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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2321

**DESCRIPTION:**

Mager, Charles

**DATE:**

11/29/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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X-317 B

Counsel,

Filed 29 day of Apr 1886

Pleads

Witnesses:

Wm. H. 37<sup>th</sup> St. N.Y.  
 Charles Mager  
 Grand Larceny, 1<sup>st</sup> degree  
 [Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

For the State

Plead guilty  
A True Bill

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*[Signature]*

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Police Court— 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 475 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue ~~Street~~, aged 40 years,  
occupation Dressmaker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 23 day of November 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz :

A lot of fancy art work  
of the value of Thirty four dollars  
(\$34.00)

the property of E. F. Preston and in deponent's  
Care and custody.

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Charles Magor (number         )  
from the fact that on the 22<sup>d</sup> day  
of November 1886 deponent placed said  
property in a show case in front of  
her place of business at the above  
address. And on the following morning  
at about the hour of 10 O'clock Am.  
Nov 23<sup>d</sup> deponent discovered that said  
case had been broken open and the  
aforesaid property taken out. And  
deponent is informed by Officer Thomas  
Dolan of the 15<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that  
he the Officer arrested the said defendant  
on the Barry near 4<sup>th</sup> St at the hour  
of 4 O'clock Am November 23<sup>d</sup>

Sworn to before me, this  
1886 day

Police Justice.

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with the aforesaid property which  
deponent fully identifies as the property  
which she had placed in said chow  
case in his possession. Wherefore  
deponent charges the said defendant  
with feloniously taking and  
carrying away said property from a  
chow case in front of her store and  
prays he may be held and dealt  
with according to law

Mary E Bruce

Sworn to before me  
this 27<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1886

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice

Dated 1886 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 1886 Police Justice

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

Dated 1886 Police Justice

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

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

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of  
vs.  
1.  
2.  
3.  
4.

Offence—LARCENY

Dated 1886  
Magistrate.  
Officer.  
Clerk.  
Witnesses, No. Street, No. Street, No. Street, Sessions.  
to answer

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Thomas Dolan*

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. \_\_\_\_\_

*15th* *West* *Police* ~~Street~~, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Mary E. Bruce*

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

Sworn to before me, this *24*  
day of *Nov* 188 *6*

*Thomas Dolan*

*J. M. Pautas*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Charles, Mager

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 1 year out

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 354 W. 37<sup>th</sup> St 14 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Work in a safe factory

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

Answer.

I have nothing to say  
Charles Mager

Taken before me this

day of Nov 1888

J. M. Sullivan Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

1753  
 Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. *Charles Wagner*  
 2. *Ward & Sons*  
 3. *75th St. Ave.*  
 4. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Offence *Larceny (Petty)*

Dated *Nov 24 1886*

*John A. Patterson* Magistrate.  
 PRESENTED.

Witnesses *John A. Patterson* Precinct.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$ *1000* to answer *John A. Patterson* Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Dated *Nov 24* 188 *6* *John A. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0348

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Charles Maage*

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

*Charles Maage*

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

The said *Charles Maage,*

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

*divers wools of art, and divers articles of fancy goods, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of*

*Twenty four dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*E. F. Preston,*

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.

*Richard B. Smith*

District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Magill, George

**DATE:**

11/10/86



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Counsel,  
Filed *[Signature]* Day of *Nov* 188*6*

Pleads

Grand Larceny *2nd* degree  
[Sections 528, 58 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

v.s.

*George Magill*  
*11.*  
*176 N 3<sup>rd</sup>*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*Dr Nov 11/82* District Attorney.

*pleads guilty*

A TRUE BILL.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
Foreman.

*S.P. 3 year & 3 mo.*

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court 5 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 2376 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Street, aged 29 years, occupation Operator being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One Seal Skin Bag of the Value Three hundred 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 Louise Maple who admitted and confessed to deponent in the presence of Officer McCluskey that he had taken and carried away said property from deponent's possession at premises No. 201 East 127<sup>th</sup> Street; Deponent is informed by Officer McCluskey that he arrested the said Maple who informed him that said property was in premises No. 2389 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue where the said McCluskey found said property.

Elizabeth Palmer

Subscribed before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 1886

W. J. [Signature]  
Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0352

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*George M. Clusky -*  
aged *25* years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. *100*  
*Central Ave Police* Street being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Elyahut Palmer*  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *22* day of *October* 188*8*.  
*George M. Clusky*  
*Wm. [unclear]*  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 105-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

*George Magill*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*George Magill*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New Jersey*

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

Answer.

*At home*

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 guilty of the charge*

*Geo. Magill*

Taken before me this

day of *Oct* 188*8*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 7, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. 8, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

X107 B  
Police Court No. 1638  
District

THE PEOPLE &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Maguire  
Larceny

Dated Oct 22 188

Magistrate  
Precinct

Witness  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

George Maguire  
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 Oct 22 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*George Magill*

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

*George Magill* —

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

The said

*George Magill,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid on the *17th* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine* —, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one red skin package of the value of three hundred dollars;*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Elizabeth Palmer* —

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.

*Randolph Benedict*

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Mandel, Henry

**DATE:**

11/09/86



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195-13  
James Laird  
Counsel,  
Filed 9 day of Nov 188 6  
Pleads, Iniquity

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Henry Mandel  
see affidavit  
within

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
July 4/87  
Discharged by Court

A True Bill,  
Jan 11/87  
Dec 23/87  
Dec 23/87  
Dec 13/87  
Dec 13/87  
Dec 13/87

Witnesses:

It appearing by the within affidavit that it is impossible to secure the attendance of John C. ... a material and necessary witness for the People and without whose evidence a conviction cannot be had. Therefore respectfully recommend that the defendant herein, Henry

Mandel be discharged on his own recognizance  
N. Y., Feb 3 1887  
Randolph B. Martine  
District Attorney.

[Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code], Robbery, degree.

