundred and twenty-five dollars, one other finger-ring of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, one watch of the value of one hundred and twenty dollars, one chain of the value of forty dollars, one chain of the value of twenty dollars, one other ring of the value of fifteen dollars, one overcoat of the value of fifty-five dollars, one match-safe of the value of ten dollars, and the sum of twenty dollars in money, lawful money of the United States, and of the value of twenty dollars,

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

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Philippa, Nicola

DATE:

02/04/92



4301

Witnesses:

John P. Porter
Anna B. Bole

Counselor

Filed

day of

1892

Plaintiff

vs.

Defendant

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Nicola Philippa

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

April 12th

Presented to the

Grand Jury

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. S. Heron

Foreman.

S. P. H. 4/12/92

Mar 30 - 1992

April 12 - Part I
W.S.

0441

Police Court—2 DistrictCity and County } ss.:
of New York, }of No. 31 Thompson Street, aged 27 years,occupation Laborer being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 13 day of Decr 1889 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Nida
Phillipi, known here, who cut and
stabbed deponent twice in the head
with a razor, which he defended
then and there in his handDeponent further says that such
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 14 day
of Decr 1889Joseph L. Berlatte
Mun
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

Nirda Phillini 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.

Taken before me this

day of

1891

Police Justice.

0443

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 *Two* 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 *Dec 4* 18 *91* *John E. Keely* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Dec 4* 18 *91* *John E. Keely* Police Justice.

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

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

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\$1,000 Bail &
Dec. 16. 9. a. m.

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

Joseph P. Latta
31 Thompson Street
Verda Miller

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Date

18

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

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The People
Nicola Philippa

Court of General Sessions. Part I
Before Judge Cowing. April 12, 1892.

Indictment for assault in first degree.
Joseph Berlotte sworn and examined
I live at No. 31 Thompson Street, New York
I know the defendant. I saw him at my
house on the 13th of December last. I had
no trouble with him that day. We were
playing cards; there were several friends
of men and amongst the others the
prisoner. About seven o'clock a row
took place between my friends about
the payment of a pint of beer. I told the
defendant to pay the seven cents to
avoid any trouble; he took up his razor
and cut me on the face and one
on the top of my head. I saw the razor
in his hand and I can recognize
it. The razor now shown me is the
one. He shaved me with that very
same razor. I did not go to the hos-
pital. I had a doctor. I was laid up
twenty days by the wound. The defendant
is not a barber; but he shaved me
with that very same razor.

Cross Examined. This happened on a Sunday.
I did not see any of my friends do
anything to the defendant; we were
all friends. I do not know that the

coat of the defendant was torn to pieces in my room; nobody but him with a pitcher. He ran away and in running away he tumbled down stairs and broke his head. I did not see him run away but I heard it from others. Is not this the truth about this, that this man claimed that they were cheating at the cards, did you not claim that he was cheating? No, it is not true. There were five or six persons in the room who were friends of mine and friends of the defendant. Did you see anybody in that room strike the defendant in the head with a glass? No sir. Nor one struck him in your room at all? No. Don't you know that he was laid up for about twenty days? I do not know how long he was sick, but I knew that he got something when he fell down stairs. You did not see him fall down stairs? No sir.

Joseph Desserio, sworn and examined. I lived at 31 Thompson St. and now I am living at 113 Mott Street in this city. I was present on the evening of Dec. 13th 1891 in Thompson Street when the defendant and the complainant

had trouble Berlotte said to Phillippe. pay seven cents. The defendant said, "Haved to pay seven cents?", and he cut him twice with a razor. I saw him cut him.

Cross Examined. I do not remember the number of people who were in the room at the time of the cutting, but there was a crowd. I had been in the room about half an hour before the occurrence. I was playing there too. Everything was quiet before. Nobody did anything to Nicola; nobody hit him with a pitcher. I was sick and was sitting near the stove as I was cold and I saw nothing. I saw him cutting him because he was close to me. Both of them were standing. I do not remember whether they were standing up or sitting down while they were playing cards. The defendant was in the room before I arrived. I cannot say what time he got there. I cannot say how many games of cards I played. I was sitting down when I saw him cutting the complainant. I did not see anybody do anything to the defendant as I was sitting near the stove. I saw two wounds on the complainant. I did not go to court afterwards because I was sick. I saw the defendant the next day at the Court when I was taken there as a witness.

Frank Deserds, sworn and examined. I live at 216 North street in this city. I was present in Thompson street the night of Dec. 13th when Barlotte was cut with a razor. We were playing a game of cards, and the defendant lost a pint of beer and he was asked to pay the seven cents for the beer and then after I saw the complainant ask him to pay the seven cents I saw the defendant cut the complainant. I cannot say what he cut him with, but I saw his face full of blood. I did not hear the defendant say anything, for as soon as I saw the blood I ran away. Had the defendant lost any other games prior to this one? I cannot say.

Cross Examined. I was sitting down at the table playing cards. I played two games. I know the last witness, he was not playing cards there; my best recollection is that he did not play, but I am not sure. I am positive I was there. I don't remember the day of the week. I did not hear anything said by the defendant that they were cheating. I did not hear a word about cheating. I did not see the complainant or any one else strike or beat the defendant. I did not see the defendant have

a razor in his hand. There was not a little riot going on in the room; they were all close together, but they were not quarreling together; everybody was quiet. I left the place as soon as I saw the blood. I returned when the policeman came. I saw him have the defendant in custody. Edward Kennedy, sworn and examined. I am an officer connected with the 8th precinct. I arrested the defendant on the 13th of December last. I could not tell how long after the occurrence; it was about half past seven o'clock in the evening that I arrested him; he could not speak much English; I arrested him at the foot of the stairs No. 31 Thompson street, the same house where this occurrence took place. A person in the house picked up the razor and handed it to me. I spoke to the defendant about the trouble. He said they had a quarrel. I asked him if he cut the man with a razor? I could not understand what he said. He spoke in Italian. I took him into custody. There were a few scratches on the defendant's head, on the top of his head; he was not cut badly. Was not his head bandaged in the station house? Yes, the doctor put a bandage on his head.

