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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, Thomas

DATE:

05/05/81



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May 11 1887
Counsel,
Filed
Pleas
not guilty.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Wm. J. Brown
of
County of
Thomas Smith.

DANIEL C. ROLINS,

Attorney at Law,
New York City.

District Attorney.

Part for May 11, 1887.
Reads Bill.
A True Bill.

Wm. J. Brown
Foreman.

State of Maryland

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Form 112.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Police Court—First District.

of No. 128 Newark Robert M. Perry
Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 30th day of April 1887

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, And from a Wagon

which deponent had in charge
the following property, viz: a number of Calico

Quits with Sackes, and Skirts
all

of the value of fifty dollars or more Dollars,
the property of deponent as a Common
Carrier

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 Smith

Now here and another not arrested

That deponent was driving along
Broadway when he was informed
that said property had been stolen
and immediately discovered the loss
of the same. That subsequently it

was discovered in the possession of
the prisoner by Officer Dougherty
as deponent is informed and
verily believes John Wolmann

Sworn to, before me, this 30th day of April 1887

John Wolmann
Police Justice

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City and County
of New York
John Dougherty of the 13th
Precinct being sworn says
that he saw the prisoner and
said other going through the
City Hall Park carrying said
property between them and when
they saw deponent approach
them they both fled that
deponent pursued them and
arrested the prisoner the other
escaped

John Dougherty

Sworn to before me this
1st day of April 1881

Wm. J. [Signature]
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Thomas Smith being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas Smith.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Nineteen years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

96 Division St.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Painter

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer.

I am not guilty

Thomas Smith

Taken before me this

20 day of April 18 87

Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name.....
Address.....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name.....
Address.....

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Police Court First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

Aldavit-Latour.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

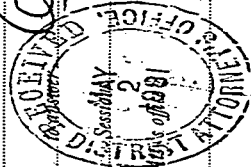
Clerk.

Witnesses:

\$ 10.00

at

Received at Dist. House of 1881



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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present :*

That

Thomas Smith

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

Fifty skirts of the value of one doll at each
Fifty sagues of the value of one doll at each
Fifty shirts of the value of one doll at each

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

John Woetmann

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Thomas Smith

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

Fifty skirts of the value of one dollar each.
Fifty saccques of the value of one dollar each.
Fifty shirts of the value of one dollar each.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

John Woltmann

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ taken and carried away from the said

John Woltmann

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Thomas Smith

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

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Snider, Joseph

DATE:

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Counsel,

Filed 12 day of May 1881

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Snider

David G. Rollins
BEN K. RHELPER

District Attorney.

Part No. May 13. 1881

Pleads guilty. P.L.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Baker

Foreman.

Geo. S. Linnamths.

Grand Larceny of Money, &c.

INDICTMENT.

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4 District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

of No. 230 East 75 Street,
being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the

at the 5 day of April 1881
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, by trick and device

the following property viz.:

Twenty five dollars in notes
Silver and copper coins of
various denominations unknown
to deponent and all money
of the United States

all of the value of Twenty five dollars
the property of Complainant

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

from the fact that
said Schneider went to deponent's
store 1283 13 Avenue, and represented
that deponent's daughter had
sent for all the money in
the store to pay for the goods
that had been sold deponent's
daughter nor her daughter sent
for said money but it was obtained
by said Schneider and retained in
his possession by said trick and device
Annie Costa

Sworn before me this 5 day of May 1881
J. J. Schmitt
POLICE JUSTICE

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City and County of New York

Ralph Costa residing
325 East 75 Street being sworn
says that on or about the
5th April 1881 Joseph Schneider
[now present] came into defendant's
mother store, where defendant
was taken care of ^{the same} and stated
to defendant that his sister
had sent to him for all
the money in the store to pay
a bill with, defendant gave
said Schneider a box containing
twenty five dollars. Ralph Costa

Sworn to before me
this 9th day of May 1881

H. M. Murray Police Justice

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

VS.