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Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

John L. Finerson  
of No. 242 Blairmont Avenue Brooklyn 41 Years  
Occupation Wholesale being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
2nd day of November 1886, at the 6th 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:

Good and Lawful Money of the United States in Bank bills & Silver Coins & a brass watch chain & a metal badge altogether

of the value of Thirteen <sup>65</sup>/<sub>100</sub> 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

Henry Mandel now here, two other men not arrested  
from the fact that at about the hour  
seven o'clock P.M. deponent went into  
a Saloon on the corner of Baxter and  
Leonard streets to get a drink and  
at about the hour of eight o'clock P.M.  
deponent left the Saloon and when about  
fifteen feet from said Saloon on Baxter  
Street one of the other men not now arrested  
struck deponent on the back of the head  
with his fist from behind and they forcibly  
seized the back of deponent by the shoulder  
and threw deponent down on the street

Henry Mandel

Subscribed to before me

at

Police Justice



**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0360

Sec. 198-200

10th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Henry Mandel 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. Henry Mandel

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 87 Sullivan Street one year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Bar tender

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  
Henry Mandel Jr.

Taken before me this 10th day of April 1898  
[Signature]  
Police Justice



County of General Sessions  
of the City and County of New York.

The People &c.

vs.  
Henry Maudslai

Sir. Please take notice,  
that I shall move this court a term  
thereof, to be held at part one of said court,  
on Thursday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1887,  
at the opening of said court or as soon there-  
after as counsel can be heard, for the  
discharge of Henry Maudslai, the defendant  
above named, on the ground that more  
than two terms of this court have been  
held and elapsed since the said defendant  
was indicted, and that he has not been  
brought to trial thereon, without any  
fault or negligence on his part.

Dated this 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1887.  
To Messrs. Randolph B. Hastings

District Attorney of New York  
Mitchell Laid  
is assigned for respondent  
47 Centre Street  
New York City

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Mr. General Seaman  
The Congress.

no.  
Nancy Maudel  
State of Michigan

Northland  
Lumber for sale  
478 Hubbard  
N.Y. City

John Paul & Co. S. Union  
S. Union Street

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Henry Mandel

Robbery

Settle bill and expenses  
& make affidavits.  
Jan 22/07. ~~ATP~~

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ORIGINAL

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People, &c.

vs.

Henry Mandel

Robbery  
OFFICE

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

City and County of New York fs:-

Thomas J. Crystal being duly sworn says:- That he is a Police Officer attached to the 6<sup>th</sup> Precinct in the City of New York. That deponent called at the office of the Barnes Lumber Company at 29 & 31 Division Street Newark, N.J. twice during the month of December 1886 and was informed by a man in charge, who deponent believed to be Mr. Barnes, that the complainant herein Mr. John C. Fineren had been employed there up to about the first day of December 1886 and that he left about that time saying he would go to New York to notify the District Attorney of his change of residence and that the said Mr. Barnes has not seen or heard of the said John C. Fineren since and does not know where he can be found.

Deponent is further informed by the said Mr Barnes that it has been the frequent custom of the said Fineren to leave for parts unknown

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for weeks at a time giving no previous notice of his intention to do so or to tell where he was going.

Sworn to before me this }  
22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1905 }  
Rudolph L. Schauf }  
Com. of Deeds }  
N. Y. City & Co. }  
Thos J Crystal

COURT OF COMMON SESSIONS

The 1. 1905

Robbery

Henry Mandel

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE  
District Attorney

Affidavit of  
Police Officer Crystal  
6 Precinct

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People of the State of New York

vs.

Henry Mandel

Parker

HANCOCK B. MARTIN,  
District Attorney.

City and County of New York :-

A. D. Parker being duly sworn says: - That he is the Chief Clerk of the District Attorney's Office of New York County. That on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 1886 deponent caused a subpoena to be mailed addressed to John C. Fineren the complainant herein in care of the Barnes Lumber Company at 29 + 31 Division Street Newark N. J. the alleged place of employment of the said John C. Fineren. That on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1887 deponent again caused to be mailed a subpoena addressed to the same person at the same address and also caused a subpoena to be mailed to the said John C. Fineren at his alleged place of residence No. 242 Blairmont Ave. Brooklyn N. Y.

That the said subpoenas above mentioned have severally been returned to the District Attorney's

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Office by the U. S. Post Office authorities  
 with the endorsement that the said  
 John C. Fineren has left the City  
 of Newark N. J. and that his present  
 address is unknown, as will appear  
 by the several envelopes hereto annexed.  
 Sworn to before me this } A. D. Parker  
 22<sup>d</sup> day of July 1887 }  
 R. D. L. Scharf  
 Court of Deeds  
 N. Y. City & Co.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People, vs.  
 Harry Mandel

RANDOLPH B. MARBLE,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of  
 A. D. Parker  
 Chief Clerk.

OFFENCE

Court of General Sessions  
of the City and County of New York.

The People vs.

Henry Maudel

Sir. Please take notice,  
that I shall move this Court at a term  
thereof to be held at <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>one</sup> of said  
Court on Friday the 4. day of February 1887.  
at the opening of the Court or as soon there-  
-after as Counsel can be heard, for the  
discharge of Henry Maudel, the defendant  
above named, on the ground that more  
than two terms of this Court have been  
held and elapsed since said defendant  
was indicted, and that he has not been  
brought to trial thereon, without any  
fault or hindrance on his part.  
Dated February 3<sup>d</sup> 1887.

John Randolph B. Martin  
Counsel for Plaintiff  
47 Centre Street  
New York City.  
Yours  
Mitchell Lind  
Counsel for Defendant  
47 Centre Street  
New York City.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.,  
being duly sworn deposes and says: that he is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age, and a clerk in  
the office of CHARLES STECKLER, Esq., the attorney for the \_\_\_\_\_ in this  
action; on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188 at No. \_\_\_\_\_  
in the City of New York, he served the annexed \_\_\_\_\_  
upon \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ therein  
by delivering to, and leaving with \_\_\_\_\_ personally \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ true cop thereof \_\_\_\_\_

Deponent further says that he knew the person so served to be \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to before me this  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188

*J. Samuelson*  
*The People vs.*  
*Henry Maudsl*

*Adm. of Justice*  
*Attorney*  
Nos. 47 & 49 Centre Street,  
N. Y. City.

Due and timely service of a copy within  
\_\_\_\_\_ is hereby admitted.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188  
RECEIVED  
FEB 20 1887  
To \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Atty.

Sir: Please take notice that the within is a  
true copy of an \_\_\_\_\_  
this day duly filed and entered in the office of  
the clerk of \_\_\_\_\_  
in this action.  
Dated N. Y., \_\_\_\_\_ 188  
Yours, &c.,  
**CHARLES STECKLER,**  
Attorney for \_\_\_\_\_ Esq.  
To: \_\_\_\_\_  
Atty. for \_\_\_\_\_

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District Attorney's Office  
City & County of  
New York

RETURNED  
TO WRITER

NEW YORK  
JAN 3  
2 PM  
1987



Mr. John C. Finerman  
c/o Barnes Lumber Co.  
29-31 Division St.  
Newark  
N.J.

Letter returned to  
the office by carrier.  
If the address on this letter is  
correct, it should be returned to  
the sender. If the address is  
incorrect, the carrier will not  
return it. Please check the  
address on the envelope and the  
return slip. If the letter is  
undeliverable, it will be  
returned to the sender.

District Attorney's Office  
City & County of  
New York

RETURNED  
TO WRITER

NEW YORK  
JAN 3  
2 PM  
1987



Mr. John C. Finerman  
c/o Barnes Lumber Co.  
29-31 Division St.  
Newark N.J. Brooklyn  
N.J.

BROOKLYN  
N.Y.  
JAN 3  
4 30 PM  
1987

District Attorney's Office  
City & County of  
New York

RETURNED  
TO WRITER

NEW YORK  
DEC 29  
5 PM  
1986



John C. Finerman  
c/o Barnes Lumber Co.  
~~29-31 Division St.~~  
~~Newark~~  
N.J.

Address  
Unknown

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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**PART I.**

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

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

*Court of General Sessions of the Peace.*

The People of the State of New York,

To *John C. Fineren*  
of No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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 5 day of *January* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Henry Mandel*  
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 *January*, in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

**PART I.**

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

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FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

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*H. Mandel*  
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 *January*, in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

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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

*Henry Mandel*

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

*Henry Mandel*

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

The said *Henry Mandel*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *John C. Sinerem*, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*one watch of the value of three dollars, one chain of the value of fifty cents, one bag of the value of ten cents, divers promissory notes for the amount of money of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of ten dollars, and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *John C. Sinerem*, from the person of the said *John C. Sinerem*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *John C. Sinerem*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *the said Henry Mandel* being then and there aided by an accomplice *adhering* present, whose name is 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.

*David B. Smith*

District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Maneely, Thomas

**DATE:**

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Counsel, *[Signature]*  
Filed *[Signature]* Day of *[Signature]* 1886

Pleads *Not Guilty*

Grand Larceny, *2nd* degree  
[Sections 528, 581 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

*R*

*Thomas Manely*  
*Deo pp.*  
*Spies Acquitted.*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*see 6th*  
*9.1.86*

Witnesses:

Witness lines (empty)

*[Stamp]*

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ORIGINAL

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City  
Oct 11/4<sup>th</sup> 86

Mr. Beckman

Dear Sir

I'm sorry to  
inform you I get in  
a little trouble since  
I saw you and  
amn't able to see you  
for a few days. I  
will make every thing  
right soon and  
will explain fully  
when I see you

Yours Truly

Thomas Manely

Andrew Beacom will prove -  
That some time ago he employed Thomas  
Manely, the defendant, to drive a horse  
which said Beacom desired to sell.

While thus employed the defendant informed  
said Beacom that he knew where a horse  
could be bought far below its value and  
said Beacom instructed the defendant  
to purchase said horse for him (Beacom)  
and to bring it to his (Beacom's) stable,  
he (Beacom) handing to the defendant  
\$100. with which to pay for said horse.

Subsequently the defendant informed  
said Beacom that he knew of a party  
who would purchase said horse from  
said Beacom at a profit - Beacom  
told the defendant to bring such man  
to him (Beacom) and also to let the  
horse be seen but under no circumstances  
to sell the horse -

On October 9<sup>th</sup> last the defendant again  
proposed to said Beacom to allow him  
(defendant) to sell said horse to two  
Butchers and desired to show said horse  
the following Sunday which said  
Beacom declined to allow and on  
the <sup>forenoon</sup> ~~afternoon~~ of that day said defendant  
went to said Beacom entered  
said Beacom's stable and in company

with the purchaser drove the horse out.

On the following day the defendant unknown to said Beacom again took said horse out and never returned it.

Said Beacom was then informed that the defendant had sold the horse for \$125. to one William Cuckley of 1425 Third Avenue who can and should testify to that fact.

The defendant subsequently sent said Beacom a letter in which he promised "to make everything right" (Letter herewith enclosed)

Mrs. Mary Ann Beacom will prove that on the Sunday following Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> William Cuckley, the reputed buyer of said horse, came to her residence and rang the bell and inquired if Thomas Manally, the defendant, had a mare in the stable in the rear of the house for sale and said Mrs. Beacom informed said Cuckley that said defendant had no horses in that stable but that her brother, <sup>in law</sup> said Andrew Beacom, had a mare for sale, at the same time said defendant had entered the stable and <sup>was</sup> taking said mare unknown to <sup>said Beacom</sup> the ~~farmer~~.

Edward Beacom will prove -  
That he was present when said  
Andrew Beacom told said defendant  
not to sell said horse and that he  
(Edward Beacom) also told said  
defendant not to sell said horse  
but to bring the buyer to the office  
of said Andrew Beacom -

William Cuckley will testify -  
That he paid said defendant for said  
horse a check for \$100. and \$25. in  
cash -

Andrew Beacom will also testify  
that he has been approached by the  
brother of the defendant for a settlement  
and when said Beacom declined  
he (said brother) threatened to give  
false testimony in the case -  
Edward Beacom will corroborate  
the above -

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The People

US

Andrew-Naney

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Police Court: 4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.  
#1.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No. 166 East 127<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 45 years,  
occupation Painter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 11 day of October 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

An animal described as a dark bay mare & valued in the sum of one hundred dollars \$100.00

the property of deponent

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

from the following facts to wit: That at the time mentioned deponent was in the employ of deponent as a driver & had the above described animal in his charge. That at said time deponent took said animal out of deponent's stable at number 166 East 127<sup>th</sup> Street in said City & went away with the same. That deponent has not returned said animal nor satisfactorily accounted for

Sworn to before me this 11 day of October 1888

Police Justice

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the same. That defendant  
had no authority to obtain  
possession of said animal  
nor to dispose of the same.

Andrew Benson

Sworn to before me  
this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1886  
Andrew Benson  
Notary Public

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Sec. 108-200.