Nicola Phillipa, sworn and examined in his own defence testified. I am a laborer at 32 Thompson st. that is the house I was arrested at. I live there I recollect the Sunday I was arrested. I remember going in the room of the complainant. What time did you go in the house that day? Two o'clock in the afternoon, after dinner. Just tell all that took place from the time you went into that room till you got arrested, tell the whole story? While I was having my dinner in my house a certain man of the name of Nicola Deragh came in and I asked him to have something to eat with us, and he sat down and took his dinner. After we finished dining he said, "let us go out for a while." I answered, "Where do you want to take me?" He answered back, "Come on, come on with me." Meanwhile we had arrived just on the landing and still I was keeping back, not wanting to go out. I asked him, "Where do you want to take me?" He said, "Let us come up stairs in the house of Berlotto." I asked him what he wanted to go there for? He said, "Never mind, you come with me." I made up my mind to follow him and

we went up there. When we got there I found
 Berlotte and two other friends of us, pre-
 pared for gambling. We played ~~for~~^{five} ~~five~~
 glasses - five games, and the time of the
 row arrived. While we were playing they
 thought that I was a fool. The boss of the
 game removed the cards, and the third
 he turned the papers. Berlotte says, "play
 the five". He would not count my points.
 After all this counting Berlotte he gave
 a blow on the table, and he said, "it is
 all right, you have to pay." I answered
 if I have lost, I shall pay. I said, I am
 going to pay, but this business looks very
 ugly. I says, "you are trying to fool me."
 While I was saying these words I was
 standing on one side of the table and
 Berlotte was standing on the other side
 of the table; he pushed the table from bet-
 ween us, and he came near my person
 and so did the other people in the room.
 I tried to run away from the other, but
 then they pulled me in again. Then they
 hit me on the head and I managed
 to run away and went towards my house
 and I hit my head; it was covered
 with blood, and I went to look for the
 police officer. Then I met a person whom
 I did not know that he was a police

officer; he called me and I went up to him
 I was taken back to where Berlotti was
 and I found the police officer in uniform
 He asked me what was the matter and I
 answered him - there were six persons try-
 ing to kill me. I could not speak well the
 English language. Those who had threatened
 me all could speak English; they had
 the advantage of me. I heard Berlotti say
 that he fell down stairs and hurt himself.
 It is not true that I cut that man
 with a razor - I have told you all that
 took place there. How did you get all
 these marks on your head the next day
 when you were in Court there, what were
 you struck with? All the people that
 were in that room struck me and
 broke my head. They struck me with
 a pitcher, with bits of wood and threw
 glasses at me, everything they could
 lay hands on. Then I went to the station
 house the doctor dressed my head. I was
 confined to the house twenty days. I did
 not fall down stairs. I saw the razor
 now shown me at the station house
 I have never carried a razor. I don't
 know how Berlotti got those cuts across
 his face and ear. The jury rendered
 a verdict of guilty of assault in the second
 degree.

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Testimony in the

case of

Nicola Philippa

filed Feb. 1992

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Nicola Philippa

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

Nicola Philippa
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Nicola Philippa
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 13th day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Joseph Berlatte* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *him* the said *Joseph Berlatte* with a certain *razor*

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

The said

Nicola Philippa
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 *Joseph Berlatte* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said *Joseph Berlatte*
with a certain *razor*

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

De Lancey Ricoll
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Pickersgill, George

DATE:

02/26/92



4301

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Witnesses:

George Pickersgill

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1892

Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Pickersgill

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray S. Berry

Foreman

Part 3. March 11/92

Ind. registered - 7/1/92

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,

VERUS.

GEORGE PICKERSGILL.

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: I desire to withdraw the complaint and to have my husband discharged, the cut on my hand having occurred when I broke the bottle with a poker. I believe that the cut on my hand was an accident than a design. I cannot tell whether the cut was by the knife or by pieces of the broken bottle. My husband can get employment and as he has agreed and I have agreed, for him to live separate and away from me. This I feel that he will do and I think and feel that it is to the best interest to myself and my family that he be discharged.

Mary J. Pickersgill
10-9-11

0458

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

_____ being duly
sworn, says that he resides at No. _____ Street, in the City of
New York; that he is _____ years of age; that on the _____ day of _____
18 _____, at Number _____ in the City of
New York, he served the within _____ on _____
the _____ by leaving a copy thereof with _____

Sworn to before me this
day of _____ 189 _____ }

J. J. General Services

if a Plaintiff
Plaintiff

against

George McKenry
Defendant

Willard

PURDY & McLAUGHLIN,

Attorneys for

No. 280 BROADWAY, New York City

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

To _____

0459

Police Court - 2 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Mary Peckersgill
 of No. 11 Jones Street, aged 40 years,
 occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the 21 day of February 1888 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by George

Peckersgill (now dead) who struck
 deponent with his fist, and
 cut deponent on the hand with
 a knife, inflicting a slight
 wound on deponent's hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 22 day
 of February 1888

Mary T. Peckersgill
Deponent

J. H. Smith Police Justice.

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(1895)

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

George Pickersgill

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

40 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

*11 Jones St**2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Cook

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**George Pickersgill*

Taken before me this *22*
day of *February* 189*5*

J. H. M. M. M.
Police Justice.

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

George Beckers

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 5 Hundred Dollars,..... and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated Feb 22 1882 *J. H. 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 he to be discharged.

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

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Beckenhill
18 Jones St.
Georg Beckenhill

Offence
Arrest
Felony

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BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated Feb 22 1885
Kilbuck Magistrate.

Boylston Officer.
9 Precinct.

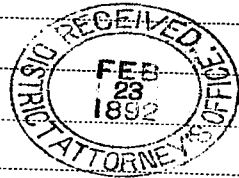
Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 500 to answer \$ 5



Boylston

Answer

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

George Pickersgill

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

George Pickersgill

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

The said

George Pickersgill

late of the City and County of New York, on the *twenty-first* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Mary Pickersgill

in the peace of the said People then and there being feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully did make an assault; and the said

George Pickersgill

with a certain

knife

which *he*

the said

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

De Lancey Knoll,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Plesant, Mary

DATE:

02/29/92



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Witnesses:

Angela Fenwick
 Gene Walker
 Thomas Pooling

In my opinion it
 would be a waste
 of time to try this
 case again. I
 recommend the
 dismissal of the
 indictment.

Apr. 4/92

V. M. Davis,
 asst.

30 Frank
 Herman V. Frank
 67 Center Str
 Counsel,
 Filed day of Feb 1892
 Pleads Not Guilty
 THE PEOPLE
 vs.

Mary Pleasant
 Part 2 April 4, 1892
 on Mo of Dist
 Court District at
 April 4 1892
 DE LANCEY NICOLL,
 District Attorney.

Admitted to practice
 Sec. 218, Const. Cal.

A TRUE BILL.

H. J. [Signature]
 [Signature]
 March 8/92 Foreman.
 Spied & jury disagree
 7 for conviction.

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Police Court— District.

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

of No. 314 West 38th Street, aged 28 years,
 occupation Lumbar being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the 2nd day of January 1888 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Mary Pearson
 (known here)

by throwing a quantity of Chalk of
Potash and Ammoniated Lye into deponent's
face thereby causing deponent severe pain
and injury

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 16 dayof July1888

Virginia Yarnall
Mary

John H. H. H. Police Justice.

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(1385)

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mary Pleasant 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. Mary Pleasant

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 48 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Virginia

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

Answer. 225 West 27 St One year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Wash. woman

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
her
Mary Pleasant
mark

Taken before me this

22

day of February 1892

Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

POLICE COURT, _____ DISTRICT.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned one of the *Police*
Justices for the City of New York, by *Verginia Venable*
 of No. *304* *West 38* Street, that on the *2* day of *February*
 188*8* at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Testimony
 he was ~~violently~~ **Assaulted and Beaten** by *Mary Pearson*

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

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

Dated at the City of New York, this *16* day of *July* 188*8*

John H. [Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

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9²⁰ A.M. 30. B. U.S. Her Work New York 225 W. 27 St

The within named

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

Dated 188

Police Justice

Police Court 2 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Virginia Terence

vs.