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.

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DATED

MAGISTRATE.

OFFICER.

WITNESSES:

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph Schneider being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Joseph Schneider

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

228 East 94 Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Driver Horse Car

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what,—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

I am guilty

Joseph Snider

Taken before me this

18th day of March 1897

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Guerra Costa
225 E 75th St

Dr. J. Schneider

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Dated *May 9 81*

Wray Magistrate.

Henry P. Miller Clerk.

Witnesses,

BAILED:

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Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

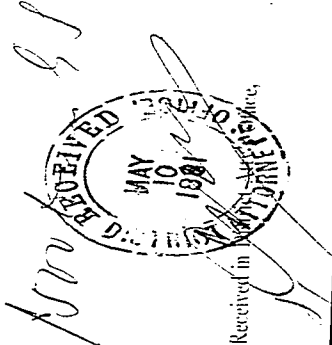
Residence,

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Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:

That

Joseph Snider

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,
day of *April* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~twenty-eight~~ *eighty-one* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force
and arms, 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 one thousand dollars, and of the value of one
thousand dollars each: 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 five hundred dollars, and of the value
of five hundred 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 hundred dollars,
and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty 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 fifty dollars,
and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty 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 twenty dollars, and of the
value of twenty dollars each: sixty 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: eighty 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: ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each:
one hundred 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:
one hundred and 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 one hundred dollars: 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 fifty dollars: two promissory notes for
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value
of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), be-
ing then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatis-
fied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as
bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value
of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the
jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as
double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the
value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each:
fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold
coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the
kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors
unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver
coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually
known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually
known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually
called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five
cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver
coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value
of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of Amer-
ica, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomi-
nation of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States
of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the
denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills
of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as frac-
tional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

\$25.00

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Annie Costa

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.

Samuel G. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Stevens, George

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Smith, Joseph

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1887
Filed 21 day of Jan 1887
Pleas & Exhibits

THE PEOPLE

vs.
George Stevens
et al
Joseph Smith

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

District Attorney.

Presented May 31, 1887
For the State of Ill.
A True Bill.

Mr. Rollins
Foreman.

Per Six months.

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Police Office, Third District.

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

For of W^o 52 Hester Levy Suss Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 52 Hester

Street, 10 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house
the front Hall bed room on the first floor of
and which was occupied by deponent as a sleeping apartment

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means forcible opening the lock with false
keys on the door leading to said room

on the Morning of the 19 day of May 1889
and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.,

One Brown valise and one coat of the value of
twenty six dollars and one black
spring over coat of the value of sixteen dollars
and one brown coat of the value of eight dollars
said property being in all of the value of fifty dollars

said Brown over coat
the property of a person whose name is unknown to 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

George Stevens & Joseph Schmeider
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to-wit: Deponent is informed by
Samuel Goldman of W^o 15 Hudson Street that
at the hours between 9 & 10 a. M. on the aforesaid
day he saw said two defendants enter
premises W^o 52 Hester Street without any
over coat on their person that about
10 minutes after said defendants entered
said premises they returned and had

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over coats upon this person and that
one of said defendants had a bundle
concealed under said over coat

Sworn to before me this } Sub. Sec.
20th day of May 1881 }
Solon B. Smith
Notary Public

City & County of New York

Samuel Goldman of No 15
Ludlow Street being duly sworn says he
heard read the affidavit of Leg. Sec.
and knows the contents thereof that the
portions therein stated and referring to
exponent is true to exponent own
knowledge

Sworn to before me this }
20th day of May 1881 }
Solon B. Smith } Samuel Goldman
Notary Public }
Notary Public

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph Schmidt being duly examined before the under-
signed; according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Joseph Schmidt*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*24 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*Germany*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*34 Ederidge Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Butcher*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I don't know nothing about
this I am not guilty*
Josef Smith

Taken before me, this

4th

day of

May

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at the

Police Court

John J. Sullivan

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Stevens being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*George Stevens*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*28 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*New York*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*Brooklyn, 38 Atlantic St.*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Barber*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the
charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I am not guilty*
George Stevens

Taken before me, this

20

day of May

1891

David B. Smith
Police Justice.

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Form 115.

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POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Larry Weiss

52 Hester St.

Harry Weiss

Joseph Schmitt

Offence, BURGLARY.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Dated *May 20* 188*1*

Smith Magistrate.

Max Weiss Officer.

10 Clerk.

Witnesses, *Samuel Goldman*

15 Duane St.

No. Street.

Charles Schell

No. *252* Street.

Street.

No. *1000* Street.

Received in Chief Clerk's Office.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

George Stevens and Joseph Smith each

late of the *tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, about the hour of *ten* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Levy Suss
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of forcibly~~

~~they~~ the said *George Stevens and Joseph Smith*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of

Levy Suss
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.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the said

George Stevens and Joseph Smith each

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

Three coats of the value of thirteen dollars each

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

Levy Suss
in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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.

~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS,~~
~~BENJ. K. PHIPPS,~~ District Attorney.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

THAT the said

George Stevens and
Joseph Smith each

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

Three coats of the value of
thirteen dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Levy Suss

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from*

the said Levy Suss
unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain~~, did feloniously receive and have (the said *George Stevens and Joseph Smith*

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

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

~~Attorney at Law~~, District Attorney.

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Sullivan, John

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Sheffield, Joseph

DATE:

05/26/81



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Day of Trial.

Counsel,

Filed day of

Pleas

W. B. Smith
10 day of May 1881
W. B. Smith

THE PEOPLE

vs.

W. B. Smith
John Sullivan
Joseph Sheffield

Daniel C. Collins
BENJ. CAPRENS

BURGLARY—THIRD DEGREE.
NOTHING STOLEN.

District Attorney.

Part No. May 31. 1881
Not pleads guilty of an attempt
A True Bill. Pen: One year.

No 2 tried & convicted of an attempt

W. B. Smith
Part No. June 1. 1881

No 2 tried & convicted
Sentenced to be hanged.

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Police Office, First District.

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

John Ballwinfle
of No. 122 Leonard Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 122 Leonard

Street, 6th Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house

and which was occupied by ^{in part} ~~deponent as a~~ John H. Flee as a

grocery store were BURGLARIOUSLY attempted
to be entered by means of forcibly cutting the outer shutters
attached to a window leading from the yard into
said store with intent to commit a crime therein

on the Morning of the 21st day of May 1881
and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

A quantity of groceries and
other valuable goods the value of
which are unknown to this deponent

the property of John H. Flee

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

John Sullivan and Joseph
Sheffield (both known to him)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That about the hour of
half past ten o'clock P.m. of said day
deponent locked and securely fastened
the said shutters and that said property
was then contained in said store; That
deponent sleeps in the back part of said
store and was awakened about the hour
of half past twelve o'clock in the morning
of the 21st day of May 1881 by a noise
made by said Sullivan and Sheffield

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in attempting to break open said shutters;
that defendant called the assistance of
officer John G. McGinn of the 14th
Police Precinct who arrested said
Sullivan and Sheffield in a water
closet in the yard of ^{said} premises
I now to before me this
2nd day of May 1881
John Ballwin Kel
Clerk of Court
Clerk Justice.

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

John Sullivan being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that — he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

Taken before me, this

21st day of May 1881

Wm. W. W.
POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss

Joseph Sheffield being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that — he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Joseph Sheffield

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Albany, New York.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

#14 Baxter Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Nickel plated

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge.

Joseph ^{his} _{son} Sheffield

Taken before me, this

21st day of

May 1881

William W. ...
POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

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Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John D. Sullivan
122 Standard St.
vs.

John Sullivan
Joseph Sheppard

Bailed

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

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No. 6, by

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Dated

1881

Wm. A. McEwen Magistrate.

McEwen Officer.

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Clerk.

Witnesses

John D. Sullivan
144 Police Precinct



4000 Bldg to master

Sessions

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss. :
OF NEW YORK,

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present :

That

John Sullivan and Joseph Sheffield each

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

John H. Klee
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, the said *store*
being then and there a building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things
were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit; the same being the goods, chattels,
and personal property of

John H. Klee

goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *store* with intent the said
being then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take, and carry away then and there

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.

Daniel G. Rollins
BENJ. R. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Sumner, John

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Pleads

THE PEOPLE,
vs. *P*
Sam Sumner
Assault and Battery.—Felony.
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DANIEL G. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

(Mr. Rollins) Foreman.
Mar, 25
sentenced on 10th
understand. JHP

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AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

Second District Police Court.

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

Michael J. Henry of No. *21st* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the *21st* day of *May* in the year *1881*, at the City of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by *John Summer* (now here) from the fact that deponent arrested said Summer on the charge of Burglary and on the way to the Station of the *Fourth Avenue* said Summer took from his hip-pocket a loaded revolver and was about to fire and discharge the same at this deponent as *William S. Haines* seized said revolver and took the *shot* *bullet* away from *John Summer* therefore deponent charges said John Summer with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him bodily harm, and without any justification on the part of the said assailant;

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this *21st* day

of *May* 1881.

W. J. Henry
A. L. Morgan Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK. } ss

John Sumner being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

ANSWER.—

Nothing about this
all.

John Sumner

Taken before me, this

21

day of

May

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at

A. J. Morgan
Police Justice.

POLICE COURT—Second District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

THE COMPLAINT OF

OFFENSE—Felonious Assault and Battery

85 Precinct

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John Gurnea

Dated May 21st 1881.

Magistrate,

Officer,

Stacy,
S. the Clerk

Witnesses.

Wm. D. Jones

Clerk at the

Grandeth Ford

Comd. St. F. Grading

Committed in default of \$1000 bail.

Bailed by *Corr*

No. 1. Street.

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Police Court—Second District.

City and County } ss:
of New York. }

William D. Haines (clerk)
of No. *297 Canal or Braundt's Alley* Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. *297 Canal*
Street, *5th* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *brick building*
and which was occupied by deponent as a *home for the purpose of abode*
were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of *office keys (key chain)*, by *opening an*
inner door to wit; room no 32

on the *morning* of the *21st* day of *May* 1881

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: *one*
pair of earrings, one chain, two bracelets of the
value of ten dollars, one bill of the denomination and
value of five dollars, one bracelet, one silver
coin of the value and denomination of one dollar, two
coins (silver) of the value and denomination of twenty
five cents each, two gold coins of the value of
two cents. All of the value of sixteen dollars
and fifty two cents

the property of *Honora Spillan and Jane Dargan, in the care*
and charge of deponent, clerk in said premises
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 *John Summers (now here)*

for the reasons following, to wit: *That deponent is informed by Honora*
Spillan a domestic in said hotel that at about seven
o'clock A.M. of the 21st instant the said Honora
awakened in room no 32 of said hotel that
she attempted to enter the said room and found
it locked upon the interior. That she procured
a step ladder & looked over the transom and there
saw two trunks open and in disorder and that
subsequently she saw the accused unlock said door
and in attempting to escape, drag a bag over
and throw it to floor one of the domestics. Deponent
found the articles herein above mentioned

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and here shown upon the person of the
accused.

Worn to before me this

21st day of May 1881

W. B. Haines

R. L. Morgan
Police Justice

State and County of New York

City of New York 3 S.S.

Honora Spillan a domestic in premises
No 292 Canal Street known as the Braoder House
being duly sworn deposes and says that at or about
noon & a half A.M. of the 21st instant, she attempted
to enter room No 32 on the fifth floor of said premises,
that she found the door fastened upon the interior, that
she procured a step ladder and looked over the transom
and there saw two breaks open and in disorder, that
deponent then informed a fellow domestic Mary ^{Alpin} ~~Alpin~~
who likewise looked over the transom. Deponent
then went down from the ~~transom~~ ^{ground floor} housekeeper
deponent identifying the property there shown as a part of her property.
Worn to before me this

21st day of May 1881

R. L. Morgan
Police Justice

Honora Spillane

State and County of New York

City of New York 3 S.S.

Mary Maion of the premises No 292 Canal St.
being duly sworn deposes and says that at or about noon
& a half A.M. deponent was called by Honora Spillan that
~~she informed deponent that~~
then way, some one looked in the room No 32 of said premises.
Deponent repaired to said room, looked over the transom
and whilst doing so, the accused ^{John Sumner} ~~John Sumner~~ broke the door
and whilst attempting to go out deponent caught him by
the throat. Whereupon the accused drew a knife and deponent
~~let him go~~
Worn to before me this 21st day of May 1881 Mary ^{Maion} ~~Maion~~
R. L. Morgan
Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

John Summer being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

John Summer

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

Thirty years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

New York don't know the number nor address

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Telegraph Operator

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge

here preferred against you?

ANSWER.—

Nothing to say

I was not in the hotel at all. John Summer

John Summer
When before me, this

21st day of May

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Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
William H. H. H. H.
292 Canal St. New York
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY
BURGLARY AND LARCENY.

John Sumner

Dated May 21st 1881

Magistrate

Officer

Clerk

Witnesses:

Thomas Sullivan

Mary Stanton

Jane Dargie

Charles H. H. H.

John H. H. H.

John H. H. H.

Committed in default of \$ 1000 Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

with property
pistol and
knives &c.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present :*

That

John Sumner

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *twenty first* day of *May* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ *eighty one* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, feloniously,
knowingly and secretly, did conceal upon his person a certain instrument and weapon
of the kind known as a *dirk knife*, with intent then and there
feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Jurors 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.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That
the said *John Sumner* late of the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at
Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously, wilfully and
furtively did possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as a
dirk knife with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some
person or persons to the Jurors 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.

Daniel S. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Counsel,

Filed 24 day of May 1881

Pleads,

INDICTMENT—Concealed Weapons.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Sumner
(2 Chas.)
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David S. Miller
~~David S. Miller~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. Talbot Foreman.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK; ss.

John Sumner being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him *he* states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*John Sumner*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Thirty years*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*New York*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*New York*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Telegraph Operator*

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

ANSWER.—

*I did not know it was a
criminal offense*

John Sumner

Taken before me, this

21st day of May
1887

W. H. Morgan
Police Justice.

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FORM 10.

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

of No. 840 Michael Vear Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 21st day of May 1881 at the City of
New York, in the County of New York, he arrested

John Sumner (not here) in the act
committing a crime in the Brundell
House at No 290 Canal Street
that he found wilfully and secretly and
furtively crept upon his person
the pistol and two dark-knives here shown
and that he attempted to use the
pistol upon the person of this deponent

M. V. Vear

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
21st day of May 1881
at New York
A. J. Morgan
Police Justice

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FORM 10.

Police Court — Second District

AFFIDAVIT

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Kearny
& Margaret

John Sumner

Dated,

May 21

1881

Morgan Justice.

Mary J. Officer.

Witness,

Haines

292 Canal St

1000 to July 5,

Committed

Carrying
dist. concealed
on his person

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

John Sumner

late of the *fifth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty first* day of *May* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms,
about the hour of *seven* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Honora Spillane

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of forcibly~~

he the said

John Sumner

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and
personal property of

Honora Spillane

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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And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the said

John Sumner

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

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 one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: 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 five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred 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 hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty 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 fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty 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 twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty 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: eighty 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: ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred 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: one hundred and 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 one hundred dollars: 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 fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: 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: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

*Two earrings of the value of three dollars each
One chain of the value of two dollars
One pin of the value of two dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Amora Spillane* in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously did steal, take, and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

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Counsel,

Filed 24 day of May 1887.

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

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Brands & Co.
Telegraph operators

John Sumner

(2 Cases)

David S. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHILLIPS

District Attorney.

Part No May 20, 1887

pleads guilty &c.

A True Bill.

W. T. (initials)

Foreman.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present :*

That

John Sumner

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

on the *Twentyfirst* day of *May* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Michael J. Heary*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *Michael J. Heary*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leadен bullet, which the said *John Sumner*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Michael J. Heary*

thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New
York and there dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid,
the said *John Sumner*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Michael J. Heary*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Michael J. Heary*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leadен bullet, which the said *John Sumner*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Michael J. Heary*

thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said John Sumner

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Michael J. Heary
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an
assault and to, at and against him the said Michael J. Heary
J. Heary a certain pistol then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which John Sumner the said
in his right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable ~~and~~ excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent; then and there, thereby him the said Michael
J. Heary
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said John Sumner

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Michael J. Heary
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an
assault and to, at and against him the said Michael J. Heary
J. Heary a certain pistol then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which John Sumner the said
in his right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable ~~and~~ excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and
discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby him the said Michael
J. Heary
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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Sweeney, Kitty

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Suspended sentence
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who is a reputation
Man. having after
to take the report.
home to the having
expressed a desire
to reform. F. J.

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Counsel, Henry
Pleas
1881
May 11-1882
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THE PEOPLE
vs.
INDICTMENT—Larceny from
the Person.
I.
Hetty Swerley.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS
DISTRICT ATTORNEY
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
Mr. Deane Foreman.

May 12. 1881.
J. J. Deane
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J. J. Deane

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The People v. Kitty Sweeney } Court of General Sessions, Part I
Indictment for petty larceny from the person. } Before Recorder Smythe. May 12. 1881

John Kelly, sworn and examined, testified I live in New York, I lived over in Seventh Avenue a while; my last residence was 310 Seventh Ave. I came today from the House of Detention. I remember the night of the second of May. I have charged the prisoner with stealing a five dollar from me; it happened at 21 Roosevelt St. about 12 o'clock inside of the house, I met her in the street on Park Row, I think opposite the Post Office somewhere. I went to the house by her invitation at a late hour of the night. I went there for a short time; that was the understanding. I went into a room with her alone, but the door was not shut; it was the first floor I think - a bed room, but the door was not closed. That happened in there? Nothing any more than we were making a bargain to have some carnal pleasure there. I told her I had no change, she said she would get change from the landlady. I told her "no," I would get change from the landlady. I called and there was no landlady present apparently. I called her and she did not come; she went to the door and peeped in, looked in; there appeared to be some one there then from the way she acted; she came back to me; she

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says, "I will get change." I says, "No, I will get change myself." I went to go to the door to get change, she shoved me back, and with that she grabbed the money out of my hand, the five dollar bill, she ran to the door into the landlady's room where the landlady was sitting. I ran after her and would have caught her had it not been for the interference of the landlady, who was a very large woman; she got hold of me and gave me several blows in the face, then a man came from the side door from another room that led off from the main room and sat down on the floor and was apparently a looker on, and finally he got up and struck me a blow on the eye; it is about getting well now. What became of the prisoner with the bill? She went into another little room that led off the main room. I tried to get in but this woman held me and would not let me go in. I could have caught this woman had it not been for the landlady and in all probability would have got my money. I asked to be let out, I came downstairs to get a policeman. The policeman came and I asked him to go up stairs with me; he refused to go up; he said, "I know it is the old thing, you got bilked by the whore." I asked his

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name and he refused to give his name and number; he is not here. I said, "Want you go up stairs and arrest a man for striking me and the woman for robbing me?" He said, I will not go up there. If you want to make a complaint go to the station house. I went to the station house and the Captain sent officer Kelly and he arrested the prisoner. The officers went up stairs and found this woman under the bed. That was the room we had the conference in in regard to what we were going to do. The money was taken from me in the hallway on the tressle of the door almost. The policeman hauled her out and brought her to the station house. Cross Examined. It is not true that I gave this woman two dollars and then wanted her to commit a crime against nature; that is a falsehood of the worst kind. She did not take off any of her clothes in that room. I did not offer to settle the affair with the woman in the station house that night for five dollars. I did not make a proposition to that effect to the party who keeps the house. I might have told this woman that I was a married man, but I am not married. It is not true that my wife is living in Seventh ave. I never was married. I am a blacksmith by trade, the last work I did was barkeeping. I came to New York in 1860, left here in 1882 and

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went to the Rocky Mountains. My right name is James McCarty. Kate Sweeney, sworn and examined in her own behalf testified. I met Kelly on the 2nd of May, the night I was arrested on Chatham St; he asked me would I go with him, and I said, "yes;" he asked me to the place and gave me two dollars and I was willing to sleep with him for two dollars. I took off my clothes, but he said, "No, that he was a married man and had children and he could not go with no woman, that he was scared. He says, "you cannot do what I ask you to do? I says, "yes, what is it?" He says, "I want you to go down on me." So when I would not do that he knocked me down in the lounge and was choking me when this woman came in and took him off me. He did not hold up a five dollar bill at any time. I did not snatch a five dollar bill out of his hand and did not run into another room. I guess he had not left the house more than a quarter of an hour when the officer ~~came~~ and arrested me. Officer Cumming testified that when he arrested the prisoner she did not have anything to say; the complainant seemed to be sober. I found the prisoner under the bed. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of petty larceny only. She was remanded for sentence.

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Testimony in the case
of
Kitty Swelley
filed May 1881

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Form 112.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Police Court—First District.

of No. 300 Seventh Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the ninth of the 2 day of May 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the possession of deponent, And from deponent's

the following property, viz:

One bill good and
lawful money of the denomination
and

of the value of five Dollars,
the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Kitty O'Sweeney

Now here for the reason following
- to wit - That about the hour of
12 O'clock on the night of said day
deponent in company with the prisoner
went to a room in premises of
Roosevelt Street That while
in said room deponent held
in his hand the bill in question
for which he wanted change That
while deponent so held and exhibited
the aforesaid bill said Kitty snatched
it from his hand and ran away

John Kelly

Sworn to before me this

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day

Michael J. O'Sullivan
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Kitty Sweeney being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to her, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer.

Kitty Sweeney
mark

Taken before me, this

B

day of May

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Michael J. Sweeney
Police Justice

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

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Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Kelly
House of Detention
City of New York
in
vs.
SWEELEY
John Kelly
Attorney-Larceny.

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

Date, *May 3* 18*81*

Ottobrun Magistrate.

John Kelly Officer.

41 Clerk.

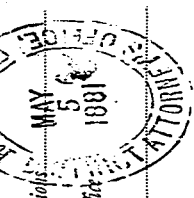
Witnesses:

Complainant to give bond
of \$500. for his appearance
before the House of Detention
under the Act

1000 to answer

at *Samuel* Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office



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City of New York, Recorder's Chamber

New York _____ 187-

People, etc.

vs.
Kitty Manning.

Thomas Callanan.

No 60. Adams Street.
Father of the defendant.
says that he will take
her home. & that she
has promised to reform

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,
upon their Oath, present:

That

Kitty Sweeney

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

on the *second* day of *May* 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 Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *A* United States Treasury Note of the
denomination of *Five* dollar and of the value of *Five* dollars

One Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *A* Bank Note of the denomination of
Five dollars and of the value of *Five* dollar.

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

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

~~_____~~
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.