*JH* District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Thomas Manely* 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 *Thomas Manely*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *125 Street near Second Avenue. 3 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Artist, Horse Dealer*

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. *No guilty.*  
*Thomas Manely*

Taken before me this

day of

*November 1888*

*Wm. J. ...*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

*H* District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Thomas Manely* 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 *Thomas Manely*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *125 Street near Second Avenue 3 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *restorer of horse dealers*

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. *No guilty*

*Thomas Manely*

Taken before me this *18* day of *March* 1888  
*W. J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

#138 B  
Police Court  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Richard Stevens  
166 E 117  
Thomas Munnely  
Offence  
Larceny

Dated November 6 188

Magistrate  
Officer

Prodnct.

Witnesses

No. 1  
Street

No. 2  
Street

No. 3  
Street

No. 4  
Street

\$1000 to answer  
in favor of



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

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

Dated November 6 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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*Pro. W. Cucksey*  
FROM  
**W. CUCKSEY.**  
DEALER IN  
Beef, Veal, Mutton, Lamb,  
PORK, &c.  
1425 3d Ave., bet. 8oth & 31st Sts.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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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*

*Thomas Mandy*

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

*Thomas Mandy*

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

The said *Thomas Mandy*

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

*one horse of the value of one*

*hundred dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Andrew Beacom,*

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.

*Randolph Smith*

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Marsh, Leroy J.

**DATE:**

11/05/86



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Counsel, *Star* 188  
Filed *5* day of

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Erroy J. Marsh*

*and State*  
Burglary in the Third Degree.  
Sections 499, 506, 528 and 532.

*R*  
R. RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. J. ...*

Foreman

*John ...*

*James ...*

*W. ...*

*John ...*

Witnesses:

*Erroy J. Marsh*

*A. B. ...*

*John ...*

*...*

*...*

*98.7.20*

*...*

*...*

*...*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court—2 District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 248 West 16 Street, aged 49 years,  
occupation Tailor

deposes and says, that the premises No 248 West 16 <sup>being duly sworn</sup> Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick  
building in the 16<sup>th</sup> ward of said city  
and which was occupied by deponent as a place of business & dwelling  
and in which there was at the time ~~no~~ <sup>was</sup> human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a  
pane of glass in the kitchen window and  
putting his hand in and pushing the catch  
of said window back

on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1886 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

one overcoat of the value of  
Twelve dollars (\$12.00)

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

Leroy Marsh (or Ler)

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of  
6:30 O'clock Am said date deponent  
locked and secured, fastened the doors  
and windows of his apartment which  
are the three rear rooms of the basement  
floor of said premises and went out.  
And deponent is informed by Lena Davis  
that at about the hour of 10 O'clock  
Am she was informed that a man

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Police Court—2 District.

City and County }  
of New York, } 55.:

of No. 248 West 16 Street, aged 49 years,  
occupation Tailor

Samuel Weigmann

deposes and says, that the premises No. 248 West 16 <sup>being duly sworn</sup> Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick  
building in the 16<sup>th</sup> ward of said city  
and which was occupied <sup>in part</sup> by deponent as a place of business & dwelling  
and in which there was at the time <sup>no</sup> human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a  
pane of glass in the kitchen window and  
putting his hand in and pushing the catch  
of said window back

on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1886 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One overcoat of the value of  
Twelve dollars (\$12.00)

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

Leroy Marsh (or there)

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of  
6:30 O'clock Am said date deponent  
locked and secured fastened the doors  
and windows of his apartments which  
are the three rear rooms of the basement  
floor of said premises and went out.  
And deponent is informed by Lena Davis  
that at about the hour of 10 O'clock  
Am she was informed that a man

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had broken the window and entered said room. And on going into the yard of said premises she Lena found the window broke as aforesaid and heard the defendant moving around inside of said apartments. She Lena called for the police. when an officer came and found the said defendant concealed under a mattress in one of the bedrooms of said apartments with the aforesaid overcoat which defendant fully identifies as the coat which was in his care and custody <sup>on his the defendants back.</sup> Wherefore defendant charges the said defendant with burglarious entering said premises as aforesaid and feloniously taking stealing and carrying away said overcoat. and pray he may be held and dealt with according to law

J. J. Wegmann

Sworn to before me  
this 2<sup>d</sup> day of Nov 1886

J. Kilbuck Police Justice

Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary \_\_\_\_\_ Degree.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Bail.

Bailed by \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Lena Ains*

aged *32* years, occupation *Housekeeper* of No. *248 West 16<sup>th</sup>* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that *§* she has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Thomas Weymann* and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *2* day of *November* 188*6* } *Mrs Lena Ains*

*J. J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

*Leroy Marsh*

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. *Leroy Marsh*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York State*

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

Answer. *98 1/2 Ave. 9 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labourer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Leroy J. Marsh*

Taken before me this

day of *November* 1888

*R. J. Marsh*  
Police Justice.

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

5303  
 Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Memo Rogerson*  
 245 Nassau St. N.Y.C.  
*Sony Brown*  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Offence *Burglary*

Dated *November 2* 188*6*

*Richard* Magistrate.  
*Allen & Gill* Officers  
*16th* Precinct.

Witnesses *Sena Amos*

No. 2 *48th St. N.Y.C.*  
 No. *16th Precinct*

No. 1 *West 4th St. N.Y.C.*  
 to answer *Sen*

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

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

Dated *Nov 2* 188*6* *J. Millbank* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0396

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Jersey J. March*

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

*Jersey J. March*

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

The said

*Jersey J. March,*

late of the *Sixteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *second* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *dwelling house* of one

*Thomas Weigmann,*

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

*Thomas Weigmann,*

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

*- Jerry J. Marsh -*

of the CRIME OF  *Petit*  LARCENY - committed as follows :

The said  *Jerry J. Marsh,*

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

*one parcel of the value of Twelve dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Thomas Weigmann, -*

in the  *dwelling house*  of the said

*Thomas Weigmann, -*

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.

*Randolph M. ... District Attorney*

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Martin, Thomas

**DATE:**

11/05/86



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Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed 5 day of Nov 1886

Pleads \_\_\_\_\_  
THE PEOPLE  
vs. RI  
Thomas Martin  
115 Orange Street  
W. C. Martin  
Grand Larceny, 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
[Sections 528, 581 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]  
Foreman.  
[Signature]  
Pleaded Guilty  
2 yrs 5 mos 15  
days

Witnesses:  
[Signature]  
[Signature]  
291 Broadway  
[Signature]  
for officer  
[Signature]

[Signature]  
I do not believe  
officer is guilty  
for when but was  
which for request  
[Signature]

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0400

Police Court— 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.

Charles Lane

of No. 217 Madison Street, aged 41 years,

occupation Livery Stable Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One living Saddle Horse, of the value of one hundred and seventy-five dollars

the property of deponent and William Lane, Co-partners

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 Thomas Martin, now

here, from the fact that the said deponent then came to deponent and hired said horse for the firm of Halstead & Company.

That deponent detained the horse to said deponent who fails to return him to deponent and now here admits in open Court that he sold said horse, at the Horse Market, to a man he did not know.

Charles Lane

Sworn to before me, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1886  
William H. ...  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0401

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Thomas Martin 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 Thomas Martin

Question. How old are you?

Answer 26 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 165 Forsyth St. 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Butcher

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. I sold the horse to a man whom I don't know, at the horse market.

Thos Martin

Taken before me this

3

day of November 188 6

W. M. H. ...

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0402

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

#588  
 Police Court  
 District  
 3<sup>rd</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> 39

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
 vs.  
 Charles James

vs.  
 Thomas Martin

Offence Larceny

Dated November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1888

Walter M. ...  
 Magistrate

W. J. ...  
 Precinct

No. 217 ...  
 Street

No. ...  
 Street

No. 1500 ...  
 Street

Conrad

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

Thomas Martin

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~Five~~ 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 November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1888 *W. J. Putnam* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0403

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*against*

*Thomas Martin*

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

*Thomas Martin*

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

The said *Thomas Martin*,

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

*one horse of the value of one hundred and seventy five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Charles Lane,*

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.

*David H. Stewart*  
*Robert [unclear]*

0404

**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2321

**DESCRIPTION:**

Matthews, Charles

**DATE:**

11/05/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0405

\$52.13

Counsel,  
Filed 5 day of Nov 1886

Pleads Guilty

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Charles Matthews  
14  
418 E. 11<sup>th</sup>  
photo

Grand Larceny in the second degree.  
(MONEY)  
(Sec. 598 and 531, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Pr Nov 17/96 District Attorney.

pleads guilty  
A True Bill. SP 3 yrs & 3 mos.



Foreman.

Witnesses:

Witness signature lines

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0406

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

POLICE COURT, 3<sup>rd</sup> DISTRICT.

of *the 14<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police* Street, aged *26* years,  
occupation *Police officer* being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the *30* day of *October* 188*6*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *he arrested*  
*Charles Matthews (now here)*  
*on the complaint of Julius Seff,*  
*of No. 352 East 12 Street who charged*  
*that said defendant with having*  
*stolen from his person a pocket*  
*book containing gold and lawful*  
*money to the amount and value*  
*of thirty dollars. That said complainant*  
*is unable to appear in court this day*  
*to make complaint, therefore deposes*  
*prays that said Matthews be committed*

Sworn to before me, this

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0407

for *Quinnism*, and for the purpose to allow deponent time to obtain the evidence to sustain said charge sworn to before me this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 1886

*J. M. Patterson*

*Police Justice*

4/146 District, Police Court, 3

THE PEOPLE, & c., ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Andrew Oppelt*

*vs.*  
*Charles Matthews*

Dated *Oct 31* 1886

*Patterson* Magistrate.

*Oppelt* Officer.

Witness,

Disposition *6x2 1/2 P.M.*

*[Signature]*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0408

Police Court— 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 353 East 12<sup>th</sup> Street, aged Julius Sepp, years, occupation Barber being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

one pocket-book containing gold and lawful money of the United States to the amount and of the value of thirty-two dollars

the property of deponent

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

here, from the fact that while deponent stood in front of his Barber shop in said parish, the said deponent approached deponent and lovingly threw his arms about deponent's neck and said to deponent "give me a hair cut and I'll pay you 10-dollars"; and at the same instant deponent caught the right hand of said deponent in the right side pocket of the pants then upon deponent's person, and wherein said pocket book and money then was, and

Subscribed to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 1886

Notary Public

Police Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0409

Said property was in the hands of  
said department and was removed  
from this bond to the sidewalk  
I am to sign on this (week) 1<sup>st</sup>  
1<sup>st</sup> day November 1896

A. M. Patterson Police Justice

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0410

Sec. 198-200.

3

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *Charles Matthews*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *19 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *414 East 18<sup>th</sup> St. 2 years.*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. That is all I have to say.*

*Charles Matthews*

Taken before me this *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 188 *8*  
*Wm. J. ...*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0411

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

#52 B 3 1st District  
Police Court

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Julius Lapp  
352 E. 12th St.

Charles Matthews

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Offence Larceny  
the purchased

Dated November 1 188

Matthews Magistrate

Oppelt Officer

19 Precinct

Witnesses

No. Street

No. 1500 to witness  
G.S. Street

Ernst

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

Charles Matthews

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

Dated November 1 188 J. J. 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.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0412

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Charles Matthews*

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

*Charles Matthews*

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

The said *Charles Matthews,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *day* time of the same day, *one*

promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *—*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *fifteen* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *—*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; *—* divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *two dollars,*

*and one pocket watch of the value of one dollar,*

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Julius S. S.* on the person of the said *Julius S. S.* then and there being found, from the person of the said *Julius S. S.* 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2321

**DESCRIPTION:**

Mayer, William

**DATE:**

11/05/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0416

Richard

Counsel,

Filed 5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1886

Pleads *Not guilty*

Grand Larceny, 2<sup>nd</sup> degree [Sections 628, 681 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

William Mayer

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Attorney at Law

Filed Nov 17/86 District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. B. Martine*

Oct 2-11

Foreman.

Nov 15<sup>th</sup>

G.S.A

Witnesses:

Considering the earnest  
desire of complainant  
to withdraw and the  
defendant's employer  
willing to take him  
back and the excellent  
character of defendant  
I ask that he may  
be discharged on his  
own recognizance.  
Nov 17<sup>th</sup> 86 G.S.A  
A.D.R

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0417

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Della Hancock*

aged 22 years, occupation Married of No.

156 1/2 N. 11th Avenue Street being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Peter H. Hunt

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

Sworn to before me, this 31  
day of October 1888

Mrs. Della Hancock

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Joseph H. Thayer*

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation Police Officer of No.

14th 32nd Street being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Peter H. Hunt

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

Sworn to before me, this 31  
day of October 1888

Joseph H. Thayer

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0418

Police Court— 5 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. St Nicholas Ave #156<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 36 years,  
occupation Boarding House Keeper being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 26 day of October 1888 (at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One double barreled gun of the value  
of nearly 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 Thomas Kelly and William Meyer

(both negro men) from the following facts to wit— that on said date deponent was informed by Edella Heacock 156<sup>th</sup> St & St Nicholas Avenue that said Kelly called and requested that she give him said Kelly said gun that deponent had just him for the same price that she believing that deponent had so valued said gun, gave the same into the possession of said Kelly. Deponent is further informed by Officer Joseph H. Meyer of the 33<sup>rd</sup> Precinct Police that he had arrested said Meyer, and found in his possession a gun that deponent has seen said gun find in the possession of said Meyer, and fully identifies the same as his.

Sworn to before me this 26 day of October 1888  
of St Nicholas Ave  
Edella Heacock  
Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0419

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*William Meyer* 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 Meyer*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *US*

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

Answer *50th St. bet Courtland & Morris. 7 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer *Mill hand*

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 with the other boy  
William Meyer*

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0420

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Thomas Reilly*

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 *Thomas Reilly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *MS*

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

Answer. *150 St & B Ave 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Stair builder*

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 went in and asked for the gun and got it.*

*Thomas Reilly*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 188*8*

*Charles J. Smith*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0421

*November*

*[Signature]*

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

Police Court District *1637*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John McArthur*  
*James Kelly*  
*William Meyer*  
 Offence *Grand Larceny*

Dated *October 31* 188

Magistrate  
 Other  
 Prefect

Witnesses  
 No. *1* *James Kelly*  
 No. *2* *William Meyer*  
 No. *3* *John McArthur*  
 No. *4* *James Kelly*  
 \$ *500* to answer

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

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 *October 31* 188 *James Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

William Mayer

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

~~no. I know my father before~~

and I always found him honest and trustworthy. And where if he desired to be dishonest he had plenty of opportunity to do so. I believe now that he took the gun for the purpose of having some fun. And I don't think he meant to steal it. I respectfully ask that he be discharged.

Dexter H. Hunt

Wm. H. Hunt  
by James J. [unclear]

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0423

*Withdrawal*

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0424

New York Nov 8<sup>th</sup> 1886

No

Bought of **THE MOTT HAVEN POTTERY,**

ANTON BOSS, PROPRIETOR,

TERMS CASH.

134th Street, East of 3d Avenue.

This is to certify that W. Meyer  
has been in my employ from Aug 1883  
to Sept. 1885. to my sature factory

Anton Boss.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0425

L. H. MACE.

OFFICE OF

F. S. GWYER.

L. H. MACE & CO.,  
MANUFACTURERS OF

REFRIGERATORS, WOODENWARE, CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES, Etc.

IMPORTERS OF

Toys, Dolls; Fancy Goods, China, Wood and Willow Ware,

111, 113, 115 & 117 EAST HOUSTON STREET,

New York, Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1886

To whom this may concern

This is to certify that William Meyers  
has been in our employ since last September.  
& We have always found him to be an  
honest & willing young man. While in our employ  
always willing & ready to do as he was told.  
any thing you may do in his behalf will be  
appreciated by

Yours Very Truly  
L. H. Mace & Co

This from factory  
East 150<sup>th</sup> St & Harlem River  
N.Y. City

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0426

L. H. MACE.

OFFICE OF

F. S. GWYER.

L. H. MACE & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

REFRIGERATORS, WOODENWARE, CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES, Etc.

IMPORTERS OF

Toys, Dolls, Fancy Goods, China, Wood and Willow Ware,

111, 113, 115 & 117 EAST HOUSTON STREET,

New York, N.Y. 8<sup>th</sup> 1886

To whom this may concern

This is to certify that  
William Meyer has been in our employ since  
Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1886. & Mr. Laro found him to be an  
industrious & trustworthy young man. Since  
he has been with us I always ready & willing  
to do as he was told. any thing you can  
do in his behalf will be appreciated by

Yours Very Truly  
L. H. Mace & Co.

This from factory Office  
East 150<sup>th</sup> St & Hudson River  
N.Y. City

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0427

**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 Manger*

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

*William Manger* —

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

The said *William Manger,*

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

*one watch of the value of*

*twenty six dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Peter D. Smith,*

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.

*David B. Smith*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2321

**DESCRIPTION:**

McCarthy, James

**DATE:**

11/12/86



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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed 12 Nov day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1886  
Plead Not guilty

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 58 1, Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.  
James Mc Carthy  
Defendant

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

vs.  
Plead not guilty.  
A True Bill.

M. Chamber  
Foreman.

S. 10 2 years.

Witnesses:

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0430

Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 100 Gold Street, aged 21 years, occupation Expressman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9th day of November 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

Twenty boxes of repairs  
valued at Fifty-five  
Dollars

\$ 55.00  
100

the property of Kohler Brothers and in the care and custody of deponent as Expressman

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 M. Carthy

(now dead) for the reasons following to wit: on the above described date the said property was on the express wagon of which deponent was in charge having left the said wagon to cross the street deponent saw the said defendants get on said wagon take the said property and run away with the same.

Perry Loveluth

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1886  
of \_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0431

Sec. 198-206.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

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

Answer.

Taken before me this

day of

*September 1888*

Police Justice.



**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

0433

**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 McPartland*

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

*James McPartland*

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

The said

*James McPartland*

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

*Twenty boxes of cigars of the*

*value of three dollars each*

*box,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Benny Schwartz,*

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.

*Richard B. Bria*

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

McCarthy, Jeremiah

**DATE:**

11/18/86



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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hurtzberg, Charles

**DATE:**

11/18/86



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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Klein, Joseph

**DATE:**

11/18/86



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1890  
Counsel  
W. C. Coleman  
J. B. ...

Filed: 18 day of Nov 1886  
Filed: M. M. Kelly

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Jeremiah Mc Carthy  
Charles Shultzberg  
Joseph Klein

Grand Larceny, second degree  
(FROM THE PERSON)  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

12 New York District Attorney.  
All Inid + Nos 1 + 2 - Amended  
Call No 3 acquitted.  
A True Bill.  
House of Refuge  
Oscar Lundy Foreman.

Witnesses:

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6<sup>th</sup> District Police Court

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Marietta Blake, 29 years old, married  
of No. 191 Alexander Avenue Street, New York City

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the tenth day of November 1876  
at the in Alexander Avenue near 135<sup>th</sup> Street City of New York,

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

the following property, viz.: One stamped leather Porte Monnaie  
of the value of One dollar, containing good  
and lawful money of the United States as follows:  
One bill or note of the value and denomination  
of One dollar, One Silver coin of the value and  
denomination of One dollar, and sundry silver  
coins of the value, together, of One dollar; in  
all of the value of Four Dollars

the property of deponent and of her husband Percival  
B. Blake

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 Jeremiah M<sup>rs</sup> Barry, Charles

Hurtzberg and Joseph Klein, all now here,  
from the following facts: About four o'clock in  
the afternoon of said day deponent was walking  
along said avenue on the West side thereof when  
she noticed said Jeremiah, Charles and Joseph  
approaching on the other side of the way. Said  
Jeremiah and said Charles ran across the street  
towards deponent, said Jeremiah going in front of  
her and said Charles behind her. Said Jeremiah  
McBarry ran against deponent and snatched

Sealed before me this 10th day of Nov 1876  
Rosen-Taylor

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said pocket book which she held in her hand, and ran away with the same. Said Charles ran away with said Jeremiah and said Joseph joined and ran with them. Depment pursued, and called "stop thief", and being joined by others followed said Jeremiah, Charles and Joseph and said Jeremiah after running some distance threw away said pocketbook, which depment recovered.

Shown to before me  
this 11 day of November 1871 } Mrs. Maritta Blake.  
Samuel C. Reilly }  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & Co.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

DATED 11 1871

MAGISTRATE.

OFFICER.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Sec. 198-200.

6<sup>th</sup>

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Jeremiah Mc Carthy 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. Jeremiah Mc Carthy

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 12 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Worcester, Mass.

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

Answer. No 35 Carmine, 4 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Factory boy

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

Jeremiah Mc Carthy

Taken before me this

day of September 1884

Samuel W. Kelly Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

6<sup>3</sup> District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, } SS

Charles Hurzberg 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. Charles Hurzberg

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 198 Henry Street, 9 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Factory Boy

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

Charles Hurzberg

Taken before me this

11<sup>th</sup>

day of November

1886

Samuel C. Hall Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Joseph Klein

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Plainfield, N.J.

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

Answer. 18 Forsyth street; 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Factory boy

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

For J. Klein

Taken before me this

day of November 1886

Samuel P. Wood Police Justice.

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

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 *Marionta Blake*  
 2 *191 Alexander St*  
 3 *Charles Hutzberg*  
 4 *Joseph Klein*  
 Offence *Larceny from the Person*  
*Belonging*

Dated *November 11* 188*6*

*O'Pillery* Magistrate  
*Putnam* Officer



Witnesses  
No. *150* Street \_\_\_\_\_  
*Charles Hutzberg*  
*Joseph Klein*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

\$ *1000* to answer  
*[Signature]*

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named *Jeremiah McElanthy, Charles Hutzberg and Joseph Klein* guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Ten* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *November 11* 188*6* *Samuel O'Pillery* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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The People  
vs.  
Jeremiah McCarthy,  
Charles Hurtzberg and  
Joseph Klein.

Court of General Sessions, Part II.  
Before Judge Cowing.

November 24, 1886.

Indictment for grand larceny in the second degree.

Marietta Blake sworn and examined. I live 191 Alexander Avenue corner of 136 th Street and was walking on Alexander Avenue on the 10th of November about four o'clock in the afternoon, I had a small parcel and my pocket-book in my hand with between three and four dollars in it; two boys ran across the street towards me, McCarthy and Hurtzberg, Hurtzberg knocked me in the back while McCarthy ran in front and snatched my purse out of my hand, the third boy ran along with them, they all ran together, I ran about a block and a half when the boy threw my purse away, they all three ran in one direction, I did not succeed in catching them; some boys living in 135th Street picked up my pocket-book and brought it to my house, I am sure that I saw McCarthy throw away the pocket-book while he was running.

Gross Examined. I know Hurtzberg. A policeman got hold of the boys, the officer brought the boys to me; we all took the car together and went up to the Court House I did not see Klein run toward me.

Edward Buttlinger sworn. I am an officer of the 13rd precinct in Morrisiani, on the 10th of November I saw the lady who has just left the witness-box and these three little boys, I arrested them, I was on duty on the Bridge at Harlem, I was standing opposite the

southern boulevard when I saw a crowd of citizens running after Hurtzberg and McCarthy, hallooing, stop thieves, I did not see Klein until I arrested those two, I chased them about a block and Klein was at the spot where I arrested them, I did not know him until Hurtzberg said, "there is three of us, you may as well arrest the other fellow, Klein stood right along side the two boys, he said nothing at all but left, I took the two and walked them down to find this lady to identify those boys whether these were the party that took the pocket-book; she said, Officer, arrest those boys, they just stole my pocket-book, and I arrested them. I have not the pocket-book in my possession.

George F. Bates sworn and examined for the Defence. I am connected with the manufacture of shoes and my place of business is 70 Warren Street. I guess I know the boy Klein about a year and a half, he has been in my employ and as long as he was with me I trusted him on occasions, he left because he had a disagreement with the Foreman, I sent him out for money and he always brought it back, he collected a bill in Elizabeth, N. J. from a customer of nearly one hundred dollars; his father has worked for me a good many years, I would employ him again notwithstanding this charge from what I know of him.

Joseph Klein sworn. I live with my father and mother at 13 Forseith Street, and I am fourteen years old and have worked about a year and a half, I was out of employment about three weeks at this time and was looking

for work every day. I remember the day I was up on Alexander Avenue, I did not know that McCarthy was going to steal the pocket-book from this lady, the first I knew of it was when I ran, I did not know then that the pocket-book had been stolen, I did not run, I was standing on the corner and did not know anything about it, I was never arrested before and live with my parents now.

Kate Klein sworn. I live 123 Forseith St. and am the mother of Klein, I know Hurtzberg two or three years and never heard anything bad about him.