Mary Pearson

Warrant A. & B.

Dated

February 16 1882

Yudis Magistrate.

Officer

Callahan

The Defendant Mary Pearson taken, and brought before the Magistrate to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

James Call Officer

Dated

February 27 1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

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

Defendant

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

Dated *July 23* 18*92* *Thos. H. Brady* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- District. 227

THE PEOPLE, &
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Virginia Hemmick
304 West 38th
Mary Ruman

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Offend & Prisoner
W. Ruman

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated July 22 1892

Jos. R. P. 107 Madison St. 1892
Sent to Prisoner in Prison

The P. C. Bell Officer.

Thomas R. P. 107 Madison St. Precinct.

Witnesses Irene Walker

No. 320 West 38th Street.

Adam Walker

No. 320 West 38th Street

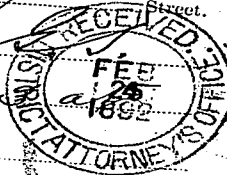
Joseph R. P. 107 Madison St.

No. 225 West 27th Street.

\$ 2500 to answer

2 for Feb 22 2 PM

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PART II.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.
[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPCENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

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

To *Thomas R. Hooley M.D.*
of No. *107 Madison Ave* Street *5 to 7 in the Eve*
9 to one O'clock

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the *25* day of *March* 1892, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Mary Pleasant

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of
in the year of our Lord 1892.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, *District Attorney.*

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account
she may
pretend to
falsely
I won't
sign my
name but
I will see
her to her
& Aunt her

Saturday
Mr Jackson

Dear Sir:
excuse me for not-
knowing the whole
of your name but the
reason I write is to
say I know you as a
friendly person the
young woman you
call to see in New
York [I learn her name
is Virginia] you had
better take her to
Brooklyn where

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you are I am hired The last time she
of her taken my place Told me she had a
in head with my big Black man to
Husband while I am pay her rent that
cooking at service works at on the
place I have worked at grandma in the
her as a lady but she Lawrence Ship Yard
does not feed me on Brooklyn by
The contrary she name of Jackson
tell me she will This is where I learnt
take his money to your name & address
drew off of my & said if I did not
patients are threadbare believe me come
& I have told her for to Boswell Church

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Lady friend
She is a
married
Woman
He is a
married
man & I
know the
wife & mother
of both & I
am going
to appear
before
them & they
meddle there
not for you
but on her
Sunday night I
would see you
both I did say I make
up my mind that I
would come to church
& if I saw her even if
she was in company
with you I intend
telling before the
whole church how
she did me about
my husband. she told
a friend of mine that
Mr Walker engaged a
room from her to meet her

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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please consider it is with
any and let me hear
from you if it is all
right. I would like to
if it is all right is it
from the 1st of May
and at the end of
the month will be

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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

Mary Sherant

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

indictment, accuse Mary Sherant —

of the crime of Assault in the second degree,

committed as follows:

The said Mary Sherant, —

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

Second day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and ninety-two, — at the City and County aforesaid,

in and upon one Virginia Venarde, then
and there being, feloniously did unlawfully
and wrongfully make an assault, and
a quantity of certain injurious and insulting

substance known as chloride of potash,
 and a ~~small~~ quantity of a certain other
 igneous and dissolved substance known
 as concentrated lye, the said chloride of
 potash and concentrated lye being thereby
 likely to produce grievous bodily harm,
 to, at, against and upon her the said
 Virginia Denard then and there feloniously
 did unlawfully and wrongfully cast and
 throw, 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 dignities

Do Samuel Nicoll,

Deputy Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Plumb, Frederick

DATE:

02/26/92



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Witness
A. D. Clark

Counsel, *[Signature]*
Filed, *24* day of *Feb*, 189*7*
Pleads, *Not Guilty* *Chap. 215, § 2*

MISDEMEANOR.

[Chap. 188, Laws of 1883, §§ 7 and 8, as amended
by Chap. 577, Laws of 1886, §§ 2 and 3; Chap.
246 Ibid., § 1; and Chap. 215, Ibid., § 2.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Frederick Shum

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]
Foreman.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Frederick Plumb

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

Frederick Plumb

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said

Frederick Plumb

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, *ten pounds* of a certain oleaginous substance and compound, not made nor produced from milk or cream (a more particular description of which said substance and compound, and of the ingredients and matters of which the same was made and produced, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), unlawfully did intentionally sell, and cause and procure to be sold to one *Archibald D. Clark* as and for butter, the product of the dairy; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SECOND COUNT: (Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, § 8, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1886, § 3.)

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

Frederick Plumb

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said

Frederick Plumb

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did intentionally sell and cause and procure to be sold to one *Archibald D. Clark* *ten pounds* of a certain oleaginous substance and compound, not made nor produced from milk or cream (a more particular description of which said substance and compound, and of the ingredients and matters of which the same was made and produced, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), as and for butter, the product of the dairy; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

(Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, § 8, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1886, § 3.)

THIRD COUNT: (Chap. 246, Laws of 1882, § 1.)

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

Frederick Plumb
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Frederick Plumb*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold at retail, to one *Archibald D. Clark* *ten pounds* of a certain substance, not being butter, and commonly called oleomargarine, and did then and there falsely represent the same to the said *Archibald D. Clark*

to be butter: against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

FOURTH COUNT: (Section 430, Penal Code.)

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

Frederick Plumb
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Frederick Plumb*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold, to one *Archibald D. Clark* *ten pounds* as an article of food, *ten pounds* of a certain substance in imitation of a certain article of food, to wit: butter, without disclosing such imitation by a suitable and plainly visible mark or brand; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

FIFTH COUNT: (Chap. 238, Laws of 1882, § 3.)

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

Frederick Plumb
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Frederick Plumb*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, a certain parcel containing *ten pounds* of a certain article and substance in semblance of butter not the legitimate product of the dairy, and not made exclusively of milk or cream, but into which divers oils

and fats not produced from milk or cream, entered as component parts (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), the same being then and there an article and substance required by law, in case of retail sales in parcels, to be sold from a tub, firkin, box or package distinctly and durably stamped, branded or marked upon the top and side with the words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, where it could be plainly seen, in Roman letters, burned in or painted thereon with permanent black paint, in a straight line, and not less than one-half inch in length, and wherewith the seller was then and there required by law in such case, to deliver to the purchaser thereof, a printed label, bearing the plainly printed words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, in Roman letters not less than one-half inch in length, in a straight line, unlawfully did then and there sell and cause and procure to be sold at retail, to one *Archibald D. Clark,*

from a certain *tub* which was not then and there stamped, branded or marked as aforesaid, and unlawfully did not then and there deliver therewith to the said *Archibald D. Clark* such purchaser as aforesaid, a label of the kind and description aforesaid, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SIXTH COUNT: (Chap. 215, Laws of 1882, § 2.)

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

Frederick Plumb
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said

Frederick Plumb
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and county aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one *Archibald D. Clark, ten pounds* of a certain article and substance in semblance of natural butter, and known as oleomargarine or imitation butter, the same not being the legitimate product of the dairy, and not being made exclusively from milk or cream, or both, with salt or rennet, or both, with or without coloring matter or sage, but into which divers oils, and animal and other fats, not produced from milk or cream, had been introduced (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

SEVENTH COUNT: (Chap. 182, Laws of 1885, § 7, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1896, § 2.)

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

Frederick Plumb
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said

Frederick Plumb
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid,

at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one *Archibald V. Clark ten pounds* of a certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of natural butter produced from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same, the said article, substance and compound, so sold as aforesaid, being rendered, manufactured and produced out of divers animal fats and oils not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same, the said article, substance and compound not having been manufactured prior to, and not being in process of manufacture, on the first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six (a more particular description of which said article, substance and compound, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

EIGHTH COUNT: (Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, § 8, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1886, § 3.)

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

Frederick Plumb
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Frederick Plumb*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *twelfth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety *two*, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold, to one *Archibald V. Clark, ten pounds*

of a certain compound, product and manufacture made in whole from animal fats and animal and vegetable oils, not produced from unadulterated milk or cream, which said compound, product and manufacture had been before then, and was then and there colored with coloring matter, whereby the same did then and there resemble butter, the product of the dairy (a more particular description of which said compound, product and manufacture, and of the fats and oils from which the same was so made as aforesaid, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

NINTH COUNT: (Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, § 8, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1886, § 3.)

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

Frederick Plumb
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Frederick Plumb*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold to one *Archibald V. Clark, ten pounds*

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of a certain compound, product and manufacture made in part from animal fats and animal and vegetable oils not produced from unadulterated milk or cream, which said compound, product and manufacture had been before then, and was then and there colored with coloring matter, whereby the same did then and there resemble butter, the product of the dairy (a more particular description of which said compound, and of the ingredients thereof, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Poggi, Joseph

DATE:

02/12/92



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cela, Victor

DATE:

02/12/92



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Police Court 2 District.City and County } ss.
of New York.of No. 8thoccupation Policemanthat on the 29th day of December

York, in the County of New York,

District.

John O. SavercoolStreet, aged 44 years,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

1891, at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, Joseph Paggi and

Victor Celli (now dead) were arrested together in a pawn shop at 809 Canal Street while they were endeavoring to pawn a valuable gold watch which defendant has reason to believe was stolen property. Defendant asks that defendant be held to give defendant time to bring the witnesses to said hearing to court. Defendant requests to bring said witnesses to court within twenty four hours.

Sworn to before me
this 29th day of
December 1891

John O. Savercool
Notary Public

John O. Savercool

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Police Court, 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John O. Saverese

vs.

*Joseph Poggi
Victor Celli*

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Offense.

*Arrest
Felony*

Dated.

Dec 29

1897

Hogan

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street.

34 Dec 30 1897

No.

Street.

10 A.M.

No.

Street.

\$..... to answer..... Sessions.

0491

Police Court 2 District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:of No. 151 Park Rowoccupation JewellerWilliam HallioyStreet, aged 52 years,deposes and says, that the premises No 151 Park Row being duly swornin the City and County aforesaid, the said being a two story and attic brick building Street,and which was occupied by deponent as a jeweller store on the first floor
and in which there was at the time a human being by namewere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a
side light of a show window of said store
fronting on Park Rowon the 21 day of December 1897 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:watch of the value of two hundred
and seventy five dollars.\$ 275the property of Deponentand deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byJoseph Poggi and Victor Celli
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

Deponent left the said
date securely locked and closed and
the said show window was whole on the
morning of Dec 21 about 11 o'clock A.M.
On Deponent's return about the hour of
12:30 o'clock P.M., Deponent found
the said show window broken and
the said property missing. Deponent
informed by Israel M. Rosenberg, now
Len 4 W 40, Canal Street, N.Y.

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✓ Saw that on the day the said property
 was stolen the defendants were at
 his store together. The said Poggi came
 inside the store and offered the said
 watch in pawn for fifteen dollars. De-
 fendant is also informed that at said
 time the defendant Celli was waiting
 outside near the said store and that the
 said Poggi went out and consulted
 with him. Defendant therefore charges
 Defendants with acting in concert in
 committing the said burglary and
 in trying to dispose of said property

Shown to before me this } Wm. H. Harris
 30th day of December
 1891 }
 Other parties

Police Court District.

 THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Israel M. Rosenberg
aged _____ years, occupation Dawbake of No. _____

403 Canal St Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Hallioz
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 30

day of December 1891

Israel M. Rosenberg

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph Poggi 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.

Joseph Poggi

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

U.S.

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

Answer.

95 Madison, 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Joseph Poggi

Taken before me this *30*
day of *June* 189*7*

Police Justice.

0495

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

Victor Cella 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. *Victor Cella*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *177 North 1st Street, New York City, 7 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Immigrant*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*
*Victor Cella*Taken before me this
day of *March* 1934

Police Justice.

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

Joseph Poggi Victor Celli
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of five Hundred Dollars each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated Dec 20 18 91 J. J. Hyman Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named Joseph Poggi Victor Celli
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated Dec 24 18 92 J. J. Hyman 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 Dec 24 18 92 J. J. Hyman Police Justice.

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84 Dec 30th 1891-3 P.M.

Police Court--- 2 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm Halling
134 Park Ave.
Joseph O'Brien
2 Victor Celli

Offence
Bribery

BAILED

No. 1, by Martin Vannoy

Residence 31 James Street.

No. 2, by Signature Orders

Residence 20 Mulberry Street.

No. 3, by

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by

Residence _____ Street

Dated Dec 30 1891

Hogan Magistrate.

Davies Officer.

f Precinct.

Witnesses Officer Wm Hogan

No. f Street.

J. M. Rosen

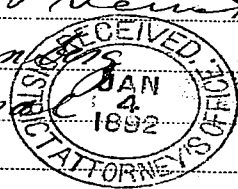
No. 403. Canal Street.

_____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 500 to answer

Com. Bail



COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

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 The People of the State of New York, :
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 against : Before
 : Hon. Randolph E. Martin
 Joseph Poggi and Victor Celli. : and a Jury.
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Indictment filed February 12, 1892.

Indicted for burglary in the third degree.

New York, April 22, 1892.

For the People,

Asst. District-Attorney Henry E. McDona;

For the Defendants,

H. J. Goldsmith, Esq.

WILLIAM HALLISY, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I carry on the jewelry business at 151 Park Row. On the 27th. of December one of my windows was broken and a watch of the value of \$200 was stolen from it. I identify the watch now produced as the one taken from my window.

ISRAEL M. ROSENBACH, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I keep a pawn-broker's shop at No. 403 Canal Street in this city. The defendant Joseph Poggi came into my place and showed me the watch which is now produced. He said he wanted the loan of \$15 on it. I had a suspicion right away that the watch was stolen and I detained him in the store for a few minutes while I

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sent for a policeman. When the officer came he arrested him.

WILLIAM J. HOGAN, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer attached to the Eighth Precinct. I arrested these two boys on the complaint of the pawn-broker who was last on the stand. I asked Joseph Poggi where he got the watch and he told me that himself and Victor Celli had bought the watch off of two boys; that he paid \$1.30 and the other boy seventy cents. They gave me the name of the boys as Rapousi and White. I have found that Rapousi is a real person but have been unable to lay my hands on him.

JOHN O. SAVERCOOL, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer attached to the Eighth Precinct. I assisted the last witness in arresting these boys. They made the same explanation as he has testified to.

DEFENSE.

JOSEPH POGGI, one of the defendant, sworn, testified:

I live at 35 Madison Street and have never been arrested for any crime. The watch which I brought into Mr. Rosenbach's store I bought of two boys who were standing on the corner of Worth and Paxter Streets on the 28th. of December. They were strangers to me. They showed

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me the watch and asked me if I would buy it for \$2. I borrowed some money from Victor Celli and bought the watch. I did not know that it was stolen. If I had known that it was stolen I would not have had anything to do with it. I brought it to the pawn-shop as Mr. Rosenbach has testified and asked him for a loan of \$15 on it.

VICTOR CELLI, one of the defendants, sworn, testified:

I live at 172 Worth Street and am employed by the Manhattan Electrical Supply Company. I have been out on bail since my arrest. On the day in question I was standing in the neighborhood of Worth Street and Baxter. The defendant Poggi came over to me and asked me to loan him \$1.30. I loaned it to him. He went back and bought this watch from these two boys and I went with him to the pawn-shop to pawn it. I didn't know it was stolen.

GEORGE WILCIX, DOMINICK GORSE and FRANK FERRETTI testified to the good character of the defendants.

The Jury returned a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree with a recommendation to the mercy of the Court.

Indictment filed Feb. 12-1892.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

THE PEOPLE &c.

against

JOSEPH POGGI and VICTOR

Celli.

Abstract of testimony on

trial, New York April 22nd

1892.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph Poggi
and
Victor Bella

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

Joseph Poggi and Victor Bella

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

The said

Joseph Poggi and Victor Bella, both

late of the 4th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty-eighth day of December in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-one in the day -time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the Store of
one William Hallisy

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

in the

Store

of the said

William Hallisy

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

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THIRD COUNT:

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

Joseph Poggi and Victor Cella
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

Joseph Poggi and Victor Cella, both

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

*one watch of the value
of two hundred and seventy
five dollars*

day and in

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

William Hallsey

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

William Hallsey

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

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Poly, Ernest

DATE:

02/18/92



4301

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Witnesses:

Wm. J. Hershman
John C. Ammann
John Monck

Counsel

Filed

Pleads

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R. J. Hershman
day of March
1892
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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Ernest Foley

Robbery, (Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code.)
Degree.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. J. Hershman
Forver.

Part 2 - March 1, 1892,
trial and acquitted.

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

Police Court--First District.

Moritz J. Flirschheim

of No. 89 Avenue A. Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 25 day of January 1892
at the 15th Ward of the City of New York, in the
County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-
ponent, by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property viz:

One gold watch and chain

of the value of Sixty 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
Ernest Poby (now here) and one other
person acting in concert with said Poby
not yet arrested - for the reason that on
said date the said Poby not arrested and the
other person not arrested while deponent was
in Thompson Street, one of the defendants caught
deponent by his arms and held him, while the
other person took deponent's watch and chain from
his vest by force and violence and ran
away with the same. Deponent is informed by
Jules C. Rousseau of 151 East West
18th Street, that on the said date he saw

Sworn to before me, this

of

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Police Justice.

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the said Poby and another person together on the Corner of Blecker and Thompson Street - about two minutes after the said Rossean saw the said Poby and the other person together he heard the deponent shout police and saw the man who he had just previously seen in Poby's Company running down Thompson Street. Wherefore deponent charges the said Poby and the other person not yet arrested with Robbery and prays that they be held to answer.

Sworn to before me, this 5 day

of February 1892

W. D. Macdonald Police Justice.

M. J. Rossean

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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aged 25 years, occupation Private Detective of No. 151 West 18th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 5th day of February 1892

J. E. Rousseau

W. M. M. M. M.
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Ernest Poby 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. *Ernest Poby*

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. *105 Macdonald street. 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
Ernest Poby

Taken before me this

date of

February 1892

Admiral

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, / DISTRICT.

of No. *Central Office* Street, aged _____ years,
occupation *Detective Officer* being duly sworn deposes and says
that on the _____ day of _____ 188

~~at the City of New York, in the County of New York~~ he arrested Ernest

Poly now here for Robbery. And prays
that he be committed for forty-eight
hours to enable deponent to procure
further evidence

John J. O'Brien

Sworn to before me, this

of

188

day

W. M. Mahoney Police Justice.

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Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Ernest Pchy

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated February 3 1892

McGr.

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

\$500 bond

Feb. 5. 9 am

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

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~Twenty~~ *Twenty* ~~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.....18 *W. M. Deane* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- / District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Murphy J. Throckm
Ernest Polby

Offence
M. H. H. H.

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

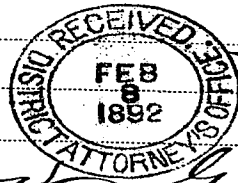
Dated Feb 5 1892
M. H. H. H. Magistrate.

O'Brien and Alonell Officer.
C. O. Precinct.

Witnesses Jules E. Rousseau
No. 151 West 18th Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.



\$ 25.00 to answer H. S.

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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

Ernest Poly

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

Ernest Poly

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

The said

Ernest Poly

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *15th* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two*, in the ~~time of the said day~~, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Moritz J. Hirschbein* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault; and

*one watch of the value of
forty dollars and one chain
of the value of twenty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Moritz J. Hirschbein* from the person of the said *Moritz J. Hirschbein* against the will and by violence to the person of the said *Moritz J. Hirschbein* then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away,

the said Ernest Poly being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, whose name is 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.

*De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Powell, Edward

DATE:

02/17/92



4301

Witnesses:

John Golden

James Marshall

Patrick Morris

Off. Craig

This defendant is charged with having stolen a watch from a drunken man (Golden) in a saloon, the latter having no knowledge of the transaction and being unable to testify.

The only evidence to the alleged offense is one Howell who was called off stage that he himself was in-terested when he made the charge, had been for some days before and that he cannot give any testimony as to the commission of the offense.

The prisoners good character is clearly established by a number of respectable citizens, amongst others Messrs. Condon & Kane, his present employers, who in expectation of his release upon this charge have left his position open for him.

I therefore recommend that the prisoner be discharged on his own recognizance.

March 28/92
DeLancey Nicoll

Dist. Ct.

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1892

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Edward Powell

Grand Larceny, second Degree,
(From the Person)
[Sections 883, 887,
Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Henry J. Harrington

Foreman.

Part 3. March 29/92

depr discharged on his verbal receipt

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The People of the State,
of New York,

vs.,

Edward Powell }

State, City, and County of New York ss:

Matthias McDermott being duly sworn deposes and says: I reside at 124 East 86th Street; I am Superintendent for the office of Canda and Kane, Dealers in Building Materials, situate at the foot of 14th Street East River. I know Edward Powell the above-named defendant. I have known him for the past four years. Since September 1891, and up to the time of his arrest I have employed him as a driver for Canda and Kane.

He has always borne a good character and reputation. While in our employ he has always been steady, industrious and hard working, and I have held his position open since his arrest, and I am willing and anxious to re-employ him as soon as he is released.

Sworn to before me this { Matthias M. Dermott
14th day of March 1892 }

Henry Jaeger

Notary Public No 52
N. Y. County.

The People of the State
of New York,
vs.
Edward Powell.

State, City and County of New York ss:
William H. Schmohl, being duly
sworn deposes and says: I am a dealer
in Masons' Building Materials, at
14th Street east of Ave. D, East River. I
know Edward Powell, the defendant
in the above-entitled action. I employed
him for about three years ending in
September 1891, as a driver.

During that time I have always
found him to be honest and upright
and of good character.

Sworn to before me this
12th day of March, 1892.

Wm H. Schmohl

George M. M. M.
Notary Public N.Y.
My CO

The People of the State
of New York

vs.

Edward Powell

State, City and County of New York ss:

Henry Colvin being duly sworn
deposes and says: I am the proprietor
of an Oyster and Dining Room at 538
East 14th Street. I have known
Edward Powell, the above-named
defendant for the past five years.

During that time I have always
known him to be a hard working man
of good character and reputation.

Sworn to before me this } Henry Colvin
12th day of March 1892.

George M. M.
Notary Public N.Y.
My CO

The People of the State
of New York

vs.

Edward Powell

State, City and County of New York ss:

Charles E. McManus being duly sworn deposes and says: I am a Contractor, my office being at the foot of East 14th Street. I have known Edward Powell the above-named defendant for the past four years. During that period I have always known him to be a man of upright character and integrity.

I know him to be hard-working and honest, and a man to be trusted.

Sworn to before me this
14th day of March 1892 { Charles E. McManus

Henry Jaeger
Notary Public No 52
N.Y. County.

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County of

ss.

being duly sworn says that he is years of age and upwards.
That on the day of 189 between the hours of M. and
M., at
in the of he served
upon

in this action by delivering to and leaving with
personally, a true copy thereof

Deponent further says, that he knew the person served as aforesaid
to be the person mentioned and described in

Sworn to before me this day }
of 189 }

Court of General Sessions

The People of the State
of New York

against

Edward Powell

Affidavit as to Character

EDWARD C. STONE,

Attorney for Defendant
280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK CITY.

To Esq.,

Attorney for

Due and timely service of a copy of the within

is hereby admitted.

Dated 189

Attorney for

J. MEYERS, Lawyers' Stationer and Printer, 106 Duane Street, New York.

Please take notice that

of which within is a copy was this day
duly entered in the office of the Clerk
of the Court
of New York, N. Y. City and County

N. Y., 189

Yours etc.,

EDWARD C. STONE,

Attorney for

To

Attorney for

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(1885)

Police Court—4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York, }of No. 241 Avenue B Street, aged 62 years,
occupation Laborerdeposes and says, that on the 25 day of December 1891 at the City of NewYork, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
and from of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:One Silver Watch of the
value of Twenty Dollars
— (\$20.⁰⁰) —

the property of

deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen
and carried away by Edward Farrell (now here)from the fact that at about the
time of 10 A. M. on the aforesaid
day deponent was in the Saloon
at premises North East corner 14th Street
and Avenue B. and said watch was
in the left hand side pocket of a the
vest then and then from the deponent
and deponent is informed by
James Thorpille that he Thorpille
saw said deponent take said
watch watch from deponent's
possession and person and
then walk awayJohn Golden
muhSworn to before me, this 27th dayof December 1891

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Thornhill
aged 24 years, occupation Driver of No.

544 East 14th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John Zolder

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

27 December 1891 James Thornhill

John A. Brady

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

Edward Powell

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.

Edward Powell

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N.Y.

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

Answer.

No 300 First Avenue and about 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Driver

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

Edward Powell

Taken before me this

day of

1931

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June 1931

Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Fifteen 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 Dec 27 18 91 John H. Gandy Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Witness James Thornhill

Bailed by

Thos Cunningham
602 to 15th St

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

House of Delegates 1578

Police Court--702 Distr.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Golden

~~James Thornhill~~
Bartholomew

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Office

Lumpkin

Felton

Dated Dec 27 1891

Grad Magistrate.

Oran and Robinson Officer.

18 Precinct.

Witnesses James Thornhill

No. 237 Ave B Street.

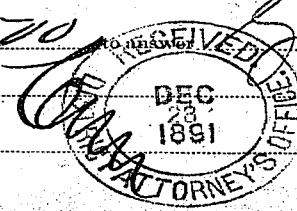
Patrick Morrow

No. 237 Ave B Street.

Call the Officers

No. _____ Street.

\$ 15.00



The People of the
State of New York.

Edw^d. ^{vs} Powell.

State, City and County of N.Y. S.P.
James Thornhill being duly sworn
deposes and says: that he is the person
on whose information a warrant was
issued on or about the 26th or 27th
day of Dec. 1891 for the arrest of
Edward Powell: that said information
and warrant charged the said Edward
Powell with stealing a watch in the
day time from the person of one
Golden whose Christian name de-
ponent does not know; and that the
theft of said watch occurred on the
25th day of Dec. 1891 at Hixons Saloon,
on the corner of Ave. B. and 14th St.
in the City of New York; that at
the time that deponent, made
the aforesaid information and
affidavit, deponent was intoxicated,
and that in fact deponent was in
a continuous state of intoxication for
several days prior thereto; and at the
time said watch was stolen; deponent

Further Says that he does not believe that said Affidavit on which said warrant was issued is true; that he has no recollection whatsoever, of the facts in connection with the stealing of said watch; that he voluntarily makes this deposition for the purpose of exonerating the said Edward Towell.

Given to before me
this 16th day of Feby
1892

Salmon Richardson
NOTARY PUBLIC,
N.Y. County

James Thornhill

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In the Walls
Of Govea

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Edward Powell

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

Edward Powell

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

The said *Edward Powell*.

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25th* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of Twenty
dollars,

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

Robert M. Hall,
Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Powers, Augustus A.

DATE:

02/02/92



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Bryant, Joseph

DATE:

02/02/92



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Witnesses:

Mauda Amick
 Mamie Amick
 Mamie Corilla
 Alice Brown

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1892

Pleaded

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Augustus A. Bowen

and

Joseph Bryant

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
 District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

[Signature]
 Foreman.

July 31st

[Signature]
 Head of J.P.

No. 1- 34th St.

" 2 31" 86 no. S.P.

P.S.M.

Burglary in the Third Degree.
 Section 498, Vol. 2, Code.

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Police Court 2 District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:of No. 197 South 5th Avenue - Nicholas Rincke Street, aged 32 years,
occupation Grocery being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 197 South 5th Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Three story Brick
Buildingand which was occupied by deponent as a Grocery Store
~~and in which there was at the time a human being by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a
pane of glass in a window, leading from the
yard into said store - and then removing a
bolt from a door and raising and removing
a wooden bar, and then opening said door,
on the 24 day of January 1892 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of canned Tomatoes, a Trilled
ham, 2 Bags of Flour, quantity of Bottled
Cider, and a quantity of Tea in
all of the amount and value of
Ten dollars

(\$10 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀)

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

August Powers and Joseph Bryant (both now here)
And while acting in concert with each other

for the reasons following, to wit: That about the hour of 9.30.
o'clock P.M. of the 24th day of January 1892.
deponent securely locked and fastened
the aforesaid premises, and at that time
the said window was closed and in an
unbroken condition, and deponent after
securing said premises, went away, and
that about the hour of 6.30 o'clock P.M. of
the 25th day of January, the deponent returned to the

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said premises - and discovered a pane of glass in said window broken, and the door leading from the yard into defendant's place of business open - and that he immediately missed the aforesaid property - and that defendant is informed by Mabel Cromwell of No 199, South 5th Avenue that about the hour of 10.30 o'clock P.M. of the aforesaid date - the defendants while acting in concert with each other, came to her apartment and asked her if they could leave a quantity of Groceries with her, and after leaving said Groceries with her said defendants went away. and that defendant is further informed by Officer Joseph Brown of the 8th Precinct Police. that he found a quantity of Groceries in the room occupied by said Mabel Cromwell, and that defendant has seen the said Groceries left in said Mabel Cromwell's room by the defendants, and found in said room by said Officer and fully recognizes the same as his property, and as the property which was stolen from the aforesaid premises on the aforesaid date, defendant therefore charges the defendants while acting in concert with each other in having committed a Burglary and asks that they be held and dealt with as the Law may direct.

Sworn to before me this 25th day of January 1892

Joseph Brown
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree

Burglary

Dated

1892

Magistrate

Officer

Clerk

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Sheet.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 29 years, occupation Mabel Cromwell Housekeeper of No.

199. Park 5-Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Nicholas Ruesin

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

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of January 1890, Mabel Cromwell

Wm. H. Gandy
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation _____ of No. _____

8th Precinct Police

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Nicholas Rencick

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

May

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25 } *Joseph Brown*

John H. Brady
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

August Powers being duly examined before the undersigned 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. *August Powers*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *37 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *No 52 East 5-Avenue - 1 Month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Truck Driver*

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

Answer.

I am not guilty -
Augustus Powers

Taken before me this

day of

January 1895

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Joseph Bryant*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *446 Washington Street - 6 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Cement*

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.
Joseph Bryant

Taken before me this

25

day of

January

1892

John H. [Signature]

Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that 15 be held to answer the same and 15 be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until 15 give such bail.
Dated May 25 1892 John A. Brady 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.

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Police Court---2---District. 100

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nicholas Rencke
199 S. 5. Ave
August Powers
Joseph Bryant

Offence
Burglary

BAILED.

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated May 25-92

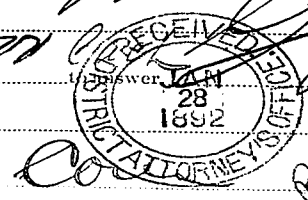
Grady Magistrate.
Benn Officer.
8 Precinct.

Witnesses Mamie Carrelle
No. 199 South 5. Ave Street.

Mabel Bromwell
No. 199 South 5. Ave Street.

Call Officer
No. 1500 Street.

\$ 15.00
Answer 24th 28 1892



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Bry
P.L.
Bry

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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

Augustus A. Powers
and
Joseph Bryant

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

Augustus A. Powers and Joseph Bryant

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

The said *Augustus A. Powers and*

Joseph Bryant, both —

late of the *8th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
24th day of *January* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*two* in the *night*-time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *Store* of
one *Nicholas Rincke* —

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some

crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Nicholas Rincke*
Rincke 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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Augustus A. Powers and Joseph Bryant
 of the CRIME OF *Retit* LARCENY committed as follows:

The said *Augustus A. Powers and Joseph Bryant*, both

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night*-time of said day, with force and arms, *twenty cans of tomatoes of the value of ten cents each can, one ham of the value of two dollars, two bags of flour of the value of one dollar each bag, ten bottles of cider of the value of ~~five~~ twenty cents each bottle and four pounds of tea, of the value of fifty cents each pound;*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the

store

of the said

Nicholas Rincke

there situate, then and there being found, in the

store

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

THIRD COUNT:

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

Augustus A. Powers and Joseph Bryant
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Augustus A. Powers and Joseph Bryant*, both
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year afore-
said, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*the same goods, chattels and
personal property described
in the second count of this
indictment*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

Nicholas Rincke
by a certain person or persons, to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before felon-
iously stolen from the said *Nicholas Rincke*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; (the said *Augustus A. Powers and Joseph Bryant*
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been felon-
iously stolen, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the
peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Pressner, Frank

DATE:

02/16/92



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Witnesses:

Martin P. ...

Robert ...
compt

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1892

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

15 ...
vs.
12 & 13 ...

Frank Brechner

DE LANCEY NICOLE,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Ray S. ...

Foreman.

Feb 2 - March 7, 1892

Read Crilly, Burglar, 3rd

Elmer ...

R. M. ...

March 9

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 1086 of the Penal Code.]

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Police Court—5th District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 941 NE Hammond Street, aged 30 years,
 occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that the premises No. 941, East 163rd Street, 23rd Ward
 in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Dwelling House

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling and the 1st floor as a Saloon
 and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly entering the door to the
sleeping apartment on the second floor by opening the
door leading to said sleeping apartment by means of a
false key

on the 1st day of February 1892 in the night time, and the
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Good and lawful money to the amount and
of the value of ^{one hundred and forty} ~~one hundred~~ Dollars, \$140.00

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

Frank Thomas Pressner (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That at about 4 o'clock P.M. deponent
securely locked and fastened his premises on the
second floor. That said money was in a trunk
which was locked and in deponent's sleeping
room. That at about 11 o'clock P.M. deponent
discovered that the said apartment on the second floor
had been entered and the above described
money feloniously stolen from said trunk.
That deponent caused the arrest of said defendant

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on suspicion of having committed said Burglary by Detective Johnson of the 33^d Precinct Police and that after being placed under arrest the defendant acknowledged and confessed to having committed said Burglary.

The Deponent further says that before notifying the officer he went to said Defendant's House and charged him with the aforesaid Burglary, when he acknowledged and confessed to him that he did commit said Crime and that he then returned to Deponent eight dollars of the money so stolen and carried away.

Deponent therefore charges the said defendant with feloniously entering said premises as described aforesaid and with taking stealing and carrying away said moneys. He therefore asks that said defendant be held to answer and dealt with according to Law. *Charles H. Nelson*
 Deponent before me this 4th
 day of February 1892 *Wm. H. White*
 Police Justice

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

I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

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

Dated 1888

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

Dated 1888

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

Dated 1888

Police Justice

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

Offence—BURGLARY.

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness.

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

Jan 7 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Frank Pressner

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 Pressner*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *No 162 East 163rd Street; about 4 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Ironing a Silk Mill*

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 and another boy named John McGinnis went into the premises of Martin Phelan and took stock and carried away the money*

Frank Pressner

Taken before me this

7th

day of

February

1904

John J. McLaughlin
Police Justice.

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It appearing ~~that~~ ~~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 Pressner

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

Dated

February 4 1892

H. A. Webb

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named.....

defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated

July 5 1892

H. A. Webb

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

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Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 5th District. 146

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martin Phelan
841 E. 163 St.
Frank Presner

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Offence

Dated

February 4

1892

Chas. Mide

Magistrate.

Johnson

Officer.

33rd

Precinct.

Witnesses

officer Johnson
33rd Precinct

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 2500

to answer

G.S.

Bailey

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Frederick Lillworth

Residence

824 Adams Avenue

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.



New York General Sessions.

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The People, &c. :

-vs-

Frederick Pressner :
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City and County of New York, ss:

I, Vincent Pressner being duly sworn do depose and say:

I am a painter by occupation, and reside at No. 562 163rd St., this city.

I am a brother of the above named defendant, who is now 18 years of age.

Said defendant was born in this city, and has always resided here. After leaving school about a year ago, he secured employment in a silk factory situate on 166th St. and Railroad Avenue, the name of which I do not now remember. He worked there for about two months prior to his arrest. He has always been an upright, honest and truthful boy, and I venture to say that he was led to commit the crime with which he is charged by association with evil companions.

Prior to his arrest, he returned to the complainant every penny which he had taken. He has never before been arrested, and I have a good position open for him at the present time.

Sworn to before me this

9 day of March, 1892.

John W. Lauley Jr.
Courts of New York

Vincent Pressner

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

.....being duly
sworn, says that he resides at No.Street, in the City of
New York; that he is.....years of age; that on the.....day of.....
189 , at Number.....in the City of
New York, he served the within.....on.....
the.....by leaving a copy thereof with.....

Sworn to before me this
day of 189 }

M. J. Evans
The People
Frank M. Mower
against
Defendant.
Officers of Good Charter

HOWE & HUMMEL,
Attorneys for *Depts*
87 & 89 Centre St., New York City.
Due and timely service of copy of the within
hereby admitted
this day of 189
Attorney.
To.....

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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 Pressner

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

Frank Pressner

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

The said Frank Pressner

late of the 2^{3rd} Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
first day of February in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, with force and arms, in the night-time
of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Martin Phelan

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some
crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Martin
Phelan in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and
their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Frank Pressner

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

The said

Frank Pressner

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

*the sum of one hundred and
forty dollars in money, law-
ful money of the United
States, (a more particular
description whereof is to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown)
of the value of one hundred
and forty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Martin Phelan

in the dwelling house of the said

Martin Phelan

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

*Alfred Lancy Nicoll,
District Attorney*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4301

DESCRIPTION:

Primrose, Robert

DATE:

02/03/92



4301

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Witnesses:

Wm. L. Lammie
John Cottrell

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1892

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Robert Brumrose

Grand Larceny, First Degree,
(DWELLING HOUSE.)
[Sections 623, 624, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. L. Lammie
Foreman

Part 3. February 10/92

Jury & Acquitted

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(1885)

Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

George L. James
 of No. 138 West Houston Street, aged 42 years,
 occupation dealer in sewing machines being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 9 day of January 1892 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
 of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

One Gold watch and good and
lawfull money of the United States
viz a two dollar bill.

all of the value of seventy seven
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 Robert Primrose (now here)

for the reasons following to wit:

On said date deponent was knocked
 down and injured by being knocked down
 by the horses attached to a 7th avenue
 Horse Car. Deponent was assisted
 to his room in house no 138 West Houston
 Street by the Defendant, ~~at that time~~ and
 the Defendant undressed deponent
 at that time the said watch was in the left
 hand pocket of his vest and the two dollar bill
 was in the right hand pocket of said vest.
 The defendant sent Mrs Augustine Hendricks
 (who was in the room) out for a drink for
 the deponent, Mrs Hendricks went down

Sworn to before me this
 9th day of January 1892

Police Justice

stairs and got a glass of lemonade for deponent and when she was returning to deponent's room she saw the defendant leaving the house.

on the next day (January 10th 1892) deponent missed the said property, as soon as deponent recovered from his injuries he informed the police of his loss, and he is informed by Detective Sergeant Cottrell that he arrested defendant, and then he the defendant told him (Cottrell) that he was with deponent in his room on the night of mentioned and that he knows the person who ~~not~~ now had the said watch.

deponent fully identifies the defendant as the person who assisted him to his room on aforesaid night and who undressed him. deponent therefore charges defendant with larceny and prays that he be dealt with according to law
E. L. James

Sworn to before me
this 23rd day of January 1892

Thos. V. Brady

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Augustine Hendricks
aged 33 years, occupation House Keeper of No. 138-N Houston Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George L. James
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of Jan 1897 } *Augustine Hendricks*
John H. Gady
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation John Cottrell
Detective Sergeant of No. 300 Mulberry
Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George L. James
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of Jan, 1892
John. Cottrell
John H. Brady
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Robert Primrose 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.

Robert Primrose

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Australia

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

Answer.

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Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Painter

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
Robert Primrose

Taken before me this
day of June 1897

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Wm. H. Brady
Police Justice

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

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

Dated *January 30th* 1892 *Wm. H. Brady* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Police Court--- District. 113

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George L. James
138 W. Houston St.
Robert Primrose

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Offence Larceny

Dated Jan 23 1892

Magistrate.

Cottrell & Bonnoil Officer.

C.O. Precinct.

Witnesses Officers

No. Street.

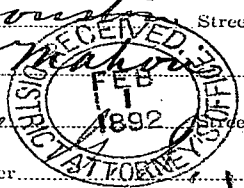
Augustine Hendricks

No. 138 W - Houston Street.

Michael M. Mahoney

No. 3 Barclay Street.

\$ 1500 to answer



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Robert Primrose

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

Robert Primrose

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

The said

Robert Primrose

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
on the *ninth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ninety *two* in the night time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of
seventy five dollars and*

one promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called United
States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *two* dollar \$ *one*
promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the de-
nomination and value of *two* dollar \$ *one* United States Gold Certificate,
of the denomination and value of *two* dollar \$ *one* United States
Silver Certificate, of the denomination and value of *two* dollar \$

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

George L. James

in the dwelling house of the said

George L. James

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

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney