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Witnesses:

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In view of the facts
and representations made
in the letters and affidavits
bearing the Report of
recommending a suspension
of sentence in the case
of Katharine H. Caldwell

Robert P. Olney
May 22/84 District Atty.

No 58

1 Mr. Chatter de fr
Counsel, 22/84

Filed 4 day of May 1884

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Arbitrally

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Katharine H. Caldwell
and
John H. Caldwell

PETER B. OLNEY,

22 May 22/84 District Attorney.

Not Pleads. Rdy.

A True Bill. S.P. 2 years.

Foreman.

22 May 22/84

Not Pleads. Rdy.

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Sentence suspended

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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

Katharine M. Caldwell
and John M. Caldwell

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Katharine M. Caldwell, and John
M. Caldwell
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *First* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Katharine M. Caldwell and*
John M. Caldwell

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twentieth 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,

one finger ring of the value of
five hundred dollars, one pin
of the value of one hundred and
forty five dollars, one thimble
of the value of twenty dollars,
and one bracelet of the value
of eighty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *August P. Montant*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

John H. Caldwell
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said John H. Caldwell

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twentieth 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,

one finger ring of the value of
five hundred dollars, one
pin of the value of one hundred
and forty five dollars, one
thumb of the value of twenty
dollars, and one bracelet of
the value of eighty dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one August P.
Montant Eugene Katharine H. Montant

by certain other persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said August P.

Montant
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said John H.
Caldwell

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

The People of
the State of
New York
against

Katherine H. Caldwel

Defendant

S. B. Butterbaugh
Counsel
18 Wall St.

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The People of the
State of New York
against
Katherine H. Caldwell

City and County of New York ss.

Henry A. Morgan
being duly sworn deposes and says -
That he resides in Aurora, Cayuga County,
New York, and he personally knows the
above named defendant Katherine H.
Caldwell - That she is the daughter of
Rev. William W. Howard late deceased
in said Town of Aurora, who was very
much beloved and highly respected by
all who knew him - That the defendant
was well educated and carefully
brought up, and is a woman of
more than ordinary brightness and
intelligence. Dependent was present at
the marriage of the defendant to her
husband John H. Caldwell some
ten years or more ago, and while
deponent has not personally seen
very much of said defendant of
late years, still he has heard frequently
about and from her at various times.
That deponent is informed and verily

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believes

that her married life has been a very unfortunate and unhappy one. That her husband has been always addicted to drink, and deponent knows that defendant has had a hard struggle to work and support her family. That she has four children living, whose ages range from nine years down to eight months.

That defendant has always borne a good reputation for honesty and sobriety, and deponent was very much startled and surprised to learn of this misfortune which has befallen her. That deponent knows of the very reduced circumstances in which she has been placed, and he has personally assisted her of his own means, contributed money to her support, believing her to be a truly deserving and honorable woman. That from deponent's knowledge and information of defendant's struggle and troubles in her married life he truly believes defendant was has been under the influence of and control of her husband, and he believes this to be her first offense, and

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he is persuaded that what she did in commission of this crime was done under fear and persuasion and compulsion from her husband and not from a voluntary and preconceived plan of her own.

Deponent further says that if in the wise discretion of the Court and District Attorney the unfortunate defendant can have sentence suspended and be allowed to go free once more, he will personally contribute money and his influence ~~to her~~ to assist her in earning an honest livelihood for herself and little ones.

Sworn to before me

this 17th day of May 1884

S. B. Chittenden

Henry A. Morgan

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Certificate Filed in N. Y. Co.

The People of the
State of New York
against
Katherine H. Caldwell

City and County of New York ss.

N. Lansing Gabrielle
being duly sworn deposes and says - That he
resides in Aurora Cayuga County, New York.
That he is personally acquainted with
the defendant Katherine H. Caldwell
above named, and has known her from
childhood. That he was a warm personal
friend of her Father Rev. W. W. Howard
of Aurora who died several years ago
much respected and beloved by every
one. That defendant was married
some ten years or more ago, and
soon after removed with her husband
from Aurora. That while deponent has
not personally seen much of the
defendant of late years, still he has
frequently heard of her misfortunes
and troubles in her married life,
of the fact that her husband his
Father and Brother were all hard
drinkers, and that from one having
a good comfortable home, she had

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The People of the
State of New York
against
Katherine H. Caldwell

City and County of New York ss.

A. Lansing Gabrielle
being duly sworn deposes and says - That he
resides in Aurora Cayuga County, New York.
That he is personally acquainted with
the defendant Katherine H. Caldwell
above named, and has known her from
childhood. That he was a warm personal
friend of her Father Rev. W. W. Howard
of Aurora who died several years ago
much respected and beloved by every
one. That defendant was married
some ten years or more ago, and
soon after removed with her husband
from Aurora. That while deponent has
not personally seen much of the
defendant of late years, still he has
frequently heard of her misfortunes
and troubles in her married life.
of the fact that her husband his
Father and Brother were all hard
drinkers, and that from one having
a good comfortable home, she had

gradually become reduced in circumstances through the evil habits of her husband, and that deponent has personally assisted her of his own means within the past six months in order to help her earn for her four little ones.

That deponent has never known of anything against defendant until this crime which she has just committed, and she has always borne a reputation for integrity and honesty equal to anyone of deponent's acquaintance. That he verily believes her to be an honest woman, and that this is her first offense, and from his knowledge and information of her married life, he verily believes she has been under the control of her husband, and that whatever she did, was through fear, threats or compulsion of her said husband, and not from preconceived and evil intents of her own. That deponent has heretofore assisted her believing her to be honest and struggling for a maintenance of her children by honorable industry and work, and

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in case she can be released and sentence suspended for this offence he is willing to render material aid, and exert his influence to help her gain a living for herself and children.

Deponent further says that most of the married life of said defendant has been spent ~~under~~^{amid} the surroundings of her husband's home with the influences and example of himself, his Father and Brother, who through drink have wasted a once valuable property and reduced her with themselves to absolute want and poverty.

Sworn to before me

this 17th day of May 1884

S. M. Chittenden } N. Lansing Fabricke

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State of New York
City & County of New York.

Florence V. Rodrigue
being duly sworn deposes
and says I reside at Woodbridge
in the State of New Jersey
with my mother Mrs. A. C. Rodrigue.

In November of last year
Mrs. Katherine H. Caldwell was for
a short time employed by my
mother as housekeeper. I
generally take charge of
household matters and thus
saw a good deal of Mrs.
Caldwell during the short
time she was in our house.

She impressed me as a lady
both in education and manner.
But was constantly depressed
& tormented by the bad conduct
and annoying interruptions of
her husband, who insisted
upon coming to see her at
any and all times and who
seemed to be intent upon getting
from her any little sum of money
she could earn or save.

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Mr. Caldwell was not physically equal to the work required at our house and partly for that reason and partly to free ourselves from the annoying visits of her husband it was decided that she should find another situation.

It is the habit of our house not to lock up anything, and my room was always open all day with watch and jewelry lying loose on table or bureau. And nothing whatever was taken during her stay with us although the opportunity afforded her was so great, and there was nothing in her conduct or actions which caused any of our family to suspect her of dishonesty.

Sworn to before me }
this 20th day of May 1884 } Florence Rodriguez
S. R. Chittenden

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The People of the
State of New York
against
Katherine H. Caldwell

City and County of New York ss.

John Carstensen
being duly sworn and deposes and says.
That he resides in the City of New
York, and ~~is~~ Assistant Treasurer of
the New York Central Railroad Company.
That deponent is personally acquainted
with the defendant Katherine H. Cald-
well, and has known her since 1866,
about eighteen years. That deponent
knew her in childhood and is ac-
quainted with her surroundings and
bringing up, and knew her to have
been well educated. He lived in
or was a frequent inmate of her
home in Aurora, and knew her Father
Rev. W. W. Howard late deceased.

That since her marriage deponent
has not seen much of her, but
from information he has received
he believes her marriage to have
been a very unfortunate one, that
her husband is and has always

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been addicted to drink, and his life and habits have gradually reduced defendant to a state of want and poverty.

That from deponent's knowledge and acquaintance with the said defendant he verily believes she is utterly incapable of conceiving and executing a crime such as she is charged with of ^{her} own free will and volition, but believes she was lead to commit the act, from the influences, fears, and threats of her husband. That deponent verily believes this to be her first offence, and he is ready to use his influence and do all in his power in helping her gain a living for herself and children in the event of her release or suspension of sentence.

Sworn to before me
this 17th day of May 1887 }
S. M. Chittenden } Carstensen

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The People of the
State of New York.

against
Katherine H. Caldwell

City & County of New York ss.