Sarah Hurtzberg sworn. I reside 103 Henry St. and the defendant Hurtzberg is my brother, he worked in a tin shop, he was not working at this time; the machine hurt his forefingers, on the day of his arrest he went to look for work in the morning, I gave him ten cents to take the car, he never stole anything and never was arrested, he went out with Klein that morning looking for work, I don't know McCarthy.

Charles Hurtzberg sworn. I am fourteen years old and live at 193 Henry Street, I remember the day U was arrested but I was never arrested before, I left the house that morning with Klein about half past six to look for work, I got ten cents from my sister to ride uptown, I had been out of work about three weeks because I smashed my hand in the tin factory, McCarthy was not with me, I did not know he was going to steal the pocket-book.  
The Jury convicted McCarthy and Hurtzberg and acquitted Klein.

*Handwritten notes in the margin:*  
I remember the day I was up on Alexander Avenue, I did not know that McCarthy was going to steal the pocket-book from this lady, the first I knew of it was when I ran, I did not know then that the pocket-book had been stolen, I did not run, I was standing on the corner and did not know anything about it, I was never arrested before and live with my parents now.



POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0448

The People vs: Jeremiah McLearty

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN. 100 EAST 23<sup>d</sup> STREET,

New York, Nov 17 1886

CASE NO. 26424 OFFICER Charles W Gardner
DATE OF ARREST Nov 11th
CHARGE Grand Larceny
AGE OF CHILD Twelve years
RELIGION Catholic
FATHER Jeremiah
MOTHER Mary step-mother
RESIDENCE 95 Leavenworth Street

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT The house where McLearty lives and the inmates have a very bad name and McLearty boy has been in company with 6th ward thieves who hang out in the vicinity of his block. Various things clothes &c have been missed which have been laid to the boy but were unable to swear that it was he for fear of trouble which was threatened them by a certain crowd who hang out in the block

All which is respectfully submitted,

Wm J Gerry President

To

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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*Account of  
General Account*

*The People*

*me*

*General Authority*

*Grand Jurors*

PENAL CODE, §

**Report of The New York Society  
for the Prevention of Cruelty  
to Children.**

**ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,**

*President, &c.,*

100 East 23d Street,  
NEW YORK CITY.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0450

The People  
vs.  
Charles Westberg

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR  
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY  
TO CHILDREN.  
100 EAST 23<sup>d</sup> STREET,

New York, Nov 17 1888

CASE NO. 26424 OFFICER Charles Gardner  
DATE OF ARREST Nov 10  
CHARGE Grand Larceny  
AGE OF CHILD 7 1/2 years  
RELIGION Jewish  
FATHER Joseph  
MOTHER Lena  
RESIDENCE 116 Canal St

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

The boy is somewhat wild and has  
been arrested before for disorderly conduct  
as his mother Mrs. Bookbinder with  
whom he lives at 198 Henry St  
says as his father has married  
again and step-mother did not  
use him well. Boy does not  
work or attend school

All which is respectfully submitted,  
Wm J. Gump  
President

To

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0451

The People  
vs.  
Charles Westberg

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR  
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY  
TO CHILDREN.  
100 EAST 23<sup>d</sup> STREET,

New York, Nov 17 1888

CASE NO. 26424 OFFICER Charles Gardner  
DATE OF ARREST Nov 10  
CHARGE Grand Larceny  
AGE OF CHILD 7 and 1/2 years  
RELIGION none  
FATHER Joseph  
MOTHER Lena  
RESIDENCE 116 Canal St

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

The boy is somewhat wild and has  
been arrested before for disorderly conduct  
as his mother Mrs Postlander with  
whom he lives at 198 Henry St  
says as his father has married  
again and step-mother did not  
use him well. Boy does not  
work or attend school

All which is respectfully submitted,  
Miss J. J. J.  
President

To

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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*Bank of  
General Account*

<i>John Pople Ct Wholesale Party Supply</i>	<i>Wm and Wm</i> PENAL CODE, §
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**Report of The New York Society  
for the Prevention of Cruelty  
to Children.**

**ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,**  
*President, &c.,*  
100 East 23d Street,  
NEW YORK CITY.

**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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*The People*  
*no*

*Joseph Henry*

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR  
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY  
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23<sup>d</sup> STREET,

New York, Dec 17 1886

CASE NO. *26424* OFFICER *Chas Gorman*  
 DATE OF ARREST *Nov 10*  
 CHARGE *Grand Larceny*  
 AGE OF CHILD *7 months*  
 RELIGION *Catholic*  
 FATHER *George Shea*  
 MOTHER *Kate*  
 RESIDENCE *16 Forsyth St*

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

*Boy has worked with his  
 Father and has never been arrested  
 before. Boy has kept bad company  
 and is easily led astray by older  
 boys. He lives with his parents  
 who are respectable people and  
 have lived in present quarters  
 for many years*

*All which is respectfully submitted,*

*Miss Terry  
 President*

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**POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL**

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Report of  
General Assembly

The People

of

the State of New York

Penal Code

Report of The New York Society  
for the Prevention of Cruelty  
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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

*Jermiah McLarty, Charles  
Muller and Joseph Stein*

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

*Jermiah McLarty, Charles  
Muller and Joseph Stein*

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed

as follows:

The said

*Jermiah McLarty, Charles  
Muller and Joseph Stein, all*

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

*Tenth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

*day* time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one leather bag of the value of  
one dollar, one promissory note  
for the payment of money, of  
the kind called United States  
Treasury Notes, of the denomination  
and value of one dollar, one silver  
coin of the value of one dollar, and  
several other coins (of a number and  
description to the Grand Jury unknown)  
of the value of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Marietta Blake,*

on the person of the said *Marietta Blake,* then and there being :

found, from the person of the said *Marietta Blake,* 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.

*Richard B. Smith*

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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W. C. Cohen  
J. B. ...

Counsel,

Filed 18 day of Nov 1886

W. C. Cohen  
J. B. ...

Grand Larceny, second degree  
(From the Person)  
[Sections 528, 581 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

B. ... vs.

Jeremiah Mc Carthy

Charles Shultzberg

Joseph Klein

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

All tried + Nov 1886  
and 3 acquitted.

A True Bill.

Wm. ...

Wm. ... Foreman.

Witnesses: