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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hall, John H.

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Henry Johnson
Post Office Inspector
Central Office

See Complaint - 1

Counsel, _____
Filed 6 day of Nov 1884
Pleads Not Guilty (7)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John A. Diaz
Grand Larceny 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 581, Pennl. Code.]

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Henry Johnson
Post Office Inspector

Indorsed by
Henry Johnson
Post Office Inspector
W. H. G.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Henry Fleetwood

of No. 111 Nassau Street, Manager

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 11th day of February 1884

at the Day Times in the City of New York,

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

of deponent with intent to defraud the true owners thereof, the following property, viz :

One Set, 17 Vols. of "Standard Histories," said books being of the value of One hundred and seventy (170) dollars

Sweeney & Co. Stationers

the property of Warren Estes and Charles E. Lauriat, Co-partners, and in charge of deponent as Manager

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by John H. Hall from

the fact that said deponent then informed deponent that he had sold said property to one J. Henry of 262 Broadway, and deponent believing said statement thereupon delivered said property to said deponent. That since then deponent has ascertained that said statement was wholly false and untrue, and that

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Deponent's Office,

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No such person as J. Henry is
or ever was located at 26 2
Bouery as deponent knows
by personal examination.

That said deponent has stolen
at divers times since said date
about \$2000. of books, the
property of said Postes and Larrick
by means of similar false
and fraudulent statements and
representations, and deponent says
he may be arrested and dealt
with as the law may direct.

Sworn to before me this } Henry Fleetwood
31st day of October 1884

J. M. Patterson Police Justice

2nd District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Fleetwood

vs.
John H. Hall

Dated October 31 1884

Patterson Magistrate.

WITNESSES:
L. M. Nauck Officer.
Central Office

DISPOSITION

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer *John H. Hall*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *61 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ohio*

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

Answer. *I have no particular residence*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Publisher*

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. I waive
further examination here
J H Hall*

Taken before me this

day of *October*

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W. J. Patterson

Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

2^d District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:

Whereas, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by Henry Fleetwood

of No. 111 Nassau Street, that on the 11 day of February 1884 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit :

one set, 17 vols. of Standard
Historics, Sans Books (being in all

of the value of One hundred and seventy Dollars,

the property of Wm. Reptes and Charles E. Lauriat, Co. Partners,
w as taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by John H. Hall

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 every of you, to apprehend the bod 9 of the said Defendant and forthwith bring him before me, at the 2^d 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 31st day of October 1884
J. M. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT 2 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Fleetwood
vs.

John H. Hall

Warrant - Larceny.

Dated October 31 188 4

Patterson Magistrate

McNair C. C. Officer

The Defendant
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, _____

Native of _____

Age, _____

Sex _____

Complexion, _____

Color _____

Profession, _____

Married _____

Single, _____

Read, _____

Write, _____

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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 H. Hall

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 October 5 188 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

The defendant in this case is very old. The offense to which he has been convicted is his first. The complainant has asked that leniency be shown him, in view of the fact that he has never before been convicted, all within his power. It will be useful also to the defendant in his case. I will for recommend that leniency be shown him.

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Fleetwood
111 Nassau St
John H. Hall

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____ 1884

Dated October 31 1884

Matterson Magistrate.

McNaught Officer.

Central office Precinct.

Witnesses Henry A. A. LeForestier

No. 111 Nassau Street.

James O'Connor

No. 111 Nassau Street.

Joseph R. C. C.

No. 34 Park Row Street.

\$2000 to answer Term Sessions.

A. W. Lovering

781 Broadway

Richard Washington 770 Broadway

J. R. Putnam 839 East 168 St. B. N.Y.

or 34 Park Row

Office
L. M. C.

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Law Offices

120 Broadway (EQUITABLE BUILDING)

EATON & LEWIS

S. B. EATON
EUGENE H. LEWIS

New York, Dec. 10, 1885

Dear Del:

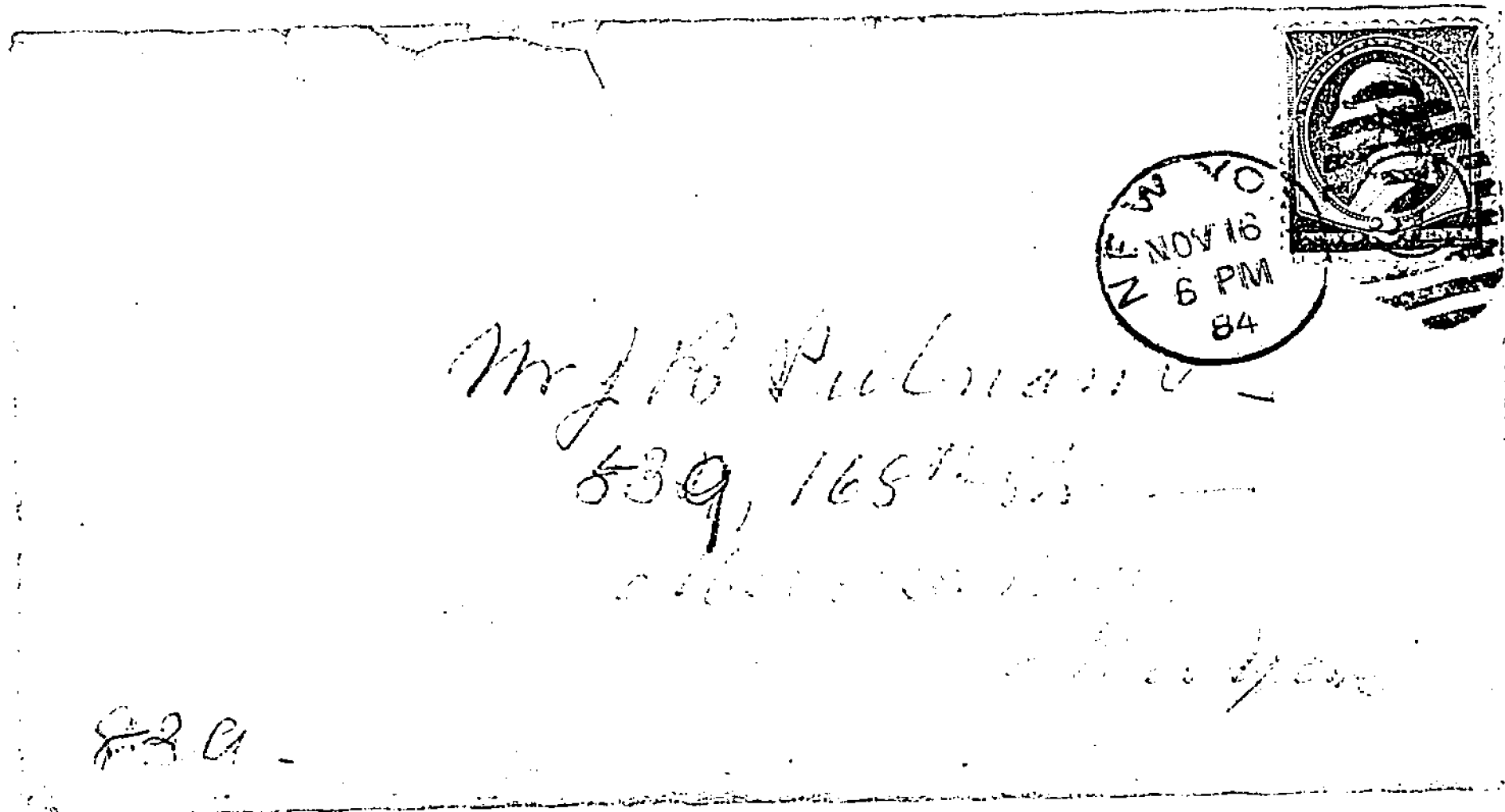
Ask Freeman to send a subpoena to A. W. Downing 48 Broadway, res. 57 E. 11 St. & appear on Monday & testify in the Hall case. John H. Hall. Please ascertain whether Judge Beddard can give me ten minutes of his time today to go over the case with me. I want him to understand it. And word by Deaver.

Yours E. H. L.

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People
as
John H. Hall

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"HEALTH JOURNAL."

Dr. HALL, Editor,

72 UNIVERSITY PLACE, New York.

From November to June.

MANLY, NORTH CAROLINA.

Lucy

Dear Sir
 Your letter after seeing 188
 Mrs. H. was received Saturday eve. - I cannot
 make out what you say. Can't tell why
 she would not go. But it is the case of
 Lovers seeing one another. When I last
 spoke to her with back of the ear and
 to say the same as to her. I do not
 see any advantage in delaying the trial.
 I only fear we have at the end of
 my trial which is already signed.
 If they want to convict so they can
 do it with good testimony. They have
 got. If perdition seems better
 than per. I never doubt it. But
 the might see one, but it seems
 to me it is too late for that. They
 are not for manufacturing laws too
 which can only be done by law.
 I sent you 2 letters Saturday - one was

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2 a double letter with statement
and proof enclosing passage book
for 1st of January. If you think
insufficiently argumentative as to the
proof of my intention to see through
then I will send you a letter to the
and the longer. There are many
things more I could say but
what I said covers the ground. You
engine 1st and 2nd class. I did
not receive but one check from
ing. He always had the same get
ting the same from the same.
He was one to no more. My son
only knows where the boy is, and
the boy knows the looks of the
Washington. There are half a dozen
witnesses in this testimony but I
can only get out by my ability. Walter
will be here in or within 7 days —
I wish for my son to come to see
me & expect him Friday or Saturday
He has not come. Now to Business
day

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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J. R. Putnam

34. Park Row

Care Mr. Berrian

or Mr. Varian

Res. 839 East 168th St.

Mr. Brennan -

The above is the
address of the witness
to be subpoenaed for mon-
day in the case of
The People vs. John H.
Hall.

Yours
J. R. Putnam

E. H. Lewis
120. Broadway

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3 I hope this trial comes off Wednesday.
If I & Woods have a conference with
with Woods & Woods testify for
him for nothing and get in the same
line as Woods. The question is how
to get Woods & Woods out of
It appears the court will hear the first.
This thing must be determined Tuesday
day the day before the trial. Woods
Woods is a distinguished attorney
Woods says that he will be a very
good witness and will
and some plan to submit to
the court. I think
that is the proper day. I think
that Woods, Woods and Woods
Woods and Woods & Woods
ought to make the consulting com-
mission, for you are to answer
questions about me, and that
will represent Woods & Woods
and the other two gentlemen. It
seems that they could see the
first of testimony and then
what he would do. I am

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"HEALTH JOURNAL,"

—Dr. HALL, Editor,—

72 UNIVERSITY PLACE, New York.

From November to June,

MANLY, NORTH CAROLINA.

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Boston they can find the \$250
note in making clearance,
not in fact, but in the
franchise, - I hope they will
thenceforth be of the standard
which I think one can expect of
a man of business. I will
continue attention to a fact of
great importance. When I saw Taylor
Good with me at the exchange
I asked Good if the payment of
some \$1000 say, monthly could they
bring an action of freezing or
anything against me and he
said distinctly "I'll be damned
if they can." I saw in addition
to my feeling I was a winning
no loser. There was the opinion
that the man who had been of a
lawyer, friend. I see what you
can do all day, every day,
report the me in person, Monday
before 12, for several days before me.

"HEALTH JOURNAL,"

Dr. HALL, Editor,

72 UNIVERSITY PLACE, New York.

72 UNIVERSITY PLACE, New York.

From November to June,

MANLY, NORTH CAROLINA.

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The above is a copy of the
 letter of the 15th of June
 1874, to the Hon. Secy of the
 Interior, at Washington, D.C.
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 Interior, at Washington, D.C.

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I brought for Mrs. Cook a printing
sheet from the first paper I saw
of the collection. The Evangelical
alliance, and some of my former
associates, are the first of
the new movement, of which
even now, has representative. I have
to do to some (1 box, and also for
box to be used in society, does not
show the second set, they to be
of the meeting, I have not
yet sent out of the paper in the
church in fact in the Christian
union in the presence of
Rev. Dr. Briggs, attention to
a letter dated on Sunday the
12th of January for the National
Anti-Slavery Society. Conferences are
nearly settled the American Anti-
Slavery Society, which brings my
share to the meeting at
New York 1845 - I expect to receive a lady
of property the 8th of March my birth day 1845

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John A. Hall

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

John A. Hall —

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

The said *John A. Hall*,

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

seventeen printed books of the

value of ten dollars each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Dana Estes*,

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.

Peter B. Olney,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Harrington, John

DATE:

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Witnesses:

May Sommers
Amelia Jones
J. J. 11th St
West

54 Pleas
Counsel,
Filed 24 Nov 1884
Pleads Property by

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Harington
w. J. H. H.
6th St.
Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,
[Sections 488, 489]

PETER B. OLNEY,
Per John 13/24 District Attorney.

Pleads Attempt.
A True Bill.

J. J. McClellan
Foreman.

S. P. 2 1/2 years

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Sec. 198, 200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

1 District Police Court.

John Harrington 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 *im*; that the statement is designed to
enable h *im* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h *im*
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h ☒ waiver cannot be used
against h *im* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty I don't know
anything about it*

John. Harrington

Taken before me this

day of

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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. 1723

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edw. Sommers
vs.
1887

Thos. Sommers

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Offence Burglary

Dated November 3 1887

Justice

James Sommers

Officer

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Prison

Witnesses

No. 1

Edw. Sommers

11

Prison

No. 2

435 Ave 23

Street

No. 3

1000 Ave 23

Street

No. 4

1000 Ave 23

Street

No. 5

1000 Ave 23

Street

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

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

Dated Nov 3 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 3 1887 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 Nov 3 1887 Police Justice.

Edw. Sommers on Wednesday

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

Police Court District.

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THE PEOPLE, & c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edy Sommer

188 7th St.

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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.

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

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

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

Edy Sommer

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Police Court—1 District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:of No. 188 Seventh Ely Sommers Street, aged 58 years,occupation Tailor being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 135 Avenue B Street,in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Three story BrickBuilding in the Eleventh Wardand which was occupied by deponent as a Tailoring establishmentand in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking one
of the panes of the front window and
breaking the sash of the said front window
and opening the latch of the door leading from
the hall way
on the 3rd day of November 1884 in the Night time, and the
was attempted to be
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Four Overcoats together of the value
of Sixty Four Dollars and silk
linings and silk spools of thread together
of the value of ten Dollars altogether of the
value of Seventy Four Dollars

the property of

Deponent

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

two other men with names withheld for the reasons following, to wit:
John Harrison (nowhere) and
Max Sommers the he securely locked
the doors and fastened the windows in the
aforesaid premises at the hour of One o'clock
P.M. on the 2nd day of November 1884) and
the hour of 2 o'clock and thirty minutes on the
Morning of the 3rd day of November 1884 he found
the aforesaid windows had been broken open
and the doors were open and deponent

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Was further informed by John Seidel that he saw the said defendant and two other men not now arrested on the fire escape of the aforesaid premises at the hour one o'clock A M on said 30th day of November and he fully identifies the defendant as one of the men he saw on the said fire escape

Wherefore deponent charges the said defendant and said two other men not now arrested with having burglariously entered the aforesaid premises ^{and on aforesaid} property ^{as attempted} to be taken stolen and carried away

Sworn to before me
this 30th day of November 1894 } C. L. Johnson
P. G. Coffey
Clerk of District

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

Burglary

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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.

aged 29 years, occupation Book Keeper of No. 188 Seventh Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Chy Summers

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

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day of May 1888 Chy Summers

Philly
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 22 years, occupation John Seidel of No. Tarcon

135-102 03 Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Alv. Tommuro

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

Sworn to before me this 3
day of Nov 1888 John Seidel

W. J. Duff
Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Davinagan

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

John Davinagan —

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

The said *John Davinagan* /

late of the *Eleventh* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain *garage* building there situate, to wit: the *shop* — of one *Elis Sammers*.

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

Elis Sammers —

in the said *shop* — 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.

Peter B. O'Leary

District Attorney

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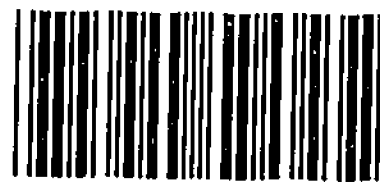
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Harris, Joseph

DATE:

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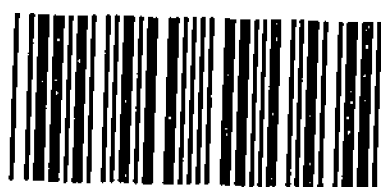
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Geoghgeon, Philip

DATE:

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Exhibits as
George Herman Ch.
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Witnesses:

Arthur Cohen
Grand Branch
172 6th Street

Friday 19th Sept
apparently to prove
Character 75

W. J. Westman
Proctor no. 100 of 1875
Proctor no. 100 of 1875

Stoutson -
Wm. Clark Mason
145 W. 10th St.
Edm. Barker.
149 & 17 Park Place
Wm. Harrison
54 Long Change Road

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Counsel,
Filed 14 day of Nov 1884
Reads
172 6th Street

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Joseph Harrison
Philip George Harrison
no. 100 of 1875
172 6th Street

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney
No. 100 of 1875
A TRUE BILL.
172 6th Street
172 6th Street
172 6th Street
172 6th Street

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Police Court First District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.of No. 192 Canal

occupation

Tailor TrimmingsStreet, aged 40 years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 192 Canal Street
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Two story + Basement Brick
Building in the Sixth Ward in said city
and which was occupied by deponent as a Tailors trimmings store
and in which there was at the time no human being, by namewere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly Opening the front
door leading to the hall way by means of a jimmy
and forced the door and broke the staples
off of the door leading from the hall way into said storeon the 11th day of November 1884 in the Night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Fifty yards Sliecher of the value of Four Dollars
Two Pieces of Sleeve lining containing Eighty yards
valued at Six Dollars Fifty yards of linen Fifty cents
altogether of the value of Ten Dollars and
Fifty Centsthe 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 Harris and Philip Georgeon
(both now here) and two other men not now arrested

for the reasons following, to wit:

that deponent securely locked
and fastened the doors in said premises at
about the hour of ten o'clock P.M. on the 10th
day of November 1884 and deponent was informed
by Philip Ryan that at about the hour of
three o'clock PM minutes he saw the said
defendants and two other men not now arrested
force open the front door of said premises and
saw them go in the hall way of said premises

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And the said Philip Ryan positively identifies the said defendants Harris and Graham as two of the men he saw force open said front door and enter said hall way

Wherefore deponent charges the said defendants and said two other men with having burglariously entered said premises and taken stolen and carried away the aforesaid property

Sworn to before Me

this 11th day of November 1884
M. J. P. H. L.

N. Cohen

Police Justice

Police Court — District.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

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Dated

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

To. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Philip Ryan
aged *30* years, occupation *butcher* of No.

191 Canal Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Nathan Cohen*

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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Nov 11th
John Ryan
Andrew J. White
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Joseph Harris

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Question Where were you born?

Answer

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

Answer

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

Taken before me this 11th day of May 1887
Wm. J. Smith
Police Justice.

Philip Geoghegan

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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 Adams and Philip Thompson
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 *Nov 11th* 188 *Charles J. White* Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 . Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 . Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court

1735 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nathan Cohen

192 Canal St.

Joseph Harris

Philip Josephson

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

Dated Nov 17th 188

White Magistrate.

John L. Branch Officer.

Philip Rigan Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 191 Canal Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

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PART 2.

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.]

To see Recorder Smyth.
SUBPOENA
FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE
Court of General Sessions of the Peace.
The People of the State of New York,
To *Mr Banker with Martin B. Brown*
of No. *49 No 51 Park Place* Street,
GREETING :
WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *22nd* day of *Dec* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and give evidence in our behalf, against *Philip Georgeon*
in a case of Felony whereof *he* stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.
Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Dec* in the year of our Lord 188*8*
PETER B. OLNEY, *District Attorney.*

PART 2.

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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.]

To see Recorder Smyth.
SUBPOENA
FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE
Court of General Sessions of the Peace.
The People of the State of New York,
To *Mr Harrow. with Amⁿ Dist Tel Co.*
of No. *51 Exchange Place* Street,
GREETING :
WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *22nd* day of *Dec* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and give evidence in our behalf, against *Philip Georgeon*
in a case of Felony whereof *he* stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.
Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Dec* in the year of our Lord 188*8*
PETER B. OLNEY, *District Attorney.*

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RECORDERS CHAMBERS



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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 Davis and
Philip Geoghegan*

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

Joseph Davis and Philip Geoghegan

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

The said *Joseph Davis and Philip
Geoghegan, each —*

late of the *Sixth* — Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York aforesaid, on the *eleventh* day of *November*, in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force
and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain *part of a* building
there situate, to wit: the *store* — of one *Nathan*

Cohen, —

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

— Nathan Cohen —

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.

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SECOND COUNT.

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

Joseph Davis and Philip Geoghegan

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, —
committed as follows:

The said *Joseph Davis and Philip*

Geoghegan, each —

late of the *South*, — Ward of the City of New York in the
County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *eleventh* day of
November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eighty-*four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night*
time of said day, with force and arms,

fifty yards of ribbon of the value

of ten cents each yard, —

eight yards of lining of the value

of seventy five cents each yard, —

and five yards of linen of the

value of ten cents each yard. ✓

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Nathan Cohen*

— in the store of

the said Nathan Cohen. —

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.

Peter B. Olney
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

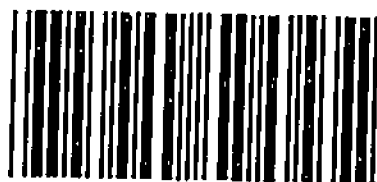
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DESCRIPTION:

Harrison, Michael

DATE:

11/26/84



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Levy, Marks

DATE:

11/26/84



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Witnesses:

James A. Smith
Charles H. Hays
App. 1st Dist

Dep't has moved
to Penn in Penn
for R.L. 11 days
back

472 Ch. Henry had
Barbara Dean
for her for Lacey
75.

Counsel, _____
Filed 24 day of Nov 1884
Plead Not Guilty

17 Oct. 1961
THE PEOPLE
v. Michael Harrison
vs.
and
Markus Levy
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PETER B. OLNEY,
Dec 3/84 District Attorney.
No 2 pleading guilty.
A True Bill.

Wad Macclagh

No. 1 - pleads guilty Mar 28 / 84

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Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 39 Maiden Lane Street, aged 39 years,
occupation Turner being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 22nd day of November 1888 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:

One Seal Muff of the value of eighteen
Dollars One Seal Box valued at Twenty Dollars
One Lynx Muff of the value of Fifteen Dollars
One Seal Bag of the value of eight Dollars and
One Lynx Skin of the value of five Dollars altogether
of the value of sixty six Dollars
the property of Deponent

Sworn to before me, this
day of November 1888
at New York
Police Justice.

has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Michael Harrison and Marko
Levy (both now here) from the fact that
deponent saw the said defendants at
a show case in front of the above premises
attempting to open the said show case and
forcing or trying open said show case with
some instrument then and there held in their
hands and Officer Charles Hagan of the first
Precinct Police found a screw driver in the
possession of said Harrison which fitted
indentations made in said show case

wherefore deponent charges the said defendants
with attempting to force open said show case and
attempting to take steal and carry away the same
James A Brodie

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 44 years, occupation Police Officer of No. First Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of James A. Brodie
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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Charles Hagan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Michael Harrison 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

Michael Harrison

Question. How old are you?

Answer

17 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

16 B Orchard Street 14 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Shoe Maker

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

Answer.

I am guilty Michael Harrison

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Marko Levy
Marko

Taken before me this
day of

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 Michael Harrison

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

Dated Nov 22 188 4 J. J. Duffy Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James A. Brodie
39 Madison Lane
Michael Harrison
Marta Leroy

Dated NOV 24 1884

Dr. J. M. H. Magistrate.
H. J. H. Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses
No. Street.

No. Street,

No. Street.
to answer Sessions.

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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

Michael Harrison and Mark S. Levy

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Michael Harrison and Mark S. Levy* of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *Second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Michael Harrison and Mark S. Levy* each —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22nd* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one mule of the value of fifteen dollars, one cow of the value of twenty dollars, one other mule of the value of fifteen dollars, one bag of the value of eight dollars, and one bag of the value of five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *James A. Bradie*, —

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.

Peter B. Brady
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Harvey, Robert

DATE:

11/26/84



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Witness
Emma K. Porter
Emma Haley
Sgt. Constable

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Counsel, McClelland
Filed 20 day of Nov. 1884
Pleads Not Guilty 20

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Robert Harvey
Burglary, Grand Larceny, and Robbery
Degree, and Forgery, Grand Larceny, and Robbery
(Sections 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 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)

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN MCKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
H. MacLachlan
Dec 4/84
Foreman
Fred J. MacLachlan

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Anna a Porter

Cross Examined

I locked my door at 9 o'clock
in the evening ^{and} no other person
was in the house and at one
o'clock I heard somebody go
down stairs ^{and} then I went to
the front window ^{and} the person I
heard going down stairs went
out the front door ^{and} I saw him
my door is nearer 12th Street ^{and}
this person crossed over the street
^{and} crossed to 6th Ave ^{and} they stood
there a few minutes ^{and} I lost sight
of it was a few minutes from the
time I saw them until I lost
sight of them, I saw the whole part
of him as he was facing me.
He came out the front door ^{and}
went towards 12th Street crossed
6th Ave & stood on the opposite
corner. from the time I saw him
until I lost sight of him it was
just about as much time as
it would take for a man to walk
across. I kept my eyes on him
all the time I could distinguish
his features from the other side of the
street.

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The electric light was new my
house at the time

Given to before me
this 41st day of November 1854

Emma D. Porter

Samuel D. Porter

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Robert Harney, being sworn says.
I heard the statement of the Com-
plainant. I deny it I did not do it
on the night of the 31st of Oct
at 1 o'clock I was in bed; at 1⁴⁰
Worship place. I had nothing to do
with the taking of the property

I come to before me
this 4th day of Nov 1884

P Harney

Sam'l C. R. P. J. Deane

Lillian Harney, being
sworn says, I am the wife
of the prisoner; I remember the
night of the 31st of October Blain's
Procession being over to Lady's House
where my husband lived I was
in company with my husband
on that night and he was in bed with
me at 1 o'clock that night at Wor-
ship place. He came in the house at 9
or 10 o'clock about 11 o'clock was

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the latest he came in as he
didn't go out again that night
I saw Mrs Porter since I showed
away from there weeks ago last
week day. As asked me to come
around and help hang some pictures
I will tell your fortune for nothing
she did not tell me her pictures
were taken I went there at 9 o'clock
in the morning she promised she
would get me work.

From before me } Mrs. Loring
this 21st day of November 1884 }

Daniel C. Reilly For a Justice

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Police Court— 3^d District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:Emma A. Porter
of No. 142 6th Avenue Street, aged 40 years,
occupation House keeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 142 6th Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling houseon the 15th Ward,
and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling and furnished room house
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Emma A. Porterwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly Opening the
front hall door and then opening the bed
room door on the 3^d floor by means
of a key.on the 31st day of October 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Four Steel Engravings
Being of the Value of
One hundred dollars.

the property of Deponent

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

Robert Harvey (now free)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That on said night said
premises were securely locked and fastened
that at or about the hour of one o'clock
on the morning of the aforesaid day
while deponent was looking from
a front window in said premises, he
saw said Harvey leave the said
premises with the said property under
this accus. that deponent immediately

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thereafter went to said room, where
said property was ^{and} found the door of said
room open ^{and} said property gone, That
no other person was in said room
excepting said Harney. ^{and} Deponent fully
identifies said Harney as the person
he saw leaving said premises with
said property in his possession ^{and} charges
him with having taken ^{and} carried
away the said property.

Sworn to before me
this 21st day of November 1884 Emma A. Porter

Samuel C. Beckwith Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

22 District Police Court.

Robert Sharney 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. *Robert Sharney.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *145 Horsey Place 3 weeks.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Cutter.*

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge
R Sharney

Taken before me this

21st

day of

November 1888

Samuel O'Reilly
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 157
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 November 21 1884 Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court

1737 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amund A. Porter
172 6th St.

Robert Harvey

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Dated

November 31st 188

O'Reilly Magistrate.

Roland W. Healy Officer.

Co. Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

\$ 15⁰⁰ to answer

Sessions.

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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 Harvey

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Robert Harvey* —

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

The said *Robert Harvey* —

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *31st* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* with force and arms, about the hour of *one* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of *one Emma A. Porter*, —

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter,

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, *one the said Emma A. Porter* within the said dwelling house, the said

— *Robert Harvey* —
then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods chattels and personal property of *the said Emma A. Porter* —
— 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.

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SECOND COUNT.

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

~~Robert Stanley~~
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE ~~First~~ DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said ~~Robert Stanley~~

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said ~~thirtieth~~
~~thirtieth~~ day of ~~October~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-~~four~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the
~~month~~ time of said day, with force and arms,

~~four~~ ~~words~~ of art, ~~namely~~
~~called~~ ~~magicians~~, of the value
of ~~twenty~~ ~~dollars~~ each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one ~~Emma A. Porter~~
~~said Emma A. Porter~~ — in the dwelling house of ~~one~~ ~~the~~
in the dwelling house aforesaid, then and there being found
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.

~~Peter B. O'Dwyer~~
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

1602

DESCRIPTION:

Hatfield, George

DATE:

11/26/84



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Witnesses:

Isabella Wise

Counsel,

Filed *26* day of *Nov* 18*84*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Hatfield

Grand Larceny, second degree
[Sections 628, 681, 685 Penal Code]

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm Macclay
2436 Mo St
Forfeited
Pleads guilty
Nov 25. 1884

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4th District Police Court.

George Hatfield

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 Hatfield*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Pennsylvania*

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

Answer. *I have been stopping in Lodging House for a couple of months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Brickman, wheelwright*

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

Answer. *I have nothing to say I was found in the house, I don't enter it with the intention to steal.*

George Hatfield

Taken before me this

day of *November*

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at 10:00 PM

Police Justice.

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Police Court—

14th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No.

58 Met 51st

occupation

Keehouse

Street, aged 60 years,

deposes and says, that on the

21st

day of

November

1884 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:

Clothing, Junlry, and other articles
of wearing apparel and household
goods of the value of one hundred
dollars and more.

the property of

deponent & James L. Mier her
husband

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

George Hatfield (nowhere)

from the fact that deponent caught
and detected said defendant in the
said premises with intent to take and
steal therefrom said property for
reason that said House is a private
House and that the defendant had
no business there in.

The deponent asks
that defendant be held to answer and
dealt with according to law.

Isabella Mier

Sworn to before me, this 21st day
of November 1884
at New York
City
Police Justice.

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Police Court, 14th District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Isabella, Mee
58 West 51st St.

George Hatfield

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Dated November 21 1884

Magistrate.
Officer.

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ 1500 to answer S. S. Sessions.

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

George Hatfield
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 November 21 1884

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

Dated 1884

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

Dated 1884

Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

George Washington

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
George Washington of the crime of
Attempting to commit
the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *Second* degree, committed
as follows:

The said *George Washington*,

late of the *9th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
on the *twentieth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

did unlawfully and feloniously
steal and carry away
and purloin to the said *George Washington*
various articles of personal property
to the value of seventy five dollars,
and did unlawfully and feloniously
steal and carry away
and purloin to the said *George Washington*
various articles of personal property
to the value of
twenty dollars;

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *James A. White,*

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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Grand COUNT.

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

of the CRIME OF Unlawfully entering and
committing as follows:

The said

late of the 19th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, on the
Twenty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
a certain building there situate to wit:
the dwelling house of one James G.
Wise, unlawfully did enter, with in-
tent to steal, take and carry away against
the peace of the said County of New York,
in the said dwelling house then and
there being then and then feloniously
to steal, take and carry away against
the peace of the said County in such
manner as was made and provided by law
the peace of the people of the
State of New York and their dignity.

Peter B. O'Meara

District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hayden, Joseph

DATE:

11/21/84



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Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Nov 1884

Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs. *F*
Joseph Hayden
Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,
[Sections 498, Penal Code]

PETER B. OLNEY,

Pr. Atty. Gen. District Attorney.

Ple. ad. guilty S.P. 2 1/2 yrs.
A True Bill.

Wm Macleod

Foreman

Witness Officer

Witnesses:

Charles J. [Signature]

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Court of Special Sessions
City of New York

The People

- vs -

John Henderson

Before Justices

Smith, Kilbreth

and Ford

Nov^r 14th 1884

Doreenah Sullivan, the Complain-
ing witness being duly sworn testified as follows:-

(By the Court-)

Q - You are an officer attached to the 4th Precinct?
A - Yes Sir.

Q - On the 11th day of November, did you see this
defendant, John Henderson?

A - Yes Sir.

Q - Whereabouts?

A - In front of the Sun office in Nassau Street
Q - What did you see him doing?

A - I saw him put his hand like this
(indicating) in front of a gentleman, and
get hold of his watch and chain;
and I arrested him. A gentleman
about fifteen minutes previously came
up to me and told me that he lost his
watch -

Q - Did you see him put his hand on the
clothing of the gentleman?

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a - No, Sir; I did not give him time.

He proffered me two dollars, if I would let up on him

2 Had you seen him there before?

a - No Sir

2 You say that he had hold of the chain?

a - Yes Sir

2 Did he put his hand upon the clothing at all?

a - I did not see him

2 Or upon the man's person in any way?

a - He stood in front of the man, like this, (indicating), and put his hands over

2 He did not touch him in any way, except, as you describe, by taking hold of the chain?

a - That is all, Sir

The Court - Case transferred to the Court of General Sessions. The evidence discloses a felony - Prisoner Remanded.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

of 4th Precinct Jeremiah Sullivan
Street, aged 35 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 11 day of November 1884

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, John Henderson
(now here) did then and there while
on Nassau Street in front of the office of
the newspaper known as the New York Sun
assault an unknown person by placing
his hand on the clothing worn by said
unknown person with the intent to steal
Jeremiah Sullivan

Sworn to before me, this 12 day
of November 1884

William J. Smith
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT 18 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

John Henderson

On Complaint of

Jeremiah Sullivan

For

Assault with intent
to steal

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

Dated 12 Nov 1887

Andrew J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

John X Henderson
Mark

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

John Henderson 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

John Henderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer

17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

Cherry St about 3 days

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 not guilty

John X Henderson
mark

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

John Henderson
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 12 Nov 188 *J. Anderson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE OF
IN THE COMPLAINT OF

Jeremiah Sullivan

H² vs. Pect.

John Henderson

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Dated

12 March 1884

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Magistrate.

Officer.

H Precinct.

Witnesses

Transferred to Prison
Evidence showing
attempt at larceny
from the person

No.

\$ 300 to answer

Guarantee

Offence Assault with
intent to steal

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CORRECTION

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hayden, Joseph

DATE:

11/21/84



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Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Nov

1884

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs. F

Joseph Hayden

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,

[Sections 498, 500 Code]

PETER B. OLNEY,

22 Nov 24/84 District Attorney.

Pleaded guilty, S.P. 2 1/2 yrs.

A True Bill.

Wm MacLag

Foreman

Presiding Officer.

Witnesses:

Charles A. L. [Signature]

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Police Court 1st District.

City and County
of New York

of No. 21 South

occupation Proprietor of

deposes and says, that the premises No. 21 South
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being an

Charles L Hatch

Street, aged 42 years,

being duly sworn

Street,

and which was occupied by deponent as an Office

and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking

the glass of the door leading from
the street into said office.

on the 10 day of November 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of mens wearing apparel
of the value of Ten Dollars

the property of

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

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

Joseph Hayden, now here

for the reasons following, to wit: That Deponent is informed by

Officer Hammond of the 1st Police Precinct

that he (Hammond) found said Hayden

concealed in said premises at about

3:30 P.M. on the date aforesaid and

found the desks in said office forced

open - That said Hayden had no right

to be on said premises

Deponent before me this 11th day of November 1884
Charles L Hatch

Char L Hatch

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Police Officer of No. Samuel Hammond
1st Police Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles Hatch

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

Sworn to before me, this 11th day of March 1888 by Samuel Hammond

Charles Hatch
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

Joseph Hayden 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 Hayden

Question. How old are you?

Answer

48 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

282 East 4 St. 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Copier

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 Hayden

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Whitely
21 South St.

Joseph Whitely

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Offence

Burglary

Dated

11 Nov 1887

Attest, Magistrate.

Manuel Hammond

27 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

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

Joseph Whitely
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 11 Nov 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1887 _____ 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 _____ 1887 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Charles D. Hatch
21 South St.
Joseph Warden
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Offence Burglary

Dated 11 November 188
A. J. White Magistrate.
Samuel Hammond Secy.

Witnesses Officer Precinct. 27
No. _____ Street. _____
No. _____ Street. _____
No. _____ Street. _____
No. _____ Street. _____

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

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named _____
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Four Hundred Dollars until he give such bail.
Dated 11 Nov 188
I have admitted the above named _____
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated _____ 188
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated _____ 188
Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph Hayden

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

Joseph Hayden

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

The said *Joseph Hayden*,

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain *part of a* building there situate, to wit: the *office* of one *Charles S.*

Dratch,

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

Charles S. Dratch

in the said *office*, — 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.

Peter B. Olney
District Attorney

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BOX:

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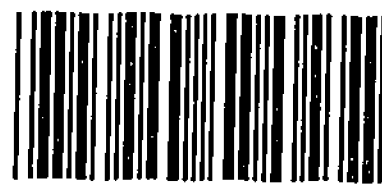
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DESCRIPTION:

Henderson, John

DATE:

11/17/84



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Witnesses:

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Counsel,

Filed 17 day of Nov 1884

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THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Olander son
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,

Dec 3/84 District Attorney.
Pleads guilty of the above.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. O. Macleay
Foreman

July 3/85

Invested

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Court of Special Sessions
City of New York

The People

- vs -

John Henderson

Before Justices

Smith, Kilbeth

and Ford

Nov^r 14th 1884

Dreemah Sullivan, the Complain-
ing witness being duly sworn testified as follows:-
(By the Court-)

Q - You are an officer attached to the 4th Precinct?
A - Yes Sir.

Q - On the 11th day of November, did you see this
defendant, John Henderson?
A - Yes Sir.

Q - Whereabouts?

A - In front of the Tax office in Nassau Street
Q - What did you see him doing?

A - I saw him put his hand like this
(indicating) in front of a gentleman, and
get hold of his watch and chain;
and I arrested him. A gentleman
about fifteen minutes previously came
up to me and told me that he lost his
watch -

Q - Did you see him put his hand on the
clothing of the gentleman?

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a - No, Sir; I did not give him time.

He proffered me ten dollars, if I would let-up on him

Q Had you seen him there before?

a - No Sir

Q You say that he had hold of the chain?

a - Yes Sir

Q Did he put his hand upon the clothing at all?

a - I did not see him

Q Or upon the man's person in any way?

a - He stood in front of the man, like this, (indicating), and put his hands over

Q He did not touch him in any way, except as you describe, by taking hold of the chain?

a - That is all, Sir

The Court - Case transferred to the Court of General Sessions. The evidence discloses a felony - Prisoner Remanded.



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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT

1st DISTRICT.

of No. 4th Precinct Jeremiah Sullivan
Street, aged 35 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 11 day of November 1884

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, John Henderson

(now here) did then and there while
on Nassau Street in front of the office of
the newspaper known as the New York Sun
assault an unknown person by placing
his hand on the clothing worn by said
unknown person with the intent to steal
Jeremiah Sullivan

Sworn to before me, this
of November 1884 day

Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss.:

POLICE COURT 18 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

John Henderson

On Complaint of

Jeremiah Sullivan

For

Assault with intent
to steal

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

Dated 12 Nov 1887

Andrew J. White

Police Justice.

John X Henderson
Mark

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Sec. 198-200.

1 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss

John Henderson 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

John Henderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer

17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

Cherry St about 3 days

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 not guilty

*his
John X Henderson
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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

John Henderson
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 12 Nov 188 X Andrew J. M. H. Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court ¹⁷⁴³ District.

THE PEOPLE vs.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jeremiah Sullivan

H² vs. Peet

John Henderson

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Offence Assault with
intent to steal

Dated 12 November 1884

Magistrate.

Officer.

H Precinct.

Witnesses _____

Transferred to _____

Evidence showing
attempt at larceny
from the person.

No. _____ Street.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Henderson

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

John Henderson
of the Crime of Attempting to commit
the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the Second degree, committed as follows:

The said John Henderson,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
eleventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-four, in the day time of the said day, at the Ward; City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of one hundred
dollars, -

and one chain of the value of fifty
dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one a certain male person, whose
name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
on the person of the said person,
then and there being found, from the person of the said person,
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.

Peter B. Olney,

District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hernandez, Joseph

DATE:

11/28/84



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Dear Mr. [illegible]
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.
 Very respectfully,
 [illegible]

~~PETER B. OLNEY,
WHEELER & BECKHAM~~

I, Wm. W. W. W. of the County of ... State of ...
 do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears from the records of the said Court.
 Witness my hand and seal of office this 1st day of Jan 1884.
 J. A. True Bill, District Attorney.

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FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE
Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

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FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE
Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To Florence Lopez
of No. 274 - 4 Ave Street,

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you appear in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the 9 day of APRIL instant, at the hour of ten in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

GREETING:

Joseph Hernandez
in a case of Felony, whereof he stands indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of

APRIL, in the year of our Lord 1885

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

PART 1.

THE COURT-ROOM IS IN THE SECOND 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.

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SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To Bartolo Ablo

of No. 274 - 4th Ave Street,

GREETING:

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Joe. Hernandez
in a case of Felony, whereof *he stands* indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of APRIL, in the year of our Lord 1888

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

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Office about it, and you will be served.

If inconvenient to remain, and you state this early to the District Attorney

If ill when served, please send timely

Attorney's office.

If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

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

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

Joseph Hernandez

and County of New York, ss.:

George G. Banger

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 339

East 22^d

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the

City of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the

day

April

1885, I called at

No. 274 - 4th Avenue

alleged

residence of Bartolo Ablo and Florence Lopez

witnesses

the complainant herein, to serve them with the annexed subpoena and was informed by John Lopez that Florence Lopez ~~was~~ is his daughter that she had eloped with the said Bartolo Ablo. That he was informed that they had gone to Florida, where they now are.

Sworn to before me, this

9th day

1885

of April
Rudolph L. Scharf
County of Deedman

George G. Banger
Subpoena Server

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSION

The People, &c.

Joseph L. Semmes
vs
[Signature]

Tested & sworn to

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Court of General Sessions

The People

vs

Joseph Hernandez

Witnesses

for

the

People

Florence Lopez

272 ave 4

Bartolo Avalo

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Gabriel Matera

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James D. Hutchison (Police officer) 29th Precinct

Todorro Hugat

272 ave 4

Filberto Aguilar No 5. 26th Ave

Enrique Toro

159 West 23rd St

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Count of Paul Harrison

The People

AS

Joseph Hernandez

~~William H~~
~~Payroll~~
Larabee

Count for

Count for
Del. Aaron J. J. J.

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Court of General Sessions

The People

vs
Joseph Hernandez }
City & County of New York vs:-

Josee Lazarrade being duly sworn
says that he is the attorney for
John Lopez the complainant
in the above entitled cause
of action, that the two principal
witnesses herein for the pro-
secution, namely Bartolo Avalo
and Filorance Lopez, are out
of the jurisdiction of the Court
said to be in the State of
Florida,

Summons return

This 9th day of April 1888

Rudolph L. Scharf Josee Lazarrade

Court. of Dec.
N.Y. City & Co.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

The People, &c.

vs
Joseph Hernandez

OFFENCE

RANDOLPH E. HARTLEY
District Attorney

JESSE LARRABEE.
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
206 B' WAY, N. Y.

People
vs
Joseph & Hernandez
New York Feb'y 1888
Hon Randolph B. Martine
Dear Sir

I beg to say, as
attorney for John Lopez Esq
the complainant in the above
civil case of action
that the two principal witnesses
for the people are absent,
one of whom, Florence Lopez,
daughter of our Lopez, has
been abducted, and that
every effort is being made
to ascertain her exact whereabouts

Yours Truly
Jesse Larrabee

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Hernandez

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Hernandez
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New trial granted

Principal witness
for the People
gone to Cuba
I am told.

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New York County Court
of General Sessions
The People
vs

Joseph Hernandez
known with distinction
Joseph Hernandez

To Peter B. Olney Esq
Secty atty for the City & County of
New York

Alone took notice that the defendant
Joseph Hernandez did name this Court
as a judge thereof held in fact two
as the Court House of said Court before
his Honor Alexander Swayne on the 8th
day of December 1888. at 11 o'clock in
the forenoon in some confusion occurred
can be heard for a number of years
the ground of nearly deceased evidence
and surprise and for such other and
further relief which may be required or to the
Court may seem fit

Yours truly
John B. Olney
att'y for the defendant
181 Broadway
New York City

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New York County Court
of General Sessions

The People of the
State of New York

Against

Fernandez
named as the Defendant
Hernandez

State of New York

City and County of New York S.S.

John S. Bailey being duly sworn says that he is an attorney and counselor at law, and the attorney for the defendant above named. That on the 28th day of November 1884, the above named defendant was indicted by the Grand Jury of the City and County of New York for Burglary in the third degree, arraigned and pleaded Not Guilty, to the indictment in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace of the City and County of New York before Hon. Justice Eldon upon the 1st day of December 1884, and tried and convicted, no part of said Court before ^{his} Hon. Justice Smyth on the 3rd day of December 1884. Defendant further says that he was present in Court with the defendant as his attorney on the entry of his plea of Not Guilty. That defendant thereupon

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requested of John Vincent Esq. the Assistant District Attorney of the City and County of New York to Adjourn the trial until Tuesday December 7th 1884. That the said Vincent thereupon consented and expressly agreed that the trial be adjourned to December 7th 1884. and took defendant to see Hugh Donnelly Esq. a clerk in the office of the said District Attorney. Defendant thereupon immediately saw the said Donnelly and stated to him what had been said by the said Vincent, and requested that he mark the indictment the date of adjournment. That the said Donnelly stated to defendant he could not mark the adjournment on the indictment as he did not have it but to see the clerk in the Court, and he would mark it. Defendant then went directly back to the Court and saw Edmund Hall Esq. the clerk in Court one of said Court and stated to him what Donnelly had said. That said Hall replied to defendant that he could not mark the adjournment on the indictment that it was said Donnelly's place to do it, and directed defendant to again see Mr. Donnelly. Defendant then called again upon Mr. Donnelly stating to him what Hall had said to defendant

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and again requested to reach the adjournment
as first directed to do by the said Vincent.
That said Vincent refused, giving as his
reason that the indictment was then in
Park one, and he did not have it.
Defendant immediately thereafter again
spoke to the said Vincent, who was still
in Park one of said Court, and asked him
what he defendant should do. Vincent
replied that it would be all right, he
would attend to it. Defendant relying upon
the assurance of the said Vincent, left the
Court room. Defendant further says he
again met the said Vincent ^{the day or two after} in the Chamber
of the Supreme Court, with County Clerk Hume
and again reminded ^{him} of the case. The said
Vincent then stated to defendant he remembered
the case, that it was all right and would
not be tried until Tuesday December 9th
1884. Defendant further says that on
Friday December 4th 1884 in the morning he
for the first time learned that the
defendant had been tried and convicted
for burglary to the third degree before ^{his} Honor
^{Recorded} Justice Smyth in Park two of said Court
on the third day of December. That
upon learning such facts defendant
called immediately upon the said Vincent

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and showed to him the indictment and
indictment charge of Trial and Conviction -
That at said interview the said Vincent
admitted to defendant the stipulation of
adjournment to December 7th 1884. But through
some oversight of Mr Donnelly it was not
marked in the indictment, and hence the
trial was had - and now that the trial was
had he did not see how he could do
anything more in the matter. Defendant
further says he fully relied upon the
stipulation of adjournment to December 7th
1884 given by the said Vincent, and for
this reason did not watch the daily
✓ Calendars of the Court. Defendant further
says that from a statement of the case
made in the action, made to defendant by
the defendant defendant truly believes
that defendant has a good and substantial
defense upon the merits ~~but~~
~~that~~ to the charges set forth in the said
indictment - Defendant further shows
upon information and belief that by the
statements made to defendant by six
different persons who have each stated
to defendant that they know the general
reputation of John L. Thompson
and

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Defendant further shows that by the statements made herein by John Perry of No 758. Second Avenue. City of New York. Pacific Reef. of No 95. Upper Third City of New York. Frank Jones No 1076. 1st Avenue New York City whose affidavits are hereto annexed defendant truly believes he can successfully impeach John Lopez and thus that the testimony of Thomas Lopez ought not to be believed. undersigned. witnesses sworn under oath of the people upon the testimony taken before me under my oath Dec 3, 1884. Defendant further says that he heard for the first time of Saturday Dec 6: 1884 from Raymond Newman. John Perry Pacific Reef whose affidavits are hereto annexed facts which are material to the issue and go to the merits of the case as well as more fully appear by the affidavits hereto annexed. and to which reference is made.

Wherefore by reason of the facts aforesaid defendant prays that a new trial may be granted him on account herein.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Dec 1884

Henry Morgenthau

Notary Public

N. Y. Co.

John Perry

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New York County Clerk
of General Session
The People

vs
Joseph Fernandez
named in the indictment
Joseph Hernandez

County of New York ss: John Perry
being duly sworn says that he is
resides at No 958. 2nd Avenue New York
City. That he is a cigar maker
by trade. That he is employed in
the factory of Raymond Warner
& Co. with City of New York and was
working there on the 5th day of November
1884. That on said 5th day of November
1884 at between half past seven
and eight o'clock with Perry that
day on the bring of the factory in
company with the defendants
Joseph Fernandez and Ramfilax
Ruiz and Charles Hayes. walked
up ~~the~~ second Avenue to between
39 & 40th Street, with City of New York
with him of defendant and he then
left them. Defendant says he did not tell them
anything about the factory for said time.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 10th day of November 1884
Notary Public
Matthias P. Sullivan

John Perry

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New York County Court
of General Sessions
The People

vs.

Joseph Fernandez
~~named in the indictment~~
Joseph Fernandez -

County of New York ss.

Raymond Munroe being
duly sworn says he resides at
No 343 East 5th Street in the city
of New York. That he is a member
of the firm of R Munroe & Bro doing
business at No 211 to 229 East
33rd Street in the city of New York in
the manufacture of cigars. That
defendant is well acquainted with
Joseph Fernandez defendant
above named. That ~~defendant~~
~~defendant~~ on November 5th 1884

the said Fernandez performed
work for defendant at his factory
and worked for defendant during
hours including the time of his
arrest to wit in or about November
20th 1884. Defendant further says
that the said defendant
Joseph Fernandez did work

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learn the fact of defendant
on the 5th day of November 1884
until at least half past seven
at night. and went away with
and his company with Panfilo Ruiz
~~and Charles Rojas~~ ^{and Charles Rojas} and John Perry
Defendant for this says this is the
first time defendant has sealed
this fact to John C. Bailey the
attorney for the defendant
from before this Harmony Morris
6th day of December 1884
Matthew McGowan
Notary Public
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Many of the County Clerk
of General Sessions

The people

and

Joseph T. J. and
named in the indictment
Joseph T. J. and

County of New York &

Paul Gillet Reitz

being duly sworn says that he
resides at No. 95 Bleecker Street in
the City of New York. That he is a cigar
maker by trade. That he is employed
with the Family of ~~the~~ Raymond Warner
Mrs. with the City of New York and was
working there ~~on~~ 5th day of November
1884. That on said 5th day of November
1884. at between half past seven
and eight with ~~the~~ ^{being} of that day
in company with the defendant
Joseph T. J. and Charles Kayas
and John Perry. They walked up
Second Avenue to between 39th and
40th Street City of New York to the house
of Perry and then left him.
That defendant, the defendant Joseph
T. J. and Charles Kayas together
took a Second Avenue Car to ~~the~~

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It was then, and went from there
to the Perry and took in supper -
and went from there together
to - 95 Blue Street where ~~the~~
deposition lies. Dependent further
says she remained with the
defendant. Tomorrow - and Mary
and one Chrysothel until at least
Eleven o'clock ^{at night} when defendant was
deposed further says he did not tell the jury
that the jury for defendant until ~~the~~ ^{the} jury
up claim to bed. ~~Samilo~~ ^{Samilo} ~~Drill~~ ^{Drill}

Ann before me this

16th day of Dec 1894
Matthew Rogers
Notary Public
My Co

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New York County Clerk
of General Sessions.
The People

vs

Joseph Hernandez
named in the indictment
Joseph Hernandez
County of New York vs

John Perez being duly sworn
says he resides at No 758, Second
Avenue in the City of New York and
a cigar maker by trade. That he
is well acquainted with John Lopez
that he knows his general reputation
for truth and veracity in the
community in which he resides by
the speech of people. That the
reputation of John Lopez ~~and~~
for truth and veracity is good
and that defendant could not
believe him under oath in a
case in which he was interested
as a witness.

Sworn to before me this
6th day of December 1884 John Perez
Matthew Rogers
Notary Public
N.Y. Co

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New York County Court
of Second Session

The People

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Joseph Hernandez
~~and named as the~~
~~indemnitor~~
Joseph Hernandez

County of New York ss

Paul J. Rios, No 95 - Clerk of the Court and Frank J. Rios, No 1076, 1st
Deputy of New York City each being

legally sworn deposes and says
that he is well acquainted with
John Lopez of No. 272, 4th Avenue
New York City. That each for himself
says that he knows the general
reputation of John Lopez for truth
and veracity in the community in
which he resides by the speech
of people. That the reputation of
John Lopez for truth and veracity
is good and would not believe
him under oath in a case in
which he was interested.

Sworn before me

this 6th day of Dec 1894

Matthew Higgins SAMUEL RIOS

Nolan Phillips

By C.D.

Francisco Torres

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New York County Court
of General Sessions
The People
vs

Joseph Hernandez
named in the indictment
Joseph Hernandez

County of New York ss.

Paulino Ruiz No 95 Bleeker Street
and Frank Morris No 1076 1st
Avenue both of New York City being
duly sworn each for himself says
that he is well acquainted with
Florence Lopez No 272 4th Avenue
New York City. That each of them
by reason of the influence of
her father John Lopez over her
he would not believe her words
or acts in a case where her
father was interested as a witness
even before me the

6th day of December 1884
Matthew August
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

Paulino Ruiz
Frank Morris
Witnesses

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New York County Court
of General Sessions
The People
vs

Joseph Fernandez
~~named as the defendant~~
Joseph Fernandez

County of New York ss. of No 75-8. 2nd Jan. 1891
John Perry, being duly
sworn says, he is well acquainted
with Thomas Lopez. That by reason
of the influence of his father
John Lopez over him, he would
not believe his under oath in
a case in which his father
was interested or a witness
seen to before me this
6th day of December John Perry
Matthew Nugent
Notary Public
New York

County Court of
General Session

The People

vs

Joseph T. Tamm
and
Joseph Tamm

vs
The People
and
The People
vs
The People

John & C. Bailey
vs
The People
vs
The People

vs
The People
vs
The People
vs
The People

vs
The People
vs
The People
vs
The People

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District Attorney's Office
City & County of
New York

The People & July 1st 1885
vs
Joseph Hernandez }

I am satisfied that the
defendant herein cannot
be convicted without the tes-
timony of Florence Lopez and
Bartolo Able both of whom
are out of this State - I think
therefore it is useless to keep
the defendant longer in prison
awaiting trial as it will not
be possible to produce above
named witnesses.

John Lopez

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE
in and for the City and County of New-York.

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The People of the State of New-York :
- against - :
Joseph Fernandez. :
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On the affidavit of Joseph Fernandez, dated February 5', 1885, and on the order of Recorder Smyth, dated the same day, it is hereby stipulated and agreed by the District Attorney and by the Counsel for the defendant that the testimony of Panfilo Ruiz be taken de bene esse, and that the same may be used by the prosecution or defendant on the trial of said defendant with the same effect as if the said witness were sworn and testified upon the said trial.

PANFILO RUIZ, being duly sworn, through an interpreter, deposes and testifies as follows:

BY JOHN S. C. BAILEY, ESQ. -

Q. You know the defendant, Joseph Fernandez?

A. Yes.

Q. And do you know John Lopez?

A. Yes.

Q. And you know that this defendant is charged with stealing some things from the house of John Lopez?

A. Yes.

Q. Now, did you see the defendant, Fernandez, on the 5' of November? 1884

A. Yes.

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Q. Where was it that you saw him?

A. He was working in the same factory with me.

Q. What factory?

A. Monne's.

Q. Were you working there all day?

A. Yes.

Q. Was Fernandez working there all day?

A. Yes.

Q. Did you leave the factory with the defendant, Fernandez, that day?

A. Yes.

Q. Was anybody with you besides Fernandez?

A. Yes.

Q. Who was with you?

A. John Perez, Haya, myself and Fernandez.

Q. What time was it that you left the factory together?

A. Between half past seven and eight P. M.

Q. Now, where did you go; did you go with Fernandez to any place?

A. Yes.

Q. Where did you go?

A. To Second Avenue.

Q. Where did you go in Second Avenue?

A. We went to the house of John Perez.

Q. Who went with you to the house of John Perez?

A. Fernandez, Haya, myself and Perez.

Q. Where did you go on Second Avenue?

A. Between 39' and 40' streets.

Q. Why did you go there?

A. Just for pleasure.

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Q. Did John Perez live there?

A. Yes.

Q. What did John Perez do when they went up to 39' and 40' streets?

A. John Perez stayed in the house alone.

Q. Is that where John Perez lives?

A. Yes.

Q. What did you then do?

A. After that Haya, Fernandez and I took the Second Avenue cars.

Q. Where did you go?

A. As far as Houston street.

Q. What did you do then?

A. Then we went to the Bowery.

Q. What did you do at the Bowery?

A. Went to a restaurant and took lunch.

Q. What did you do after you got through lunch?

A. Went to No. 95 Bleecker street.

Q. What did you do at No. 95 Bleecker street?

A. We were playing pool there.

Q. How long did you play pool?

A. We were there until 11, all of us.

Q. What time was it you got to the restaurant in the Bowery?

A. About half past nine.

Q. Did you walk up Second Avenue to 40' street, or ride on the street cars, after leaving the factory?

A. We walked up; it is only four blocks.

Q. Do you know John Lopez?

A. Yes.

Q. Do you know what people say about him, as to his character

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for truth and veracity?

A. No.

Q. What people say of him?

A. Yes.

Q. What do they say about John Lopez?

A. That he is a bad man and would use any means to gratify his revenge.

Q. Do you know Florence, the daughter of John Lopez?

A. Yes.

Q. Did you work there in John Lopez's factory?

A. Yes.

Q. How long did you work there?

A. One week.

Q. Do you know what people say of Florence Lopez, as to her character for truth and veracity?

A. The girl has got a good reputation as far as I know.

CROSS-EXAMINATION BY MR. PURDY -

Q. How long have you known the defendant, Joseph Fernandez?

A. Between five and six years.

Q. Did you see Fernandez on the 4' day of November?

A. No.

Q. Did you see him on the 3rd. day of November?

A. I was working that day with him.

Q. The 3rd. day of November?

A. Yes.

Q. Do you know what time Fernandez left off work on the 3rd. day of November?

A. No.

Q. Did you see him on the 2nd. day of November?

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A. No.

Q. How long had Fernandez been working with you in Monne's factory?

A. When I went to work there I found Fernandez there already.

Q. When did you go to work there?

A. I was only four days in New-York when I went to work there.

Q. What month was that?

A. To the best of my knowledge it is five months now altogether; I can't remember very well.

Q. And all this time Fernandez has been working there with you?

A. He was working there with me the day they arrested him.

Q. Do they work by the job or day?

A. By the piece.

Q. And you can leave work any time you wish; you have no set hours?

A. Yes.

Q. You can leave at any time?

A. Yes.

Q. No set hours for work?

A. No.

Q. How do you fix the 5' day of November?

A. Because it was the day after election.

Q. What day of the week did you go up to Second Avenue with Fernandez?

A. I don't remember.

Q. What kind of a day was it that you say you walked up Second Avenue to 39' and 40' streets with the defendant?

A. It was about entering winter time.

Q. Was it a cold or warm day?

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A. It was a little colder.

Q. Did it rain that day?

A. Yes.

Q. What time did it rain?

A. I can't remember that.

Q. What time did you go to work that morning?

A. Seven A. M.

Q. Didn't you just testify that you saw Fernandez and were working with him on the 3rd. of November?

A. No, I did not see him on the 3rd.

Q. Did you see him on the 2nd.?

A. No.

Q. Did you see him on the 1st.?

A. No.

Q. Did you see him on the 31st. of October?

A. I saw him that day walking with a lady.

Q. On the 31st. of October?

A. No.

Q. What day do you mean you saw him walking with a lady?

A. I made a mistake; he was walking with a young man.

Q. What day?

A. I don't remember.

Q. Are you going to leave town?

A. Yes. To-morrow I go to Key West, because my mother is sick and wants me to go there.

Q. How long before you took this walk up to 39' and 40' streets, to Perez's house, had you seen the defendant, Fernandez?

A. Two or three days.

Q. Where did you see him two or three days before that?

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A. Walking the street.

RE-DIRECT-EXAMINATION BY MR. BAILEY -

Q. Now, Fernandez, he had been working for Monne Brothers, had he not?

A. Yes.

Q. And he left Monne Brothers to go to Lopez to work?

A. I don't know.

Q. Didn't Fernandez come there for the first time in some weeks to Monne Brothers on the 5' day of November to work?

A. Yes.

Q. Fernandez was employed by Monne on the 5' day of November?

A. Yes.

Q. He came back there on the 5' day of November, did he, to work?

A. Yes.

Q. And you didn't mean to testify that he was there for five months steady up to the 5' day of November?

A. I can't say, because I only came to work there three or four days before that.

*Given to by me this
17th day of February 1937*

Pamphilo Ruiz

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Court of General Sessions.

The People

vs.

Joseph Hernandez.

—
Testimony of

Panfilo Ruiz.

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State of New York
City and County of New York J.S.

Joseph Hernandez
being duly sworn says he resides in the City
of New York. That at the November term of the
Court of General Sessions of the City and County
of New York he was indicted for Grand larceny.
That at the December term of said Court in
"Park Two" before Hon. Frederic Augustus Beender
defendant was tried and convicted under said
indictment. Defendant further shows that
thereafter and on or about January 3, 1885 -
an order was granted in the Court granting
a new trial to defendant. Defendant further
says that from the granting of the order
giving him a new trial defendant has ever
been ready and willing to proceed with the
trial but that as defendant is informed
and believes the people have been
unwilling to proceed with the trial because
of the absence of material witnesses in
their behalf from the State. Defendant
further says that Paul R. Ring who
resides at 95 Bleecker Street in the City
of New York is acquainted with all the facts
in the case and his evidence is very
material to defendant's defense in the action.
That said Paul R. Ring above named
is about to leave the State going to Key

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Not, Florida on Friday February 6th 1881
and for this reason will be unable to
attend the trial of this cause at any
subsequent time - Defendant further
says that this application is made in
good faith and that defendant has to
day for the first time learned that
the said King is about to depart
from this State or about stated
from before me this

5th day of January 1881 - For Hermann
Allan Seemidt
Notary Public
NY Co

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Bank of General Julius
for the City and County of New York
The People

Against

Joseph Hernandez
named in the indictment
Joseph Hernandez

On reading and filing the affidavit of
the above named defendant, who
appeared and in relation of John S. Bailey
his attorney it is hereby ordered that
Paulo Ruiz residing at 95-Bleecker
Street in the City and County of New York
be examined and detained before
Paulo Ruiz on the 5th
day of February 1885 - at the District
Attorneys Office

in the City of New York. a certified copy of
this order and of the annexed affidavit be
served on the district attorney of the City
and County of New York for the City

Dated and Subscribed

32 Chambers Street

February 5th 1885 -

For the City
J. W. M. R.
R. C.

Trust of General Services
of the City and County of New York
The People

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Joseph Fernandez
Humboldt's Instrument
Joseph Hernandez

Official and Order

8-2971205
401,2700

John J. Quilley

Referred to Dept. of Agriculture
Cambridge, 3. 1. 1900

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Police Court—2—District.

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

of No. 272 Fourth Avenue John Lopez
 occupation Segan Manufacturer Street, aged 46 years,
 deposes and says, that the premises No 274 Fourth Avenue being duly sworn
 in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a 272 Fourth Ave
 Drilling House
 and which was occupied by deponent as a Drilling House
 and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the
 front hall door leading into said
 premises with a key

on the 5th day of November 1884 in the night time, and the
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One satin dress, one plush cape & muff
 of the value of one hundred and some
 dollars

the property of deponent.

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

Joseph Hernandez (now free)

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent is informed by
 Florence Lopez that she saw said
 defendant open said hall door and
 immediately thereafter say about five
 minutes she saw said defendant
 leave said premises with a bundle
 in his said defendant's possession

John Lopez

Sworn to before me this 11th day of November 1884
 J. D. Kelly
 Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Florence Lopez

aged 16 years, occupation _____ of No.

274 Fourth Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John Lopez
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 20 }
day of Mar 188 } Lawrence Lopez

Samuel C. Kelly
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

Joseph Hernandez 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 Hernandez

Question How old are you?

Answer

20 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer

Cuba

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

Answer

Bleedun St 2 weeks

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Seegar maker

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

Answer

I am not guilty
Joseph Hernandez

Taken before me this

20

day of

188

Samuel C. McElroy
Police Justice.

0853

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

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

Dated *Nov 20* 188*4* *Sam'l A. Bell* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court

2

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Lopez
272 4th Av.

Joseph Hernandez

NOV 24 1934

Office Burglary

Dated Nov 20 1884

Do Reddy Magistrate.
x J O C Price Officer.
29 Precinct.

Witnesses x Florence Lopez
No. 274 4th Ave
Barboto Ablo

No. 274 4th Ave Street,
Gabriel Vatera

No. 274 4th Ave Street,
\$ 1000 to answer Sessions.

0855

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 J. Demarest

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

Frederick J. Demarest

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

The said *Frederick J. Demarest*

late of the *10th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *22nd* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*two*, with force and arms, about the hour
of *twelve* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of *John J. Demarest*

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 John J. Demarest*

— 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.

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SECOND COUNT.

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

Frederick Remond

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

The said *Frederick Remond*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the said
27th day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-*four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the
night time of said day, with force and arms,

one dress of the value of

twenty five dollars, -

one cape of the value of

twenty five dollars, -

and one muff of the

value of nine dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *John Barry* -
in the dwelling house of

the said John Barry

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

Robert B. O'Leary

District Attorney

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:
The said

District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Hernandez
Burglar - 3d -

The witnesses for
the People admit
of the State and there
seems to be no prob-
ability of being able
to produce them. I
consent that above
deft. be discharged
upon his own recog-
nizance.

July 15-1885

Charles B. Martine
District Attorney

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

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

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have (the said

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.

WHEELER H. PECKHAM, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1602

DESCRIPTION:

Hessert, Friedrich

DATE:

11/24/84



1602

Witness

John W. Irving
Edward McCabe
Sept 4th 1884

Verdict "Susanne"
committed to
Hudson River Capt
for Susanne -
N.Y.C.
Dec 10th 1884.

Counsel

Filed day of

Pleads

Nov 4th 1884

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Friedrich Hesse

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~WHEELER HARRISON~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Forfeign.

Hudson River State Hospital

Longhorough, N.Y. Oct. 24th 1884

John R. Fellows

Deceased - H. Thompson, N.Y.

Dr.

Friedrich Hesse

a patient admitted to this Hospital.

Dec. 11th 1884 on the order of Judge B.

J. Giddens, died here at

nine o'clock this morning.

Very respectfully
J. M. Cleveland

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(Exhibit "A")

214 Broadway.

No. _____ New York, Nov 25. 1884

THE NATIONAL PARK BANK
OF NEW YORK

Pay to the order of Southern

Eleven $\frac{80}{100}$ _____ Dollars.

\$ $11 \frac{80}{100}$

Friedrich Hessert

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W. J. Sedberry
#

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

18 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Frederick Hessant

Question. How old are you?

Answer

34 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

199 Johnson Ave Bklyn

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Printer

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty
F. Hessant*

Taken before me this
day of *Nov*

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Police Justice.

0863

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 Frederick Kessart

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

Dated 18 Nov 188

Police Justice

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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Police Court

1744
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John W Surling
159 Fulton St
Frederick Hestart

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Dated

J J November
P S Duffy
Edward Mc Cabe

1884

Magistrate.

Officer.

H Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

\$

to answer

Sessions.

Offence Felony
Un Sec 521 Penal Code

James O Potitt
216 Broadway

0065

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

aged 35 years, occupation James C Pettit
Assistant Paying Clerk of No.

216 Broadway Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

John W Surbray

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

Sworn to before me, this
day of

18
November 1888

James C Pettit

[Signature]
Police Justice

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Dec 26th 1884
Hon. Peter B. Olney
Dear Sir -

Yours of the 6th inst.
received - I have examined
Friedrich Heistert - and both
from his mental and physical
condition I have come to
the conclusion that he
is insane

Yours Respectfully
Allen D. Hall

0067

Nov. 27th 1874
Dear Sir -
The following named
missionaries are now working
in the Territory of Nevada &
which is not to be mistaken
as they are all in the same
line of service -
I am, Sir, respectfully,
Yours, etc.
William A. Briggs

0868

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

John W. Surbrugg

of No. 159 Fulton Street, aged 25 years,

occupation Tobaccoist being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 18 day of November 1884

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Frederick Messart

(now here) did with the intent to defraud deponent offer the annexed false token (marked Exhibit A) in payment of merchandise bought from deponent. Deponent further says that he is informed by James C Pettit assistant paying teller of the National Park Bank upon which the annexed check is drawn that no such person as the defendant the reputed drawer of said check has an account with said Bank and in violation of Section 571 of the Penal Code.

Sworn to before me, this

of 18 November 1884

day

Police Justice.

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~~Summary~~

City Prison

November 29, 1884

Hon. Peter B. Olney,
District Attorney.

Dear Sir:

I desire to call
your attention to the enclosed
certificate which I have re-
ceived from Dr. Allen Fitch
of this prison in relation to

the following named prisoners:

Nov. 12th Frederick Mattocks, Burgl. Patterson
Nov. 18th Frederick Haessart, V. P. L. Duffel
Nov. 22d Joseph Jansen, attempt Suicide, O'Reilly
Nov. 12th William Graeff, F. A. B. Patterson
Nov. 26th Daniel Shea, Homicide, White

Respectfully,
J. J. Janssen
Warden

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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

Friedrich Hesse

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

Friedrich Hesse of the crime of

Attempting to commit

the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Friedrich Hesse,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
on the *12th* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

three hundred and ninety of the value

of four cents each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John W. Smith*
Smith, then and there being found, then and there
unlawfully 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 B. Smith

District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1602

DESCRIPTION:

Heubner, Bernhard

DATE:

11/19/84



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Counsel, G. H. Alexander
346, 18 May
Filed 19 day of Nov 1884
Pleading Chiquely

Sections 498, 506, 520, 531, 347
Burglary in the Third Degree
vs. R
Randall
Randall

PETER B. OLNEY,
Dist. Atty.
Tried & acquitted.
A True Bill.

And Macleay
Foreman.

Friday Dec 8th 1884.
H. H.

Witnesses:
John Egan
Charles Higgins
Off. 29th Dec

0873

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

Matthew Farley
of No. 381 Fourth Avenue Street, aged 43 years,
occupation Livery Stable Keeper being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No. 17 East 30th Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being an Office and Livery
Stable on the 2nd floor and which was occupied by deponent as an Office and Stable
and in which there was ^{not} at the time a human being, ~~by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly Opening the
front door of said premises by means
of false keys.

on the 15th day of November 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Twenty horse blankets.
Eighteen Drivers lap robes
Fifteen Carriage lap robes
Twenty four Carriage whips
Twenty Livery Coats.
And being all together of the value of
Two hundred dollars.

the property of Matthew Farley and Michael Farley, Co. Porters
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
Bernard Hubner (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That on the night of the day
aforesaid deponent, securely locked and fastened
the said premises; Deponent is informed
by John Egan of 223 West 30th Street
that about the hour of 2 o'clock A.M.
on the day aforesaid said Egan saw
said Hubner standing in front of said
premises and that shortly thereafter said
Egan saw said Hubner inside of said

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office and caused him to be arrested, and at the time said Hubner was arrested four skeleton keys were found on his person and all of which fitted the front door of said office, Alponents therefore charges said Hubner with burglariously entering said premises for the purpose of committing a larceny therein, and with having in his possession in the night burglarious instruments to wit! skeleton keys, the same being in violation of law.

Sworn to before me
this 15th day of November 1884
J. M. Patterson } Matthew Parley
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Degree.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

0875

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation John Pagan
Coachman of No.

223 West 30th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Matthew Harley

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

Sworn to before me, this 15th
day of November 188 4 John Egan

J. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

Bernard Huebner 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. *Bernard Huebner*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *43 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany.*

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

Answer. *37. 2 Avenue 3 weeks.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waiter*

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge

Bernard Huebner

Taken before me this

15th

day of *November* 188*4*

John J. McCann
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 November 15 1884 J. M. Patterson 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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Bernard (last name)
1747

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Matthew Farley
381 vs. 1088
Bernard Hubner
Office Jurgens

Dated November 15th 1884
Patterson Magistrate.
Higgins Officer.
59 Precinct.

Witnesses John Cagan
No. 223 West 30th Street.
19 East 27th

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street.
\$1500 to answer G. S. Sessions.

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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

Bernard Heulmer

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

Bernard Heulmer

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

The said *Bernard Heulmer*, 7

late of the *Twenty-first* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *21st* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain _____ building there situate, to wit: the *Stable* of one *Matthew Farley*

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

Matthew Farley

in the said *Stable* 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.

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SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Bernard Henderson, of the crime of Attempting to commit, —
of the CRIME OF Grand LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said Bernard Henderson, —

late of the Twenty-first Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said ~~fourteenth~~ day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the night time of said day, with force and arms,

Twenty blankets of the value of four dollars each, —
eighteen lay robes of the value of five dollars each,
fifteen other lay-robes of the value of five dollars each, —
twenty four whips of the value of two dollars each, —
and twenty coats of the value of ten dollars each, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Matthew Farley, — in the custody of

the said Matthew Farley 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.

Peter B. Olney
District Attorney

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BOX:

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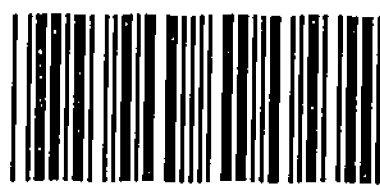
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DESCRIPTION:

Higgins, John

DATE:

11/19/84



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Witnesses

John Murphy

David Delaney

April 20th 1884

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Counsel,

Filed 19 day of Nov 1884

Pleads Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

John Higgins

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. M. Mace

Foreman.

Dec 10/84

Wm. M. Mace

0003

Police Court Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 524 West 39th Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Saturday the 15th day of November
in the year 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by John
Higgins (now here), who did
wilfully and maliciously strike
deponent on the right thigh
with some sharp instrument
which he the said Higgins held
in his hand cutting deponent
on the thigh inflicting a serious
wound thereon - deponent charges
said defendant with assaulting
him as aforesaid

with the felonious intent ~~to take the life of deponent~~ 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 15th day
of November 1888

John Harvey

J. M. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

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

John Higgins 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 John Higgins

Question How old are you?

Answer 31 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer Mass York

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

Answer 340 West 27th street, N.Y. about 20 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Labourer

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

Answer I am not guilty of the charge

John Higgins
mark

Taken before me this

day of

November 1888William
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 John Higgins

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

Dated November 15 188 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court

2nd 1747 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Henrady
524 W. 39th St.

1 John Higgins
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Offence felonious
Assault

Dated

November 15 188

Patterson

Magistrate.

Samuel McLaury

Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

\$1500 to answer

Gen. Sessions.

Com. 11

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No.

New York, Nov. 15th 1884

To Justice Patterson -
This is to certify that
John Hamagay is suffering
from a fatal wound of right
leg, and is unable to
appear at court by
himself. The wound
is a dangerous one

Thos. K. Ashland
Surgeon of Police.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Higgins

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

John Higgins

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

The said

John Higgins

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

John Stanley

in the peace of the people of the said State then and there being, feloniously did willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said

Higgins

with a certain

knife which *he* the said

John Higgins

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there an *instrument* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *in*, the said *John Stanley* then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *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.

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SECOND COUNT

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

John Daggis -

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

The said

John Daggis -

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the *21st* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *John Daggis* -

in the peace of the People of the State of New York then and there being, feloniously did willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said

John Daggis the said *John Daggis* with a certain *instrument and means* which *he* ~~the said~~ in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *head* of *him* the said *John Daggis* -

then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *cut*, bruise and wound, thereby then and there willfully and wrongfully, feloniously inflicting upon the said *John Daggis* - grievous bodily harm, to *the great damage of*

the said John Daggis -

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1602

DESCRIPTION:

Holden, Ida

DATE:

11/12/84



1602

Witnesses:

James Davis
Joseph B. Kelly
John W. Rice

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J.B.
Counsel,
Filed *12* day of *Nov* 188*4*
Pleads *guilty*

Assault in the First Degree, etc.
[Sections 217 and 218 Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs. *I*

Ida E. Holden

PETER B. OLNEY,

24th Nov 1884
Resident Judge

A True Bill.

W. D. MacCae

Nov. 18, 1884 Foreman.

Tried and convicted
At 2nd day

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The People
vs.
Ida Holden.

{ Court of General Sessions, Part I.
Before Recorder Smyth.

Friday, November 28, 1884.

Indictment for assault in the first degree.

Mary Erris sworn. I live at 224 Sullivan Street, I knew Ida Holden by sight on the 26th of October. On that day what happened between you and her? I was sitting in a saloon inside at a table with a gentleman and lady, Ida Holden came in and asked him to treat her and he told her that he would not treat her; she says, there is no bitch in this place can keep you from treating me. By that she goes in his pocket to take the money out to pay for the drink; she walked over the top of me and struck up against me and I asked her if she would please excuse herself; with that she says, go to hell, you bitch. I says, I am no more a bitch than you are; she jumped up and struck me and knocked me down and the proprietor of the place put her out; she struck me in the face and I fell, she struck me with her hand then in the place, it was at night this happened, I saw her again when I was going home, she stood on the corner as I came along and she jumped out of the crowd and says, stand back and by that she drew her weapon and cut me in the face, I did not see what she had, she had it in a handkerchief whatever it was, I know it was a weapon for I felt it on my face, it cut me on the side of my left cheek, it was quite a long cut. There is a mark on me now, it bleed and I went to a physician on Sixth Avenue, it was the only place I could find open, it was between three and four o'clock, he dressed my face, I did not go to a hospital. Before she struck you with a weapon on the street, had you had any words with her?

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No sir, when she came up and struck me I did not, I am sure it was as late as three o'clock in the morning when she came into the saloon, they put her out of the saloon. How long did you remain in the saloon after that? I remained there until it closed up. What time was that? Four o'clock, I went out to go home, I think it was only about half a block to the corner where I met her.

Cross Examined. I had not been in the saloon all the evening; it is not a fact that I followed her out as soon as she was put out, I went out in company with a lady and gentleman that I was with, I could not tell who was in company with her when she was put out, I could not recognize any of the crowd, I had no intention of fighting with any one, it is not a fact that I had a knife in my hand, I do not carry any weapon.

Henry Wackarbarth sworn. I am a druggist at 69 Sixth Avenue, on the 5th of October the complainant came in with a cut on her face about three inches on the left cheek, it was not a deep cut, it was an incized wound and I dressed it with sticking plaster.

Joseph E. Kelly sworn. I am an officer and arrested the defendant at 151 Bleeker Street on the first of November. Mary Burris came to me about between ten and eleven o'clock Saturday night on the first of November and said there was a woman in that place that cut me three or four days ago, I want you to go in and arrest her. She came in with me and pointed out Ida Holden, I arrested her but did not tell her what for until I got to the Station House. The complainant's face was all plastered up. I did not see anything of the affair.

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Ida Holden sworn and examined in her own behalf. I went into this saloon and saw this woman, the young man who was with her asked me to have a drink and she got up and struck me; they put me out and did not do anything to her, she came following out behind me with a knife and says, you yellow bitch I am going to cut your guts out; she pulled me down on the sidewalk and the officer came up and separated us. She went on her way and I went on my way. Annie and George Silas were with me, I do not carry a knife, I did not stab her on this occasion, I don't know how she got cut in the face. She fell on top of me and then rolled over.

Annie Silas sworn. I live 200 South Fifth Avenue, I remember the night of this trouble, George Silas and me went out with her and Mary Burris grabbed Ida by the back part of her head and climbed on top of her. George and I tried to part her and we could not and Officer Kelly took Mary Burris from Ida Holden and we put Ida on the Sixth Avenue cars, the complainant said nothing about being stabbed then, I saw no knife or razor.

Joseph Kelly recalled. I saw none of this affair, it is not true that I separated either of these women.

George Silas sworn. We were walking along with Ida to the Sixth Avenue cars, I turned around and saw that some one had Ida by the back of the head, we turned to part them and they both fell down in the gutter, the officer came from across the street and caught Mary Burris and went her one way and me and my wife and Ida went down Sixth Avenue. I saw no cutting, it was Officer Kelly that separated them.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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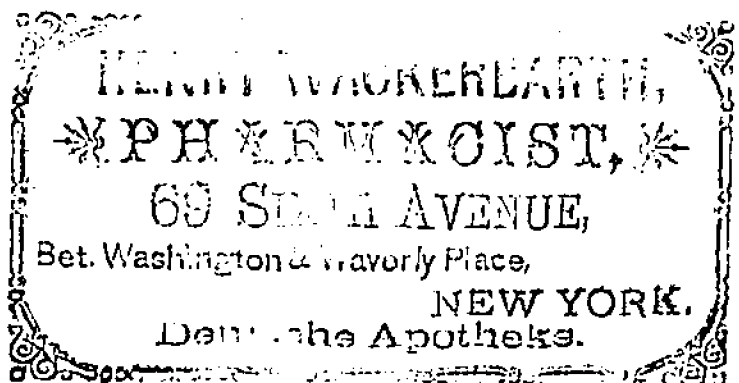
Testimony in the case
of
Edna Holden
filed Nov. 1884.

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New-York, Nov. 5th 84

I hereby certify
that Mary Puriss
came to my store, on
Sunday-morning the
26th of October, a. c.
and had a wound
on her left cheek
dressed.

H. H. H. H. H.



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Police Court—2nd District.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 224 Sullivan Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Sunday the 26th day of October
in the year 1884 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

He was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Ida
Stelden (now here), who did
stab and cut deponent once
on the left cheek with some
sharp instrument which she
the said Ida held in her hand.
Deponent charges the said Ida
with assaulting her as aforesaid

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, ^{and her} or to do ~~her~~ 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 2nd day of November 1884. Mary Bewis

W. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

2nd District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Ida Holden

Question How old are you?

Answer

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Brooklyn

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

Answer.

146 West 24th Street, About 2 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Domestic

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

Ida Holden

Taken before me this

day of

1884

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 Ida Holden

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 November 5th 1884 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Ruess
224 Sullivan St.

1. Eda Holden

2.

3.

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Dated

November 2nd 1884

Magistrate.

Joseph B. Kelly, Officer.
15th Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

\$1000 to answer

Sessions.

Oct. Nov. 5th at
12 P.M.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

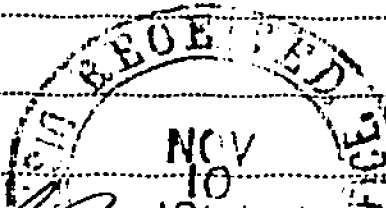
Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Offence
felony
assault



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Ida Holden

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

Ida Holden

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

The said *Ida Holden*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty sixth* day of *October*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Mary Burris* — in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Mary Burris* — with a certain *knife* —

which the said *Ida Holden*, — in *her* right hand then and there had and held, ~~the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon~~ wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, ~~the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon~~ *and* ~~the death of her~~ *the said Mary Burris* with intent *her* — the said *Mary Burris*, — 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

Ida Holden

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

The said *Ida Holden*,

late of the City and County of New York, on the *twenty sixth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Mary Burris*, — in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *her* the said *Mary Burris*,

with a certain *knife* —

which *her* the said *Ida Holden*, — in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an ~~instrument~~ likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut 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.

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THIRD COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
— *Ida Holden* —
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Ida Holden*,
late of the City County of New York, on the *twenty sixth* day of *October*,
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, at
the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one
— *Mary Burris* —
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously, did wilfully and
wrongfully make an assault, and *then* the said *Mary Burris*

in and upon the *head*, — of — *her* — the
said *Mary Burris*, — did then and there
feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *scold, cut*, —
bruise and wound, and did thereby then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully
inflict upon *her* the said *Mary Burris*,
grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said *Mary Burris*,
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.

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1602

DESCRIPTION:

Houghton, David

DATE:

11/14/84



1602

Witnesses:

James H. Smith
Joseph A. Worthington
Officer Andrew Officer

No. 114
N. & B.

Counsel,

Filed 14 day of Nov 1884

Pleads *Not guilty* (17)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

David Bloughston

INDICTMENT.
Grand Larceny in the second degree.
(Sec. 528 and 531)

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN H. HARRISON~~

22 Nov 30/84
District Attorney.

Ind. vacated,
A True Bill.

David Morel

Foreman

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2nd

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss

of No. 6 Westbroses

Street,

Louis M. Jacke
Aged 31 years

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 25th day of September 1888

at the day time, at the City of New York,

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

the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money of the United States amounting to twenty dollars and two rubber coats of the value of eight dollars; altogether of the value and amounting to twenty eight 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 David Houghton (now here)

for the following reasons to wit: That on the above date the said Houghton was in the employ of deponent in the capacity of General Salesman and doing errands and that on said date deponent sent the said Houghton with his check drawn on the North River Bank in said City for the sum of twenty dollars to have the same cashed, and to bring the same back to deponent. That the said Houghton

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failed to return said moneys as ordered by
deponent, but as deponent believes, kept
retained and withheld said moneys and
appropriated the same to his own use -
That on said date ^{and at the same time of said date} deponent gave to said
defendant two rubber coats to have the same
exchanged for two other rubber coats, and
that the said defendant failed to make a
return of said coats but as said defendant
acknowledges and confesses to deponent, and
in open Court in the presence of witnesses
to having sold one of said overcoats and
flashed the other said overcoat

Sworn to before me *Louis Nebeck*
11th day of November 1896

H. M. Patterson
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT-Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

David Houghton 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

David Houghton

Question How old are you?

Answer

46 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

Westchester NY.

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

Answer.

86 Bowery. And about 6 weeks

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter -

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

Answer.

I have acted under the directions of the Complainant's partner
D Houghton

Taken before me this

day of

188

November

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 *David Houghton*

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

Dated *November 11* 188 *W. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court

2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis N. Jack
vs.
David Houghton

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Officer
Grady
Harcourt

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

November 11

1884

Patterson

Magistrate.

Joseph D. Woodbridge

Officer.

Central Office

Prisonet.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$10000 to answer

Sessions.

Comptroller

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187 Greenwich St.	No. _____	New York Sept 25 th 1884
	The North River Bank	
	Pay to the order of <u>L. N. Jacob</u>	
	<u>Twenty Dollars</u>	Dollars
	<u>\$20</u>	<u>L. N. Jacob</u>

M. THALMESSINGER, 387 BROADWAY, N. Y.

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Lo N. J. J.

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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

David Houghton

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

David Houghton

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE Second DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said David Houghton,

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

one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars
; two promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each; four promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each; twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each; one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars
; two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each; four promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each; ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each; twenty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each, one written instrument and evidence of debt, to wit: an order for the payment of money of the kind commonly called bank checks, drawn upon a certain banking institution there called the North River Bank, and directing the payment by the said bank of the sum of twenty dollars, the same being then and there wholly unsatisfied and of the value of twenty dollars, and two coats of the value of four dollars each

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

PETER B. OLNEY,
~~JOHN M. MEEHAN~~ District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1602

DESCRIPTION:

Howard, William

DATE:

11/06/84



1602

Wm W. Knapp
Parade Ground
Off in 15th Regt

THE PEOPLE
vs.
F
William Howard

26.
H. H. Brown
Printer

Walter Macleay.
Esq. of the
Barr.

Foreman.

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Prison Association of New York,

CHARTERED 1846.

Theodore W. Dwight, L. L. D., President.
Charlton T. Lewis, Chairman Executive Committee.
Cornelius B. Gold, Treasurer.
Eugene Smith, Secretary.
Wm. M. F. Round, Corresponding Secretary.
Stephen Cutter, General Agent.

Office of Corresponding Secretary,
65 BIBLE HOUSE,

The people
Wm. Howard

New York, Nov 20th 1884

The prisoner appears in conversation to be respectable, intelligent and honest. He has no one in this City who knows him, as he was here only about a week before his arrest. He is a native of New Haven where his parents now reside and where he has worked the last 4 or 5 years as pressman in a printing establishment, and where he says he could get testimonials of character, but is not willing to do it, as he says he would rather suffer the penalty of his crime unknown by any one of them, he thinks he can ^{then} go home when they will not know of his imprisonment and cannot point the finger of scorn at him.

This story we know has often been resorted to, to cover up some thing bad, and yet in the case of John Howard may be true. But it is very strange if he has lived honestly in his native place up to the first of November, that he should come here to see the torch light procession and make the acquaintance of a stranger who leads him so soon into such a crime. He is so tenacious about the matter getting to his friends that he does not want to go to Elmira, as he is aware that there they enquire and must know about his parents and then might write them.

We are at a loss to know what to recommend for this prisoner, and leave the matter to your Superior judgment.

Respectfully Yours
S. Cutter
Genl Agent

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Police Court—2 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

William W. Gephagen
of No. 18 East 14th Street, aged 40 years,

occupation Manager being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 18 East 14th Street,

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

15th Ward of the City of New York

and which was occupied by deponent as a Sales Room

and in which there was at the time a human being, not

Booke and

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the

door leading from the vestibule into

the Sales Room, by means of a

"jimmy" at about the hour of 8 o'clock

P. M.

on the 31st day of October 1888 in the night time, and the

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

to be stolen and carried away there

from, viz: a quantity of Optick

Trunks, of the value of over

Thousand Dollars

the property of Rehue J. Bene

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

William Howard, now here,

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent is now

here informed by Patrick Coleman

here present, that he said Coleman

found said deponent and another

man within said Sales room at

the hour of 8 o'clock P. M. That

deponent closed and secured said Sales

room at the hour of 7 o'clock P. M.

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of said day and said property was then
within said sales room, and when
deponent returned to the sales room
at shortly after 8 P. M. deponent
found said door broken open
and ~~said~~ ^{an officer} ~~officer~~ ^{Calamus}, having
moved of said deponent within
said sales room. That the steel
"jimmie", Mrs. Humphrey, was
found on a counter in said
sales room.

Person to appear on this
1 day November 1884
J. W. Patterson
Police Justice

Police Court ----- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

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.

Patrick Clune
aged 40 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

15 Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Wm Dr Traphagen

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

Sworn to before me, this 10
day of November 188

Patrick Clune

J. W. Dutton
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

2 District Police Court.

William Howard 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 Howard

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 26 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New Haven, Conn.

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

Answer. No place at present

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Printer

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Wm Howard

Taken before me this

day of November 188 88

Wm Howard

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

William Howard

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 *March 11* 188

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

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

Dated 188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated 188

Police Justice.

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Witnesses
Jm W. Traphagen
Patrick Clune
off 15th Prec.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

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Police Court

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

M. W. Traphagen
18 East 14th St.
M. Howard

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Office
Magistrate

Dated

November 1
Patterson
Clune

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Magistrate.

Officer.

15th Precinct.

Witnesses

Patrick Clune
No. 15th Precinct Police Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$2000 to answer

Sessions.

Comd

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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 Howard

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

William Howard

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

The said *William Howard*, 7

late of the *3rd* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *10th* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain *store* building there situate, to wit: the *store* of one *Robert T. Bene*.

Bene,

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

Robert T. Bene,

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.

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SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
William Howard of the Crime of
Attempting to commit —
of the CRIME OF *Grand Larceny in the first degree,*
committed as follows:

The said *William Howard,*

late of the *City of New York* — Ward of the City of New York in the
County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *21st*-day of
October, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eighty. *hour* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night*
time of said day, with force and arms,

one thousand two hundred
the value of one dollar
and no more. 7

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Robert T. Bane*
— in the *store* of

the said Robert T. Bane, —
there situate, then and there being found, in the *store* aforesaid, then and
there feloniously did *attempt 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.

Peter B. Olney,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Huff, John

DATE:

11/11/84



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Witnesses:

Henry Propp
Wm. H. Miller
Supt. Central Prison

Section after are-
examination of the facts
and the enclosed of-
ficials' supporting docu-
ment, and in view of the
fact that the jury after
2 or 3 hours deliberation
stood six to six, I think
there is such a reasonable
doubt that a conviction
could not be obtained,
and recommend the discharge

permanently
Nov. 24, '88
Wm. H. Miller
Supt. Central Prison

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J. P. Hollister
Counsel,
Filed 11 Day of Nov 1888
Pleads Not guilty (in)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John D. Proff
Chas. D. Proff
Declaratory and
his own recognizance

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. H. Miller
Nov 13/88
Foreman.

George J. Proff disagree
Wm. H. Miller
Chas. D. Proff
Nov 24/88

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My General Session

People

or

John Keuff.

C/o Co. 1st Regt. 1st Div.

William Masters

being down says:

I live at 183 Bowry, and am
expressman for Freeman's Express
106 Essex Market; have been
with him since last April.

I have known Capt. Keuff two
years; I have seen him frequently
during the last 3 months. Chiefly
at a liquor store in Broad Street
between Orchard & Ludlow; more
occasionally about 4 or 5 weeks before election
day at mid saloon Capt. Keuff was in-
toxicated and I was requested to
take him home and I took him
to 126 Orchard Street and I
left him there and he went in to 126
Orchard Street. I knew
when to take him home because
prior to this about 2 or 3 weeks
ago Keuff had told me that
he lived there and asked me

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to come to the same house
and take a bed. After
this, first occasion, I took
said Huff home as a friend.
I took him to said 126 Orchard
Street and went with him there
on four or five different occasions,
and saw him go into this
house. I knew of no other
place where said Huff
lived at this time or within a
month prior to the election.

Sworn to before me
this 24 day of March
1884,

William Masters

George Hubbard

Wm. P. Allen

John P. Allen

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Mr Geo. Sessions

Proper

John Huff

Cas & Co of New York

Maryetta Hartnagel

being defore sworn says:

I am the sister of deft Huff, and
I live at 46 Miller Street.

I know that deft had trouble with
his wife in the Spring or Summer;
I know that he had trouble with
his wife was in account of her
habit of intoxication; at the
time mentioned he informed me
that his chief was with
Protecting & he had separated
from his wife; at this time I
learned from him that he was
living in Salem Street.

About 5 weeks before election day
def't came to my house to see me,
and he then told me his wife was
away from him and I asked him
when he was leaving then, and he
said soon in Orchard Street.

Sworn before me this } M. Hartnagel
24th day of November 1884 }
at New York City

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

POLICE COURT, 104

DISTRICT.

of No.

says that on the

day of

1884

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

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

as deponent has reason to believe, and does believe, one John Huff did wilfully and knowingly and fraudulently register, and cause himself to be registered as a duly qualified voter of the 19th Election District of the 8th Assembly District of said County, not having a lawful right to register therein - That said Huff presented himself to the Board of Registry for said Election District at No. 124 Allen Street, being the lawfully designated place for the Registry of the Voters of said Election District, and said Huff did state under oath that he (Huff) was a resident of the premises No. 126 Orchard Street in said Election District -

That deponent has made diligent search and inquiry on the premises given by said Huff as his residence, and has made careful inquiry of the occupants of said premises and has ascertained that said Huff is not a resident of said above mentioned premises.

Deponent therefore prays that said John Huff may be apprehended and

dealt with as the law directs
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November 1884
 Henry Knapp
 Police Justice

19 Dec.
8 a.m.

126 Dec.

126 Dec.

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Knott
vs.
John Knott

Margaret Knott

Dated November 1894

A. J. M. Magistrate.

Witness.

Disposition.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me this
day of
1887

Police Justice.

I am not guilty
John Huff

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 1st 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 to 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 Henry Knapp

of No. 120 Orchard Street, that on the 12th day of October
1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Handwritten: One John Huff did
fraudulently and knowingly cause himself
to be registered as a qualified voter
from the premises No 126 Orchard
Street.

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
forthwith before me, at the 1st 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 12th day of November 1888.
Andrew J. Smith POLICE JUSTICE.

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GRAND JURY.

John Duff Registered
in the 19th Election Dist
of the 8th Assembly Dist
1344 a.m. N.
Arrest him when
he calls to Vote.

See Inspt. Henry Knapp. of same
Dist will point out man

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

PEOPLE

vs.

John Huff

Witnesses

Henry Knopp 120 Orchard

Off. Dilks b.O.

J. J. O'Brien b.O.

Stephen B. Wormsley b.O.

4 Election Inspectors

19 Election of 8th Ass. ✓

Fred W. Butz 124 Allen

George Mundy 168 "

Paul Kaenlemer 133 Stanton

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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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alfred Smith

120 Broadway

John Smith

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Office

Dated

5 November 188

John Smith

Magistrate

Office

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Witnesses

No. 1, by _____

Street _____

No. 2, by _____

Street _____

No. 3, by _____

Street _____

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

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

Dated 5 Nov 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court 1927 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Knott

120 Orchard St.

John Duffy

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

5 November 188

O. G. Duffy Magistrate.

Dicks

Officer.

Co Precinct.

Witnesses Subpoenaed to the Indictment

No. 1 of the District, the Street.

Club of the District of Columbia
with book.

No. 1 of the District, the Street.

Mr. Officer and Street.

Mr. Officer and Street.

No. 19 Election District 8 of the City of New York.

to answer

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the within named
been committed, and that 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
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 5 Nov 1888
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1888
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated 1888
Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Smith

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

of the CRIME OF *fraudulently registering in an election district wherein he had no lawful right to register,*
committed as follows:

The said *John Smith*

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-fourth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, ~~at the City of New York~~ *did cause a copy of a general registration of voters drawn out the said City and County and in the Nineteenth Election District of the County of New York, the Eighth Arrondissement, New York and County, at the Ward City and County aforesaid, did personally appear before the Inspectors of Election of the said Nineteenth Election District of the Eighth Arrondissement at a meeting of the said Inspectors of Election then and there being held for the purpose of the general registration of voters in the said Election District, at the duly designated polling place thereof, and did*

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then and there registered and
fraudulently registered in the said
Jackson District as a qualified
owner thereof. The said John
Smith then and there not having
any lawful right to register in
the said Jackson District -
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

Peter B. Gray

District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1602

DESCRIPTION:

Hurley, John

DATE:

11/26/84



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Counsel, *Kearns* 1624

Filed *26* day of *Nov* 188*4*

Pleads *Not Guilty* 28

Witnesses:

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John Hurley

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE
James J. Kearns
[Sections 498, 506, 509, 511 & 550]

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. MacCloskey
Dec. 8/84
Foreman.

Frederick J. Reynolds

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Court of General Sessions.

-----x
The People, &c.,

- vs. -

John Hurly.
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City and County of New-York, SS.:

Henry Hartstall, being duly sworn, deposes and says:
That he resides at No. 324 East 41st. street, in said City; that
he carries on the retail liquor business at No. 234 East 45'
street, in said City; that on or about the night of the 7th day
of September, 1884, deponent's said place of business was burglar-
iously entered, and about thirty dollars' worth of liquor in bot-
tles was stolen therefrom; that deponent has reason to believe
and does believe that said burglary was committed by John Hurly,
now in the Tombs, and two others who have since been convicted of
said burglary; that on said night, after the commission of said
burglary, the said three men were found sleeping together in a
hay loft opposite deponent's said store, with the said bottles of
whiskey around them; that the other two men pleaded guilty in
the Court of General Sessions and were sentenced to the Peniten-
tiary for the term of one year; that the said John Hurly pleaded
not guilty.

Sworn to before me, this :
25th day of November, 1884.

Henry Hartstall

John A. Quinn
Notary Public
City & County of N.Y.

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George

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Jim Sunday

—

Witnesses:

James Watson

324 East 4th St

0234 ~~James~~

James

10th Street

Off. Wilson

1946

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Murray

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

John Murray

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

The said *John Murray*.

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty. *four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain *apartment* building there situate, to wit: the *Store* — of one *Henry*

Markhall,

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

Henry Markhall

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.

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SECOND COUNT.

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

John Stanley

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

The said *John Stanley*

late of the *nineteenth* — Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *Seventh* day of *September*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night* time of said day, with force and arms,

ten bottles of whiskey of the value of one dollar each bottle,
ten bottles of brandy of the value of one dollar each bottle,
ten bottles of wine of the value of one dollar each bottle.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Henry Sturges* — in the *store* of

the said Henry Sturges,

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
John Murphy
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed
as follows:

The said *John Murphy*

late of the *Nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New
York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *nineteenth* day of *Sept*
1888 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*
with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

ten boxes of machinery of the value
of one dollar each - ten boxes
of machinery of the value of one
dollar each - and ten boxes
of wire of the value of one
dollar each -

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Samuel J. Smith*

by a certain *person* or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately
before feloniously stolen of the said *Samuel J. Smith*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have (the said *John Murphy*)

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.

PETER B. OLNEY, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hunt, George P.

DATE:

11/21/84



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Witness:
Geo. H. Johnson
James Johnson
Appx 5th Rent
(5th)

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Counsel, J. B. Benda
Filed 21 day of Nov 1884
Pleads Voluntary 24

THE PEOPLE
vs.
George B. Benda
Forgery in the Second Degree.
(Sections 511 and 521.)

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN M. MCGON,
District Attorney.
Fried & Conried
A True Bill.

Stand Accused
Foreman.
O. J. A. J. J.
Wednesday Dec 2nd 1884
J. B. B.

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

POLICE COURT, 1

DISTRICT.

gr 30

of No.

124 West Broadway Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the

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day of

November 1888 X

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

George Hunt (now present) did feloniously make forge and utter as true the hereto annexed check signed S. Cardwell drawn upon the Murray Hill Bank in the sum of Fifty Three dollars with the felonious intent to cheat and defraud defendant and whereby defendant was so cheated and defrauded of good and lawful money to the amount of Fifty Three dollars. That on the 16 day of November 1888 Said Hunt called upon defendant and requested defendant to cash the aforesaid check which is hereto annexed and forming a part of this complaint. Defendant believing said check to be genuine and of value gave the said defendant the aforesaid Fifty Three dollars. Defendant is now informed by Samuel Cardwell

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the purported maker of said
check that the signature
thereon is false that he
did not make or authorize
any one to make it for
him and said check is
no value, Dependent no
charges

sworn to before me George H. Brennan
this 17 day of Apr 1887

George H. Brennan
Notary Public

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 70 years, occupation Real Estate Agent of No.

636

3 Avenue

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

George H. Brennan

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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Stardwell

P. H. Duff
Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I have nothing to say
George Hunt
Mark

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

George Hunt

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

Dated Apr 17 188

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

_____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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Police Court

11.757 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George H. Brennan
124 West Broadway
George Hunt

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Offence Forgery

Dated Nov 17 1884

Handy ~~Magistrate~~ Officer.
5 Precinct.

Witnesses Samuel Cardwell

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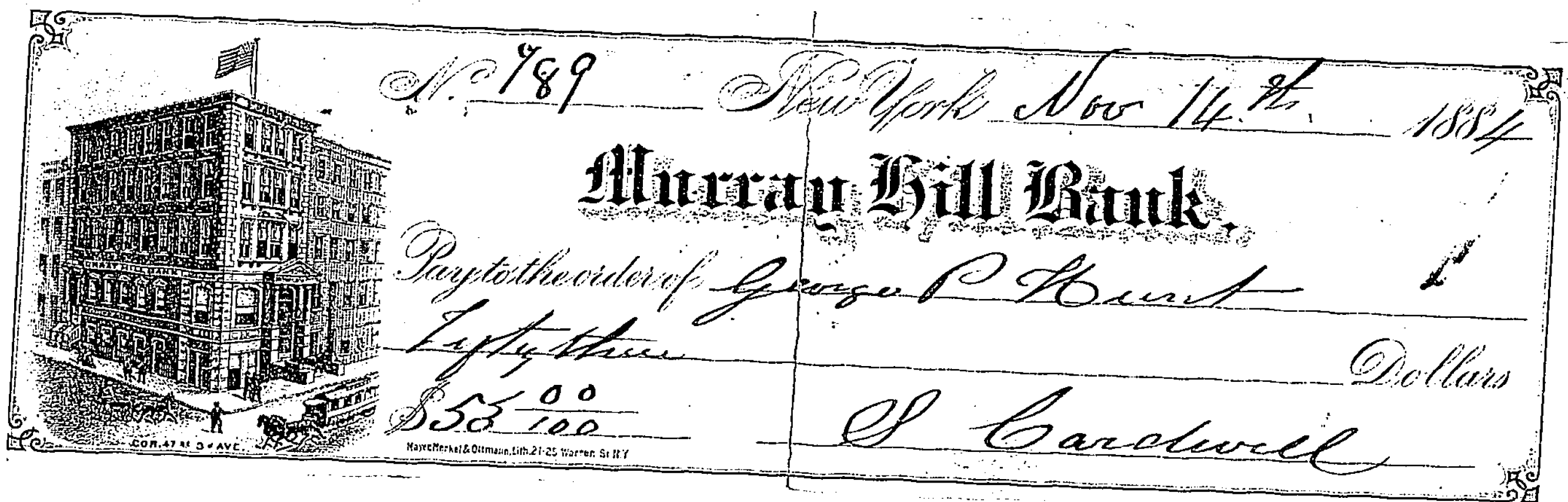
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

George P. Hunt

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

George P. Hunt

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

The said George P. Hunt,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
fourteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and eighty-four with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, feloniously
did forge, and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in the forging a certain
instrument and writing, to wit: an order for the
payment of money of the said sum:
namely called bank check, —
which said forged bank check, —
is as follows, that is to say:

No. 709 New York Nov 14th 1884
Murray Hill Bank
Pay to the order of George P. Hunt
Fifty three Dollars.
\$ 53⁰⁰/₁₀₀ S. Cardwell

with intent to defraud, 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

George P. Hunt -

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

The said *George P. Hunt,*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the said *fourteenth*
day of *November*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty *four*, ~~with force and arms~~ at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with intent to defraud,
James in his possession,
a certain forged instrument and writing, *to wit: an order for*
the payment of money of the kind
commonly called bank checks,
which said last-mentioned forged *bank check* —
is as follows, that is to say:

No 709 New York Nov 14th 1884

Murray Hill Bank

Pay to the order of George P. Hunt

Fifty three

Dollars

\$53⁰⁰/₁₀₀

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with force and arms, the said forged *bank check*
then and there *deliberately* did utter, dispose of and put off
as true, *the* the said *George P. Hunt,*
— then and there well knowing the same to be forged, 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN BICKEL~~ District Attorney.