Dr. Blain Smith

being duly sworn deposes and says -
That he resides in New York City at No.
5 West 38th Street, and is a practising
Physician in said City. That he knows
Katherine H. Caldwell the defendant
above named, and has known her since
1865. That he knew her in Aurora
in her girlhood and was well
acquainted with her Father Rev W.
M. Howard now dead. That he knows
of her unfortunate alliance in
marriage with her husband John
H. Caldwell, and has frequently heard
of his evil habits of intoxication &
of his abuse and ill treatment
of her. That he believes the said
defendant's character to have been
without reproach until the com-
mission of the crime for which
she is now in custody, and from
his knowledge of her character and

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training he believes her incapable
of conceiving or contriving and
executing so dreadful a crime as
grand larceny except it was
brought about by the influence
threats or fear of her husband.
That he believes this to be her first
offense, and is persuaded if she
can have a fair chance away
from the influence of her husband
she can and will in future
lead an honest life for her
own and her children's benefit.
Sworn to before me
this 17th day of May 1884 J. H. Clair Smith
S. B. Chittenden

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State of New York

County of Kings Jp John T. Van Rost of
the Town of New Utrecht in the County
of Kings being duly sworn says: that
he has been acquainted with Catherine
H. Caldwell now under indictment
for larceny in the City of New York for
many years in fact since she was of
the age of Eleven years; He has always
regarded her as a person to whom you
could intrust property: That he
has taken notice of her ever since he
first became acquainted with her and
never before heard or knew of her being
dishonest and believed her to be
incapable of committing the crime
for which she now is indicted:

That he knew she had married
a person who is addicted to the
immoderate use of intoxicating liquors
and for that reason unable to support
her. That he has at various times
assisted Mrs Caldwell with pecuniary
aid knowing her to be poor and in need
and believing her to be worthy: That about
one year ago at Greenwood Lake where
she resided he saw her and she was

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poorly clad: That he would have
 done more to aid her were it not
 that by giving her money would
 only be taken by the husband and
 spent by him for liquor and would
 not add to her comfort and he
 believes now that the husband's
 love for liquor is the cause of her
 present trouble: That he does not
 now believe her to be utterly demoralized
 but thinks that if she were away
 from the evil influences which surround
 her she would reform

Done this 19th day 3

of May 1884 before me }

Edw. J. Davenport
 Notary Public for Miss Co

John T. Vanecko

State of New York
County of Kings } John J. Lott of the
City of Brooklyn being duly sworn
says that he has been acquainted
with Catharine W. Coldwell now
confined in the House in the City
of New York: That he considered her
a person incompetent to commit
Larceny if not under some restraint
or from dire necessity:

That he has not seen Mrs Coldwell
for some years but has heard of
her through many persons: That
he has been informed, that her husband
is given to intemperance and that
through this she has been reduced
to poverty:

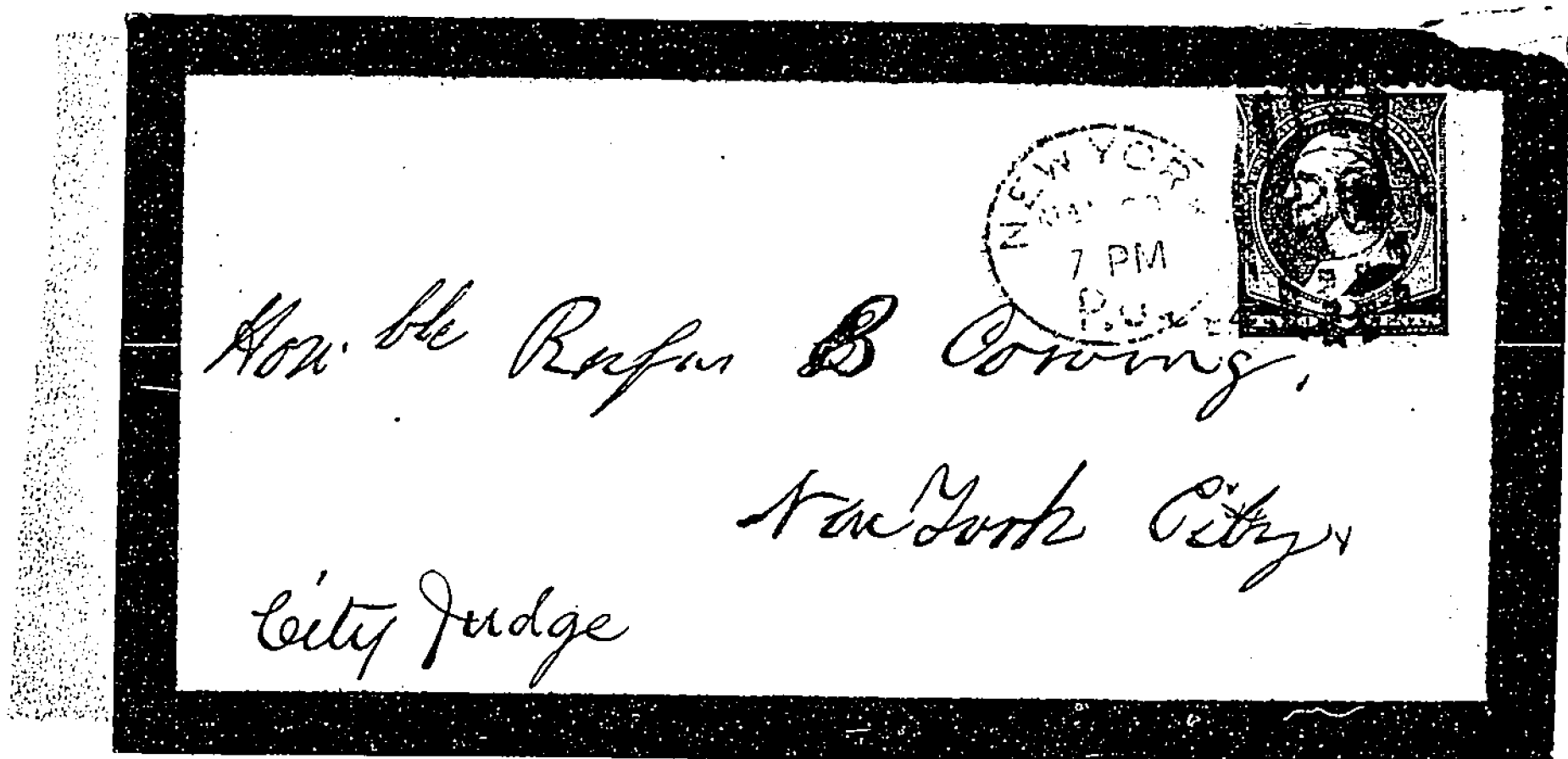
That he believes that that is now
the cause of her present crime
& believes that to be her first offence

Sworn to this 19 day of }
May 1844 before me }

John J. Lott

Edw. F. Javoy
Notary Public for Kings Co

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Brooklyn May 20. 1884

Hon. Mr. Rufus B. Coring.

Dear Sir:

I do not personally know Mrs Kate Caldwell, but have known her Step Mother Mrs Maria Cory Howard - who is a lady of refinement, unusual culture and the highest character - for more than twenty years.

From Mrs Howard I learn that "Hitty" was a bright, well educated and good girl, with decided talent for music. She persisted, however, against the strong objections of her friends, in trusting and marrying a man, thought, by her friends, to be unworthy of her.

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who seems, in fact, to have been wholly bad.

I have heard it said, and believe, that the latter stole his wife's private purse with about \$125. in money given her as wedding gift, before two months of their married life had passed.

Her life at the home of her husband's parents is creditably said to have been ^{little, if any better than} a continuous drunken brawl, between father and son, until the Sheriff intervened and drove them out. I fear the woman

is beyond help; but if you shall suspend judgment, leaving her in the hands of her Father's friends, you may feel assured of kind thoughts and money enough for a faithful effort, on their part, in behalf of the poor woman and her four children.

Respectfully yours,

J. B. Chittenden
18 Pierrepont St.

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District Attorney's Office.

City & County of
New York.

May 12, 1884

Dear Sir

I Called to speak
with you in regard to a
prisoner now awaiting
trial. It is Mrs Caldwell
in Jefferson Market prison.
She is the daughter of the
Rev Dr Howard now de-
ceased, former President
of Wells College for young
ladies at Aurora, N.Y. Her
story is a sad one; her in-
temperate husband is
charged with her in the
crime of which she is
undoubtedly guilty &
she claims to have acted
under his constraints.

It seems very strange that
she can have become a
thing, but I have no

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knowledge of her ~~husband~~, for the
last ten years. I bespeak your
kind consideration on behalf of
her four small children &
her friends, who are astonished
& distressed.

Pardon this appeal, &
believe me with great respects

Very Truly Yours

J. Freeman Prime

Editor N.Y. Observer.

Hon. P. B. Olney
District Attorney.

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Mr. Caldwell

122 E 24th St

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- ✓ Hon S. B. Chittenden ^{Henry + Kitty}
18 Pierpont St Brooklyn
Rutherford Stearns Esq.
16 Exchange Place
- Rev. Dr. O. Costa ^{Henry + Kitty}
St John Church ^{has been there}
33 W 25th St
- ✓ Ed. P. Wilder ^{Henry + Kitty}
Morse Building 140 Nassau
Dr. Houghton 13 W. 27th St ^{Henry + Kitty}
Church of Transfiguration
- ✓ Dr. Prime Editor of Christian Observer
was successor of her father and her will

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THE CHURCH OF
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST,
(WAINWRIGHT MEMORIAL.)

The Rev. B. F. De Costa, D.D., Rector.

All the seats are free.

The Church of St. John the Evangelist is situated at Nos. 222 and 224 West Eleventh Street, Corner of Waverly Place. Cars from all parts of the city run within one block. The Blue cross-town cars running from 23 St., Ferry via Union Square, to Christopher St., Ferry pass the door. Services at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Children's Service, and Baptisms, on the third Sunday of the month at 3 o'clock P. M.

No discontinuance of Services or Sunday School in Summer.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
JUDGE'S CHAMBERS.

32 CHAMBERS STREET.

New York May 7th 1884

My Dear Sir

In the matter of the
People vs Katherine H. Caldwell
in view of the fact that is her
first offence, that she is the
Mother of four children one
of them an infant of some few
months old - and of the fact
that friends of Mrs. Caldwell
have offered to provide a home
for her I respectfully ask the
Court to suspend sentence in
her case - Yours Truly
Robert A. Blumley
District Attorney

Complainant

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PARSONAGE,
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
MONTCLAIR, N. J.

May 21, 1884.

Mrs S. B. Clifton Jr.

My Dear Sir

I have known of Mrs
Katherine H. Caldwell
for several years, and I
am convinced that she is
thoroughly against having
a wilful criminal. If you
can secure her release
I will see that she is
provided ^{with} a temporary home
in Montclair, until her
friends can complete
arrangements for

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giving her a new start in
life. I think it is a wonder
that the woman has not
gone insane or committed
suicide before this, and shall
be glad to do all I can
to help her up again.

Sincerely Yours.

A. H. Radford.

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*District Attorney's Office,
City & County of
New York.*

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Answered
Dec 1st 1895
R. B. D.

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*Unimmediat
reply is desired.*

State of New York.

Executive Chamber,

Albany, NOV 25 1885 188

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the pardon of John A. Caldwell, who was sentenced on May 22 1884, in your County, for the crime of Rec. Stealing for the term of 2 years and months to the State Prison ~~Penitentiary~~, you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of § 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, ~~Chapter 240, Laws 1884~~) to furnish the Governor with a concise statement of the case as proven on the trial, together with any other facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a pardon. Be pleased, also, to state the previous character of the convict. An opinion is respectfully requested.

Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on a separate sheet.

Very respectfully yours,

David B. Hill

Governor.

To Hon. C. B. Martin

District Attorney, &c.

Executive Clerk

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
August V. Montaut
39 West 21st St
New York City
Grand Jurors, Mr. Reg.
Dated May 10 1888
1888
Magistrate
Police Officer
Precinct
Witnesses
No. _____
Street _____
No. _____
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No. _____
Street _____
No. _____
Street _____
to answer Sessions.
May 10 1888
4:50 PM
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Defendants.

guilty thereof, I order that 1 he be held to answer the same and 1 he be admitted to bail in the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated May 10 1888 Andrew J. M. L. Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

2d District Police Court.

John Henry Caldwell 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 he
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 through the advice of Counsel
I decline to make any statement
and demand an Amendment
J. H. Caldwell*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 105-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

J. A. District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Catharine H. Caldwell*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Kentucky*

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

Answer. *122 East 4th St. 5 Weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Wampstress*

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. *By the advice of Counsel I
decline to make any statement
and demand an Examinator
Catharine H. Caldwell*

Taken before me this

day of

May

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James J. Smith
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 129

Police Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of August Moutant
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me this May day of 188 James H. Price

Aurum J. White
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

of No.

being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the

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

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Sworn before me this

day of

Police Justice,

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August P. Montaut, 284th Merchant
 39, West 2nd Street,
 being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 20th day of March 1884
 at the and the 5th day of May 1884 in City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
 of the deponent, with intent to deprive the true owner of the
 use and benefit thereof
 the following property, viz:

One Ring composed of Diamond, Ruby
 and Sapphire Stones, valued at five Hundred Dollars

One Pin composed of Diamond and
 20 carats, stones, valued at One Hundred
 and fifty five dollars,

One Gold Chain and One Gold Bracelet
 Collectively of the value of One Hundred
 Dollars,

in all of the value of Seven Hundred and forty five
 the property of Deponent and Emma L. Dollars

M. Montaut his wife

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

Catherine W. Caldwell and
 John Henry Caldwell, (both now gone)
 who are husband and wife, from
 the fact that said Catherine W. Caldwell
 was employed as a seamstress in the
 family of Deponent, and had access
 to said property, - that after deponent
 missed said property said Catherine
 admitted and Confessed, to Officer James
 K. Price of the 29th Police Precinct

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as deponent is informed by said Price that she (Catharine G) took, stole and carried away the property described by the demand of her husband the (Co-defendant) that she gave said stolen property above described to her husband the Co-defendant to pawn, and that said husband did inform said officer James R Price, where said property was pawned, and was of which property was procured from the various pawn shops where it had been pawned by said John Healdwell, and has been identified by Deponent as the property of himself and wife, and so stolen as above set forth,
 Sworn before me this 9th of May 1888
 Andrew M. [Signature] Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Cannon, Edward

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Witnesses:

FRED. WALLER 419 W 39 ST

OFFICER THOS. MCGUIRE

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New Trial granted
and deft discharged
upon his own recogni-
tance. 20049-
Oct. 21, 1884.

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Counsel,

Filed 16 day of May 1884

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Grand Larceny 2nd degree
(From the person.)
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Wm. H. & Co. 111 W 4th St
New York*
*Frederick J. [unclear]
111 W 4th St
New York*
*Wm. H. & Co. 111 W 4th St
New York*

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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

Edward Cannon

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

Edward Cannon

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

The said Edward Cannon

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
fourth day of May 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 chain

of the value of one dollar

and fifty cents

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Frederick Waller
on the person of the said Frederick Waller —
then and there being found, from the person of the said Frederick Waller
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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BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street,

Police Court-1334 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frederick Waller
416 1/2 St
Edmond Cannon
1010 St
2nd 197408 1st Jan 1884

Offence Larceny from the person

Dated May 12 1884

Patterson Magistrate.
Nichols Clerk.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

1100 St
15 MAY 1884
Clerk

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 Edward Cannon

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 May 12 1884 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1884 _____ 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 _____ 1884 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Edward Cannon

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Brooklyn

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

Answer.

809 West 19th Street about a year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

his
Edward Cannon
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

May

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W. J. Patterson
Police Justice.

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District Police Court

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

ss.

of No. 419 West 39th Street, 4th May 1888

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 4th day of May 1888
at the Corner of 26th Street & 11th Ave in the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

of deponent.

Aug^r from deponent's person with the intent to
deprive the true owner thereof
the following property, viz:

One Gold plated watch chain of the
value of one dollar and fifty cents

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent

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

from the fact that deponent was walking
along 11th Avenue at about the hour
of four o'clock P.M. on the above date
when the said defendant came towards
deponent and asked deponent if he
had any money and ^{deponent} matched the aforesaid
chain attached to a watch worn by deponent
in the left hand vest pocket of deponent
and broke the aforesaid chain and

Sworn before me this

day of

Police Justice

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ran away. And Depoent followed the
said Defendant across the street and
the Defendant dropped the portion of the
Chain he had stolen from Depoent on the
street wherefore Depoent charges the said
Defendant with taking, stealing and carrying
away the aforesaid Chain from possession
and person of Depoent

Sworn to before me
this 12th day of May 1884 }
J. M. Patterson }
Fredrick Waller
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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W. H. Brown
The People

Edward Brown

W. H. Brown
W. H. Brown
Dept. 154

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W. H. Brown

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New York General Sessions

The People of the State
of New York
against

Edward Cannon

City & County of New York

Lawrence McGuire of 455 West
15th Street being duly sworn
says that in the afternoon of
May fourth last this defendant
had been drinking Cascadary
and meeting a boy upon the
South East Corner of West 26th
Street and Eleventh Avenue
he stopped and caught at
the boy breaking his watch chain
& throwing it upon the ground
& passed it; that defendant
had no design to steal or any
detained purpose & did what
he did because of his condition
that defendant is a large chronic
was never arrested & lives with
his father & mother & acts in
their support & can show
a good character by many

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respectable people - that
deponent has learned that Edward
Lannon has been convicted
of a crime as the person who
did said act and deponent
feels it his duty to make this
statement

Given May 9
1874 before me

Lawrence M. Guire

John A. O'Brien

Notary Public
N.Y.C.

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DESCRIPTION:

Carmody, Martin

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Elizabeth Holan
33 Spring St.

Counsel,

Filed

1884

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Martin Camody

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

John N. Olney
James
Seaver
Thurman

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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

Martin Carnody

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

Martin Carnody

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

The said

Martin Carnody

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty fifth* day of *February* 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 *Elizabeth Nolan* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Elizabeth Nolan* with a certain *axe* which the said *Martin Carnody*

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

Martin Carnody

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

The said *Martin Carnody*, late of the City and County aforesaid afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Elizabeth Nolan* then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *her* the said *Elizabeth Nolan* with a certain *axe* which the said *Martin*

Carnody in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, ~~stab~~, cut and wound

against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

~~JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.~~

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Third COUNT.

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

Martin Connolly
of the CRIME OF

ASSAULT IN THE first DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Martin Connolly

late of the City and County of New York, on the twenty fifth day of
February, 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

Elizabeth Nolan
in the peace of the people of the said State then and there being, feloniously did
make an assault: and the said Martin Car-
nelly, her, the said Elizabeth
Nolan
with a certain AXE which he the said

Martin Connolly
in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon
the head of her,
the said Elizabeth Nolan then and there feloniously
did willfully strike, beat cut bruise and wound,
the same being such means and force
as were likely to produce the death of the
said Elizabeth Nolan, with intent her the
said Elizabeth Nolan then and there
wilfully and feloniously 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.

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~~Fourth~~ SECOND COUNT:

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

Martin Canady

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

The said James J. Canady

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the twenty fifth
day of February 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 Elizabeth Nolan

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 Martin
Canady, her the said Elizabeth Nolan
with a certain AXE
which he the said in his right hand then and there had and held, in
and upon the head
of her the said Elizabeth Nolan
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 Elizabeth Nolan
grievous bodily harm, to wit: sharply then and
there fracturing her skull.

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.

96-1300
 Police Court District.
 THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
 Charles W. H. H.
 23 Spring St.
 1. William C. H. H.
 2. _____
 3. _____
 4. _____
 Dated April 20 1888
 Magistrate.
 J. H. H.
 Precinct.
 Witnesses
 No. _____ Street.
 No. _____ Street.
 No. _____ Street.
 \$ to answer Sessions.
 J. H. H.
 J. H. H.

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 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 11/16/88 188 Andrew Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

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

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Thomas Moran

of No. the 8th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says;
28 day of February 1888

that on the _____ day of _____
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, who arrested Martin

Carmody (now here) charged with having
feloniously assaulted and beaten one
Elizabeth Nolan by striking her on the head
with some sharp instrument causing injuries
from which the said Elizabeth is now confined
in St Vincent's Hospital and is unable to
appear in Court as set forth in the annexed
Certificate the said Elizabeth fully identified
the said Martin Carmody as the person who
had inflicted said injuries on her
wherefore deponent lays the said Carmody

Sworn to before me, this _____
1888

Police Justice

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May be held to await the result of the
said injuries

Sworn to before me *Thomas Murray*

this 28th day of February 1884

A. W. Patterson

Police Justice

William C. Woodard
Magistrate

POLICE COURT—2 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martin Corrado

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Patterson Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition *To await result*

of injuries

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St. Vincent's Hospital

195 West Eleventh St.

New York, N.Y. 38 1884

To whomsoever it may concern,

This is to certify that Elizabeth Nolan was a patient at this hospital, is suffering from a compound fracture of the skull, and is not yet out of danger.

Justin Harold M.D.
House Phys. & Surg.

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St. Vincent's Hospital

195 West Eleventh St.

New York, Mar. 5 1884

To whomsoever it may concern.

This is to certify
that Eliza Dolan is
not yet out of danger,
and will not be at the
leaving the hospital
for six weeks.

Justin Hargis
House Physician

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St. Vincent's Hospital

195 West Eleventh St.

New York, Mar. 20 1884

To Whom it may concern,

This is to certify that
Eugene Nolan now a patient at
this hospital suffering from
a compound fracture of the
skull is out of danger and is
able to leave the hospital for
some weeks.

Justin Harper
House Phys. and Surg.

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State of New York,
Senate Chamber

Albany Mar. 29th 1884

Hon. Jacob Patterson

My dear Judge

The bearer of this note is
the wife of Michael Car-
moody, committed by
you for Assault & Battery.

Mr. Carmody has been
known to me for twenty
years as a hard working
respectable man. He was
always looked upon as
a good husband and
father. And if you can
help him you would do
me a great personal favor.

Sincerely yours

W. E. Murphy

Judge Patterson

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St. Vincent's Hospital

195 West Eleventh St.

New York, *April* 1884

To whom it may concern:-
This is to certify that
Elizabeth Nolan a patient
in this Hospital is con-
valescing rapidly, and will
soon be able to leave the
Hospital.

J. Keane M.D.
Attending.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

2 District Police Court.

Martin Carmody 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.

Martin Carmody

Taken before me this 19th day of June 1907
James J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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Police Court 2d District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 23 Spring

Street, Elizabeth Nolan, 39 1/2 Censor

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Monday the 25 day of February

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

Carmody (nowhere) Martin
struck deponent a blow
on the head with an
axe.

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, 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 20 day

of April

1888

Charles J. White POLICE JUSTICE.

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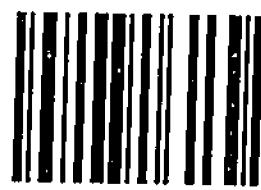
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Casey, James

DATE:

05/14/84



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C. H. Gerry
 Society P. C. to C.
 Chas. C. Reed
 242 E. 85 St

Keep remembered
for ever as a her
family. A

Filed 14 day of May 1884
Pleads

James Earl Ray

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Adel Mueby
Foreman.

May 14/84
Dear Lady—
Yours most truly
A. A. Graham.

Sections - 70 73 - Final Code].

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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

James Casey

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

James Casey
of the Crime against nature,

committed as follows:

The said James Casey

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Seventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Patrick Sullivan, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and then and there feloniously, wickedly, diabolically, and against the order of nature, had a venereal affair with the said Patrick Sullivan, and then and there carnally knew the said Patrick Sullivan, and then and there feloniously, wickedly, diabolically and against the order of nature, with the said Patrick Sullivan did commit and perpetrate that detestable and abominable crime of buggery and sodomy (to wit)

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be named among Christians) to
the great displeasure of Almighty
God, to the great scandal of all
human kind, 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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*Department of
Public Charities and Correction,*

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, JACOB HESS, Com's.
Office of City Prison, Co'r Franklin and Center Streets,

JAMES FINN,
Warden.

New York,

June 7 1884

*J Sparks
Clerk Court of General
Sessions*

*I have examined
William Casey and find him
sane and responsible. (Though
he has been in an asylum) at
the present time I find no
evidence of insanity about
him*

Respectfully

*William L. Hardy M.D.
Physician to Inpts*

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The Society of the New York Hospital,

HOUSE of RELIEF, 160 Chambers St.

New York, May 8th 1884

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that

Patrick Sullivan

was under treatment at this Hospital,

for laceration of the anal muco-
cutaneous tissue

from 4:33 pm. May 7th 1884, to 8 am. May 8th 1884,

and that at present he seems
in a condition not to need
hospital treatment.

R.B. Jessup, House Surgeon
per C. S. Ch.

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Police Court 3 District.

of the 5th 1887

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles E. Hunt
242 East 85th

James Casey

Office *Sadowney*

Dated May 8 1887

Magistrate

Officer

10 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 100 East 23rd Street.

James Hunt

No. 100 East 23rd Street.

R. B. Hunt

No. 160 Chambers Street.

to answer *Will Hunt*

William Hunt

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 *James Casey*

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

Dated *May 8* 1887 *John P. Hunt* 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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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3rd District Police Court.

James Casey 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. *James Casey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *43 Madison Street, 9 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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

Answer. *I am sorry I done it*

James Casey
Mass

Taken before me this

day of

May

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John J. Starnes

Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT— 3 — DISTRICT.

years former *Charles E. Reade* aged 40
of No. *242 East 85th* Street, being duly sworn, deposes andsays that on the *7th* day of *May* 188*4*at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *James Casey*

(nowhere) did upon the person of Patrick Sullivan a child of the age of 8 years commit the abominable ~~and detestable~~ Crime against Nature

That respondent caught said defendant in the cellar of the Ruins of the Windsor Theater, No. 45 Bowery in the act of having his penis in the posterior of said Patrick and respondent pulled said Casey from the person of said Sullivan

Sworn to before me } *Charles E. Reade*
this 8th day of May 188*4*

Wm J. Horman Police Justice

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Charles, Charlie

DATE:

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W.H. May
Counsel
Filed *May* 1884
Pleas *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
P
Charles Charles
[2 cases]

PETER B. OLNEY,
~~JOHN H. HIGGON~~
District Attorney

A True Bill.

W.M. Kirby
Foreman

Deborah of. by
Sentence on May
for Capt. in. Just Secy

Chas. C. Fitzgerald

1087 Ludlow St.

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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

Charlie Charles

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

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

The said *Charlie Charles*

late of the *7th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *10th* day of *May* 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 *Thomas E. Fitzgerald*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, *he, the said Charlie Charles being then and there armed with a dangerous weapon, to wit: with a certain knife* there being whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one *Catharine Fitzgerald* within the said dwelling house, the said

Charlie Charles

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods chattels and personal property of *the said Thomas E. Fitzgerald* 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.

Peter B. Olney,

District Attorney

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Day of Trial, *CHM*
Counsel,
Filed, *27* day of *May* 188*4*
Pleads, *Guilty (20)*

Assault in the First Degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charlie Charles

et al. [2 cases]

Mrs

Carpenter

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MCKEON~~

District Attorney.

Pr New 9/84

pleads guilty

A TRUE BILL.

CHM
Foreman.

104th St.

104th St.

Thos. C. Fitzgerald

100th St. N.Y.C.

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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

Charlie Charles

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

Charlie Charles

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

The said *Charlie Charles*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *15th* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *20*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas E. Fitzgerald*, in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas E. Fitzgerald*, with a certain *knife* which the said *Charlie Charles*

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

Charlie Charles

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

The said *Charlie Charles*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Thomas E. Fitzgerald*, then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *in* the said *Thomas E. Fitzgerald*, with a certain *knife* which the said *Charlie Charles*

Charles in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

~~JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.~~

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~~First~~
SECOND COUNT

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

Charlie Charles

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

The said Charlie Charles

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the ninth
day of May, 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 Thomas E. Fitzgerald

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 Charlie
Charles, in the said Thomas E. Fitzgerald,
with a certain knife
which he the said in his right hand then and there had and held, in
and upon the neck and breast
of him the said Thomas E. Fitzgerald,
then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut,
bruise and wound, thereby then and there willfully and wrongfully, feloniously inflicting
upon the said Thomas E. Fitzgerald,
grievous bodily harm, to wit: sharply then and

there cutting and wounding

his neck and breast

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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June 4th 1884

Captain Capelance

Dear Sir

There has been so many
delays in the case of
Thomas Fitzgerald against
Charles Charles. that I
would most Respectfully
ask you to see what you
can do. in the District
Attorneys office to accelerate
matters. as the Complainant
is about to leave for Canada
in a few days on his
wedding tour. And I am
afraid we will fail in the
case for the want of a

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

Prosecutor ~~James~~

Very Respectfully

Wm. H. Nash

9th Feb

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Police Court 2 District 1352

Thomas & Fitzgerald
10 St. Louis Ave
Charlie Charles

Offence Felocious Assault

Dated May 22 1884
David Magistrate.
W. H. Nash Officer.
9th Precinct.

Witnesses J. L. Kewell & J.
No. 111 West 10th St.
Lawrence W. Robertson
No. 110 W. 10th St.

No. _____ Street _____
to answer Sessions.
100th
born

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 Charlie Charles

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

Dated May 22 1884 Solomon B. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1884 _____ 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 _____ 1884 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charlie Charles*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *France*

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

Answer. *St Louis 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *carpenter*

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

Answer. *I was drunk and was looking for girls and did not know what I was doing*
Charlie Charles

Taken before me this *22*
day of *May* 189*8*
John H. Smith
Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

William H. Nash

of No. the 9th Precinct Police

9th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the

day of

May

188x

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

who arrested Charles

Charles (now here) charged with having feloniously assaulted and beaten one Thomas Fitzgerald by stabbing said Thomas in the neck with a pocket knife then and there held in the hands of said defendant causing injuries from which the said Thomas is now confined in St Vincent's Hospital and is unable to appear in court as set forth in the annexed certificate said Thomas fully identified the said Charles in the presence of defendant as the person who had

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inflicted the said injuries on him
wherefore defendant prays he may be held
to await the result of the said injuries

Sworn to before me
this 9th day of May 1884
C. J. White

J. H. Marsh
Police Justice

POLICE COURT—2 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. H. Nash

vs.
Charles Charles

Dated

May 9

188

White

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition

Held to account

As result of injuries

New Complaint

to New May 22

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St. Vincent's Hospital

195 West Eleventh St.

New York, May 9th 1884

To whom it may concern:—

This is to certify that Thomas
Fitzgerald, a patient in this Hospital
suffering from stab wounds of
neck, is unable to leave
Hospital.

Very respectfully,
Thos J. Kane M.D.
House Surgeon.

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Police Court, 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss.

of No.

Thomas E Fitzgerald
10 St Lukes Place Street,

39 years Liquor dealer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Friday the 9th day of May

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 Charlie
Charles (now here) who cut
and stabbed deponent in
the throat and breast and
on his hands, with a knife then
and then held in the hand
of said Charles.

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 22 day
of May 1884

Thos E Fitzgerald
Soloumit POLICE JUSTICE.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1424

DESCRIPTION:

Chichester, Gilbert

DATE:

05/14/84



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Witness

Michael Brumman

William Bridge

Albert H. Harrison

Office
25 Precinct

City

✓
Counsel, *George Blake*
Filed 14 day of May 1884
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
P
Gilbert Chickster
Robbery in the 1st Degree
(Sections 224 and 225.)
PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN MERTON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.

W. W. Morley
Foreman.
May 23 To May 28 1884
J. E. D.
Spec. Acq. 1884

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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

Gilbert Clitchester

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

——— Gilbert Clitchester ———

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY IN THE — First — DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Gilbert Clitchester ———

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Ninth ——— day of — May ——— in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force
and arms, in and upon one Michael Brennan ———
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, (the
said Gilbert Clitchester being
then and there armed with a
dangerous weapon, of a kind and
description to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown) and one pair
of trousers of the value of five
dollars, ———

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said ———
——— Michael Brennan ———
from the person of said Michael Brennan ——— and against
the will and by violence to the person of the said Michael Brennan
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, 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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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

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 1884
 Police Court 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Richmond
at Sandwich Shells
William's Bridge South
William's Education

2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____

Offence, *Robbery*

Dated *May 10th* 1884

W. R. Smith Magistrate.

William Richmond Officer.

at the Police Court

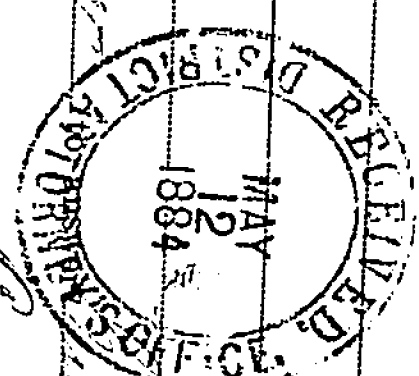
Witnesses, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

William Richmond



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 Richmond*

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 *May 10th* 1884 *Samuel C. Briggs* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1884 _____ 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 _____ 1884 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

6th

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Gilbert Lechichester 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. *Gilbert Lechichester*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Sanbury - Conn -*

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

Answer. *Jermine Ave & Boston Road 1st Me North*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Farmer*

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*

Gilbert Lechichester

Taken before me this

10th

day of

January

1884

Samuel C. McElroy

Police Justice.

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Police Court

6th District.CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.*Michael Brennan*

~~Michael Brennan~~ *Michael Brennan* being duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that on the 9th day of May 1884, at the 24th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ:

One pair cloth pantaloons

of the value of five DOLLARS,
the property of deponent
and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

Gilbert Chickster (seen here), from the fact that deponent had said property in his possession and the said Gilbert Chickster did attempt to pull said pantaloons from deponent's possession and while in the act of doing so did strike deponent upon the head with some hard substance which he the said Gilbert Chickster then & there held in his hand and after striking deponent said then did seize the above described property from deponent's possession and walk away with the same

*Michael Brennan*Sworn before me, this 10th day of May 1884*Samuel M. Kelly* POLICE JUSTICE.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, Jennie

DATE:

05/02/84



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Connors, Lizzie

DATE:

05/02/84



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Witnesses:

Eustace Glatfelter

Dec 7 10th Nov

1911

Counsel,

Filed day of *Nov* 1884

Heads *W. H. Glatfelter*

vs. THE PEOPLE
vs. *Jennie Collins*
vs. *and*
vs. *Wm. H. Glatfelter*
vs. *Lizzie Combs*

Grand Larceny (from the person)
[Sections 528, 529, Penal Code]

PETER B. OLNEY,

Is *May 9/84* District Attorney.

Not *pleads* *Attorney & C. G. Glatfelter*

A True Bill.

Pen 2 years.

Wm. H. Glatfelter Foreman.

Not *pleads* *24/84*

Dr. Glatfelter *1884*
Ordered & Committed At 9 o'clock

1 May 13. 84. 4/18

June 2. 84. 4/18

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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

Jennie Collins
and
Sizzie Comars

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Jennie Collins and Sizzie Comars
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said Jennie Collins and Sizzie
Comars, each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty eighth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-four, in the night time of the said day, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, one watch of the

value of twenty dollars, and
one chain of the value of
twenty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Gustav Klotzky —
on the person of the said Gustav Klotzky —
then and there being found, from the person of the said Gustav Klotzky —
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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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 3^d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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vs. J. M. J.

Lizzie Brown
Jennie Collins

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Offence

from Person

Dated April 28 188

Magistrate.

17
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

Lizzie Brown
and Jennie Collins
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they 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 they
give such bail.

Dated April 29 188
Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

34 District Police Court.

Lizzie Bowers 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.

Lizzie Bowers

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

20 & Forsyth Street one month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Home Keeper

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Lizzie Bowers
work

Taken before me this

day of

1889

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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

72 District Police Court.

Jimmie Ballen 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 *he* see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *her* that *he* 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. *Jimmie Ballen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *33 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York State*

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

Answer. *No of first street two weeks*

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 not guilty*

Jimmie Ballen

Taken before me this *21st*
day of *April*
188 *84*
Wm. J. McQuinn
Police Justice.

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34 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.of No. 887 1st Avenue Street, Burtus Glutsky aged 34 yearsbeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 28 day of April 1884at the 10th Ward City of New York,

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

of deponent and from his person at the same time

the following property, viz :

One Silver watch and one gold
chain in all of the value of
forty dollars \$40.00the 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 Lizzie Connors andJennie Calliers (both now here)
from the fact that the deponent
was standing on the corner of Houston
and Chryatie Street waiting for a car
at the hour of one o'clock A. M. the
said defendants came up to him and
solicited him for the purpose of prostitution
and both of the defendants put their
arms around his person and felt
about his person and when the deponent

Deponent's name

Deponent's name

Police Justice

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refused to go with them both
 of them went away and left him
 and immediately after the defendants
 had left the apartment, he missed
 his watch and chain and caused
 their arrest by Officer Baughman of
 the 17th Precinct Police who was
 standing on the opposite corner and
 who found said watch and chain
 in an Ash barrel which was standing
 on the sidewalk close by the defendants
 then and there were standing and walked
 by.

Deponed to before me
 the 28th day of April 1884
 J. M. Patton

Quotations Blooming
 and just the government

Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE & C.
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

Verdict—Guilty

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1424

DESCRIPTION:

Concannon, James

DATE:

05/01/84



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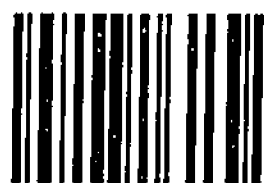
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DESCRIPTION:

Sheehan, John

DATE:

05/01/84



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Christopher Meldon

466 W. 26th

Bail fine at

#250.

FS

Bailed ~~by~~ by
Miles Hastings
265 Avenue C.

Shut a pen of
apt. 3rd floor. might
be taken in car
Apparatus good
Character before me
last. the evidence
Also show that the
Cousin was barely
beaten PS

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Counsel, 2 6/10/92
Filed 1 day of May 1884
Pleads Not guilty (5)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James Concanan
(2 cases)
and
John Shachan
(2 cases)

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN MCKENON,
District Attorney.
No. 2. Pleads Guilty
A True Bill.
Wm. H. M. M.

John W. Dean Foreman.
Mr. J. W. Dean
145 No. 145 No. 145
June 3.

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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

James Concannon
and
John Sheehan

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

James Concannon and John
Sheehan

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

The said *James Concannon*

and *John Sheehan*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-
said, on the *Second* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Christopher Weldon*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully
did make an assault and *kill* the said *Christopher Weldon*
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the
said *Christopher Weldon* 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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A. Hayes Adams June 7 " " "
George Miller " 5 " " "
Alexander Lang " " " "
Edward Wells " " " "
John W. Bullough " 4 " " "
James Gould May 10 " " "

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John Sheehan
L. J. Person
is to be
Returned for
to answer a
Charge for
Bastardy

Witnesses:

Christopher Meldon

466 W 26

Wells Chancery
New York
He appeared
a Mem. on the
day of his death.

8/17/1884
1- Price
2- Osborne
Counsel,
Filed day of May 1884
Pleadings Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James Concanen
(2 counts)
and
John Sheehan
(2 counts)
Grand Larceny (2nd degree)
(From the person)
[Sections 528, 530 Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,

2^d June 5/84 District Attorney.

Read tried & not convicted
A True Bill. & Ldg. - as to

W3 jury dis. 10.
John M. Sleas Foreman.

W. C. M. 40

May 23. 7
No. 2 can be put in
indulge find on 1884
June 3. 1884

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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

James Concanon
and
John Sheehan

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
James Concanon and John
Sheehan
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said James Concanon and
John Sheehan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty sixth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty three, in the night time of the said day, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, one promissory note

for the payment of money of the
kind known as United States
Treasury notes, the same being
due and unsatis-
fied, for the payment of
and of the value of two dollars,
and two other promissory notes
for the payment of money of the
kind known as United States
Treasury notes, the same being
then and there due and unsatis-
fied, for the payment of and of
the value of one dollar each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Christopher Weldon
on the person of the said Christopher Weldon —
then and there being found, from the person of the said Christopher Weldon
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

[illegible]

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 James Concannon
and John Sheehan
guilty thereof, I order that ^{they} be held to answer the same and ^{they} 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} he
give such bail.

Dated April 25 1884 of 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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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. *John Sheehan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Brooklyn*

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

Answer. *23 Vestry St. 3 or 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Home Painter*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
John Sheehan

Taken before me this

day of

April

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W. J. Sullivan Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

James Concannon 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.

James Concannon

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

20 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

281 Avenue C. 5 or 6 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Boatman

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 didn't do it, not as I know. That is all I want to say.

his
James Concannon
(man)

Taken before me this

25th

day of

April
188*8*

Alfred J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Christopher Weldon
 of No. *466 West 26th* Street, *Bogalmon, aged 35 years,*
 being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *2nd* day of *January* 188*4*
 at the *Night time in the* City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
 of deponent. *And from deponents person,*
 the following property, viz:

good and lawful money of the
United States, Consisting of one
Note or bill of the denomination
and value of Two dollars, and
two notes or bills of the denomination
and value of one dollar each,
Said money being in all of the
amount and value of Four (\$4)
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 *James Concanon*
and John Sheehan, both
now here, and four other men
whose names are unknown to
deponent, for the reasons following:
 to-wit: That about the hour of 6
 o'clock P. M. of said day deponent
 was lying asleep in the Cabin
 of the Steamer "Columbia" lying
 near the East River at the foot of
 West 14th Street. That said money
 was then contained in the light

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Pocket of the pantaloons then worn
 upon dependent person. That dependent
 was awakened by feeling a hand
 in said pocket and looking up
 dependent saw said Concarman
 withdrawing his hand from said
 pocket. That dependent then discovered
 the larceny of said money and
 demanded it back and ordered
 said Concarman and said Shekman
 and said other men out of said Cabin.
 That dependent then went on deck
 and was followed by said dependants
 and said other men who thereupon
 assaulted dependent and knocked
 dependent down and kicked and
 beat dependent on the head, face
 and body in a brutal manner,
 and then ran ashore.
 Sworn to before me this Christopher his
 25th day of April 1884
 J. W. Patterson Police Magistrate
 X
 Weldon

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE vs.	ON THE COMPLAINT OF	vs.	Dated	188	Magistrate.	Officer.	Disposition	Affidavit—Larceny
THE PEOPLE vs.	ON THE COMPLAINT OF	vs.	Dated	188	Magistrate.	Officer.	Disposition	Affidavit—Larceny

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Connolly, James

DATE:

05/07/84



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Officer Hugh Mather

H. Mather

May 19

Counsel,
Filed
Pleads
7 day of May 1884
H. Mather

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James Tomlinson

CONCEALED WEAPON.
(Section 410.)

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN JACKSON~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. M. Mather
Foreman

Went to Court 23rd
May 19th 1884
Spent & convicted
Sen (24th Feb)
May 19th 1884

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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

James Connolly

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

James Connolly

of the CRIME OF CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said *James Connolly*, late of the First Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *1st* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*80* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did knowingly and secretly conceal upon his person a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as a *stun gun*, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

James Connolly

of the CRIME OF POSSESSING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said *James Connolly*, late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did wilfully and furtively possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as a *stun gun*, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY
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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

TO THE PROPE-
RIETIES OF THE
CITY OF NEW YORK,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James J. Sullivan

James J. Sullivan

James J. Sullivan

Dated May 4 1884

James J. Sullivan

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James J. Sullivan

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 Two Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated May 4 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 h to be discharged.

Dated 1884

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

James Connolly 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. *James Connolly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *E 26 St / 10th East River*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Glass Business*

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*
James Connolly

Taken before me this *17*
day of *August* 188*8*
James Connolly
Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Hugh Martin
The 28 Precinct

of No. Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 2 day of May 1884

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

arrested James Connolly working
at a Picnic held at the
Empire City Coliseum
A gun, 6 ft. and found
in his possession and
concealed upon his person
a thing that (here shown)
with the intent to use
the same in violation of
the Penal Code Section 410
Hugh Martin

Sworn to before me, this

of May

1884

day

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City of New York Police Justice

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Testimony in the
case of
James Conolly
filed

May
1882.

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 The People vs. James J. Connolly } Court of General Sessions. Part II.
 Before Recorder Smyth.
 Friday, May 16. 1884.

Indictment for carrying concealed weapons.
 Hugh Martin sworn. I am an officer of the
 28th precinct; on the 3rd of May I was on
 duty at Jones' Wood at a picnic; Saturday
 evening. I saw the prisoner there that even-
 ing. I first saw him between 9 and 10
 o'clock when my attention was called to
 a disturbance on the platform; he was
 one of the principal disturbers; he was
 taken away by friends down stairs. About
 an hour afterwards my attention was called
 by an officer in uniform to a young man
 who had a dagger. I grabbed hold of the pris-
 oner from the front, he was facing me
 I immediately turned him around and
 tried to push him to an enclosed place;
 he pulled his hand out of his right
 hand pocket and threw this sharp
 shot (producing it) against the counter.
 I turned around, I saw the officer
 following me and I told him (Officer Keller)
 who was in uniform. I searched him
 and found nothing else on him only
 that; he had his hand in his right hand
 pocket. I turned him around quick; he

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pullled it out and threw the hand. Cross
Examined. I did not see the prisoner strike
any blows at the first disturbance. If he had
I would have arrested him. I saw him after-
wards stand beside the bar. I guess there
was five or six people around the bar, which
is as large as this room. I was in citizens
clothes and was about fifteen feet away
from him. He did not know me; I did
not say anything. I grabbed him immedi-
ately and turned him around to push
him into this enclosure before he could
have a chance to get rid of the slung shot.
He pulled his hand out and threw it
away; the same time I heard it strike
against the counter; it was 10 1/2 or 11 o'clock.
Phillip Weller sworn. I am an officer of the
2nd precinct and was on duty at Jones'
Wood on the 3rd of May. I saw Officer Martin
arrest the prisoner. I saw him go over and
seize the prisoner and turn him around;
the minute he turned him around I went
over. I saw the prisoner take the slung shot
and throw it against the bar. I picked
it up and handed it to officer Martin.
I did not take much notice of the prisoner.
Cross Examined. You saw him throw this
thing? Yes sir; it struck the bar at the
same time.

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James Connolly, sworn and examined in his own behalf. I live in East Twenty fifth St. I worked as a helper in a Greenpoint glass house. I was working there about six months and was regularly employed up to the time of the arrest. I was not in possession of the slung shot, there was about eight of us together at the bar and that got dropped. I did not have it in my hand. Before I knew where I was that man (the officer) caught me, I did not know who he was; then he accused me of having that slung shot. I had not it in my possession at all. Cross Examined. I heard the officer swear that I threw it out of my hand; he told a falsehood when he said that; Officer Weller must have told a falsehood for I did not drop it. I don't know the number in Twenty fifth St. where I live; it is the left hand side going down towards the river - the uptown side. (Examination shown) This is my signature. The justice in 57th St. Court only asked me if I had the slung shot in my possession. He asked me if I was guilty and I said, "no," I have been living in the house in Twenty fifth St. since the 1st of May. I was arrested once for standing at the corner. I never was arrested for anything else except on this charge.

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Geoff Sparrow sworn. I was present the night of this occurrence. Me and the prisoner were at the bar with about seven or eight more, we were just going to drink, 25 or 30 all around the bar room. The first thing I knew I heard a rap and I saw something on the floor, a brass knob lying about fifteen feet away from him. James Connolly was standing alongside and the officer tells him to come along. I could not tell whether he was an officer. He came along and put his hand on the prisoner's shoulder and shoved him into the enclosure. I was right at the end of the bar room. That is all I saw. Did you see that weapon or any weapon in his possession at that time. No sir. I did not. Did you see him attempt to throw anything away? No sir. I was standing alongside of him. Cross Examined. I know the prisoner, I went with him that night. I live 341 Twenty Seventh St. The prisoner came up to the house for me that night to go to the picnic. I was talking with him at the bar when the officer arrested him. I was not with the prisoner the time he was arrested for standing on the corner. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty with a recommendation to mercy.

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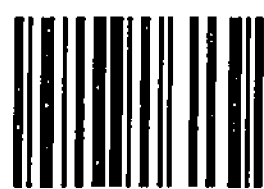
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DESCRIPTION:

Cooper, William

DATE:

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Witnesses :

Counsel,

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Grand Larceny
(From the person)
[Sections 528, 537, — Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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William Cooper

H. D.

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

24 May 24/84

True copy.

A True Bill.

W. M. Kirby
Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Cooper

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

William Cooper

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

The said

William Cooper

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *one coat of the*

value of four dollars, and one

vest of the value of one

dollar

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

Per G. O. Henry

District Attorney

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BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 5, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

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Police Court B District.
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Eugene Harris
vs. ~~James~~ *William Cooper*
1 *William Cooper*
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Dated May 8 1884
Cerrano Magistrate.
Noelsted Officer.
10 Precinct.
Witnesses *de la officer*
No. _____ Street _____
Eugene Harris, Complainant,
vs. *William Cooper*
Came at Motion of *William Cooper*
No. _____ Street _____
\$ 1000 to answer *de la*

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 Cooper*

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 *May 8* 1884 *John J. ...* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1884 _____ 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 _____ 1884 _____ Police Justice.

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—G. H. BLAKE.—

—C. R. TRAVIS.—

BLAKE & TRAVIS,

— COMMISSION DEALERS IN —

BERRIES, POULTRY, EGGS,

And all kinds of Country Produce,

636 HUDSON STREET.

New York, May 23rd 1884

Mr Peter B. Quay

Dear Sir

notify the Four Gentlemen
mentioned. to appear as
witnesses against James Washington
on the 27th day of May
and oblige.

Geo. H. Blake
11 9th ave City

Henry Lubers
40 Gauseport St
City

L. C. Thompson
18 Little 12th St
City

William Van Woert
9 9th ave.
City

Wm. Fielcke
41 Little 12th St
City

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Pro
James Mackenzie

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

POLICE COURT, ② DISTRICT.

of John Koelsted
the 10th Precinct Police, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the 5th day of May 188 ✓

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

(nowhere) is a material witness for
the people of the State of New York
against one William Cooper
charged with larceny from the
person, deponent fears that
said Eugene will not appear when
required, therefore deponent
prays that he may be committed
to the House of Detention
John Koelsted

Sworn to before me, this
of May 188 ✓
John Koelsted
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Cooper 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 Cooper

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 34 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City Connecticut (Bridgeport)

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

Answer. Carlton House, over 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Salesman

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 Cooper

Taken before me this

day of May1888

Police Justice.

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3rd District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.of No. 283 Bowery Street,Eugene Harris aged 48 yearsbeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 5 day of May 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 and from the person of deponent at night time
the following property, viz :One bundle containing a coat & vest
of the value of five dollars

Sworn before me this

day of

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 William Cooper (nowhere)
and another person not arrested, and whose name is unknown

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Police Justice

to deponent

from the fact that at the hour of about
1 o'clock in the morning of said 5th day
of May 1884 deponent was standing on
the corner of Bowery & Houston Street,
when deponent had said bundle containing
said property under his arm—that said Cooper in company of a
woman the person unknown to deponent
came up to deponent, and said Cooper

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requested deponent to treat to drinks -
 deponent refused, said Cooper then
 told deponent to give said bundle to
 said unknown person which deponent
 also refused. That said unknown
 person then reached said bundle
 from under deponent's arm and
 she run away. said Cooper held
 deponent, and prevented deponent from
 pursuing said unknown person -
 Deponent Charges that said Cooper
 and said unknown person acted in
 concert together in taking and stealing
 deponent's property -

Subscribed before me this Eugene Harris
 5th day of April 1884
 John H. Norman Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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DESCRIPTION:

Cosgrove, James

DATE:

05/26/84



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Witnesses:

Clark Corcoran

200 P. 1000

2 Corcoran
for assault

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed, 26 day of May 1884

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F

James Corcoran

Assault in the First Degree

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. Murphy

Foreman.

May 1884

Heard & found duly

H. W. C. Mason

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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

James Corzane

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

James Corzane

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

The said

James Corzane

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Twenty* day of *May* 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 *Elizabeth Corzane* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Elizabeth Corzane* with a certain *knife* which the said *James Corzane*

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

James Corzane

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

The said

James Corzane

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Elizabeth Corzane*, then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *her* the said *Elizabeth Corzane* with a certain *knife* which the said *James*

Corzane in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there 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~~
SECOND COUNT

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

James Coragone

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

The said James Coragone

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the twelfth
day of May, 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 Elizabeth Coragone

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 James
Coragone, ~~her~~ the said Elizabeth Coragone,
with a certain knife
which ~~he~~ ~~the said~~ in his right hand then and there had and held, in
and upon the breast
of ~~her~~ the said Elizabeth Coragone
then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut,
bruise and wound, thereby then and there willfully and wrongfully, feloniously inflicting
upon the said Elizabeth Coragone
grievous bodily harm, to wit: thereby then and
there cutting and wounding
her left breast

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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BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 5, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles H. Brough
for Justice of

James Cosgrave

Offence *Voluntarily Assault*

Dated *May 23* 188*8*

W. H. B. B. B. Magistrate.

John J. Brennan Officer.

114 Precinct.

Witnesses *James H. B. B.*

No. *114* Street *114*

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

& *James H. B. B.* to answer Sessions.

James H. B. B.

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 *May 23* 188*8* *W. H. B. B.* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

James Cosgrove 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 *James Cosgrove.*

Question How old are you?

Answer *35 Years.*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *New York.*

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

Answer *22 Prince Street 4 Months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Ship 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 of the Charge.*
James Cosgrove

Taken before me this

day of

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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POLICE COURT—

DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Brennan

vs. 6

James Casgrove

Dated

13 May

188

P G Duffy

Magistrate.

Brennan

Officer.

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Witness,

Disposition

Com to mail
result of inquest

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

POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.

of the 14 Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 12 day of May 1884

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, James Cosgrove.

(nowhere) as deponent is informed that said James Cosgrove did wilfully cut and stab Elizabeth Cosgrove in the breast with the blade of a Knife then and there held in his hand causing painful wound said Elizabeth is now confined to her house and unable to appear in court to make complaint

Deponent prays that said James may be committed to await the results of the injuries of said Elizabeth John Brennan

Sworn to before me, this

1884

May

13

day

Police Justice.

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DR. M. B. FEENEY,

248 MOTT STREET,

OFFICE HOURS:

Till 10 A. M.

1 to 2 P. M.

6 to 8 P. M.

NEW YORK.

May 19th 84

Mrs Cogrove of 22 Prince
St. is still unable to appear
in court as the infla-
mation has not sufficient-
ly subsided in her breast
to permit her moving
about. M. B. Feeney M.D.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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N. Y., May 11th 64
I hereby certify that
I have this evening
seen Mrs. Canover
872 Prince St. and
find her suffering from
two stab wounds of
the chest, neither of
which extend beyond
the ribs. She is also
suffering from ^{surgical} shock
the result of her wounds
M. B. Keeney M.D.
208 No. 1 St.

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Police Court— District—

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 22 Prince Street,

Age 61 Married being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Monday the 13th day of May

in the year 1884 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James
Cosgrove (now here) who threw
and maliciously struck deponent
two blows on the body with a
knife then and there held
in the hands of the said James
Cosgrove cutting and stabbing
deponent in the left breast
causing two painful wounds.

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, 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 13 day
of May 1884

Elizabeth Cosgrove
Mark

Wm. Bush POLICE JUSTICE.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1424

DESCRIPTION:

Crowley, Michael

DATE:

05/09/84



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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No 26.
C. J. Chicklin
Counsel,

Filed 9 day of May 1884
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P
Michael Crowley
(2 Cases)

PETER B. OLNEY,
~~JOHN MCKEON,~~

District Attorney.

22 Nov 1891
Subscribed to and Ackd.
A True Bill.

A. M. Murray
Foreman.

may 15 1891
21 11 19/10

Burglary, Second Degree,
Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods,
(Sections 49, 506, 528, 59 2, and 550).

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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 Crowley

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

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

The said *Michael Crowley* —

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* 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 *one* *Sass*

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

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one *Emil* *Wasser* within the said dwelling house, the said

Michael Crowley then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods chattels and personal property of *the said Sasson*

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 —

— *Michael Crowley* —
of the CRIME OF *Breach of the Peace* committed as follows:

The said *Michael Crowley* —

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said —

first day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-*two*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the

year time of said day, with force and arms, *one bag*

of the value of two dollars,

one value of the value of

two dollars, and several

articles of clothing and

wear of apparel, of a value

of ten dollars, as described to

the Grand Jury aforesaid

in the value of

ten dollars —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Theodore*

Thompson — in the dwelling house of one

Samuel Garrison, 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.

Peter B. O'Leary,

District Attorney.

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PART 2.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.
If this Subpena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpena 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.]

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

The People of the State of New York,
To *Emil Weher*
of No. *107 Greenwich* 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 *10th* day of *June* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and give evidence in our behalf, against

Michael Crowley

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 *June* in the year of our Lord 188*8*

PETER B. OLNEY, ~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

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In E.A. No. m.
May 3.
Committed to the
Warden and Keeper

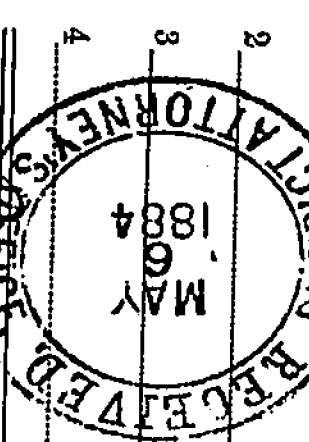
BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 1
Police Court
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James A. Allen
107 Broadway St.

Michael Crowley



Offence Burglary

Dated May 3^d 1884

Magistrate
Officer

Witnesses
Precinct

No. 107 Broadway Street

No. _____ Street

No. _____ Street

to answer General Sessions

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 Crowley

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he ~~be admitted to bail in the sum of~~ where legally discharged therefrom

Dated May 3^d 1884 scj. Owy Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

Michael Crowley 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

Michael Crowley

Question. How old are you?

Answer

22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Brooklyn

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

Answer.

38 Greenwich Street, 4 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Long Shore man*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

Michael Crowley
mark

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 32 years, occupation Ship Carpenter of No.

107 Greenwich Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Lass Lassou

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

May 3d 1888

Emile Weber

my Oroy

Police Justice.

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Police Court 1st District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.of No. 107 Greenwich Laas Lassen Street, aged 56 years,
occupation Sell coal and wood being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 107 Greenwich Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house in the
1st Ward the Basement of
and which was occupied by deponent as a store and dwelling
and in which there was at the time a human being, by nameEmil Mober
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open
the shutter on the back Basement window
and then entering said Basementon the 1st day of May 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:A valise containing wearing apparel
of the value of two dollarsthe property of Theodor Turkison in charge 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 byMichael Crowley (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That deponent securely locked
and fastened the said Basement at about
10 o'clock P.M. and went to bed. That at about
12 30 o'clock P.M. deponent was informed by
Emil Mober of 107 Greenwich Street who
was asleep in said Basement that he was
awakened by a noise in said Basement got
up and saw said deponent taking stealing
and carrying away said property, deponent

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them for charges the said defendant with
burglariously entering said premises and
stealing therefrom said property.

Sworn before me this 3^d day of May 1886
by me J. J. Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Dated 1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.