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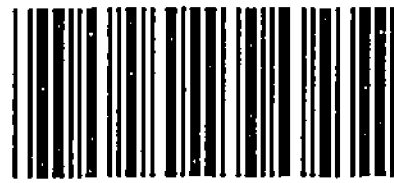
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DESCRIPTION:

James, Henry

DATE:

04/27/87



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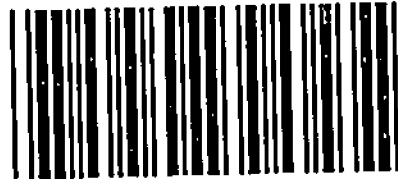
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DESCRIPTION:

James, Charles

DATE:

04/27/87



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Witnesses:

Officer McCord

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Counsel, J. H. Corbin
Filed, 27 day of April 1887
Pleads, Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B
Henry James

and B

Charles James

GAMING HOUSE, &c.
[Sections 848, 844 and 385 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Part III May 6, 87.

Both plead guilty
A Twelve Bill
of fine \$50. Each.

James J. Leavitt Foreman

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0012

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

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

of No.

says that on the

day of

1887

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

The Central Office

Deponent Stollins

being duly sworn, deposes and

12th March

he arrested

the following named persons
at premises No 210 West 42nd
Street the same being a reputed
Gambling House
Charles Perry, Henry James
Charles Johnson, Alexander Spencer
and Charles James.

Deponent further says that on Friday
Evening March 4th 1887 he visited
said premises, being the rear
room of the first floor in company
with Officer Louis McCord of the
Central Office, that deponent
purchased from defendant Harry
James a quantity of chips and
paid said Harry James for the
same the sum of twenty dollars
and then set down in said room
in company with defendant Charles
Johnson and five others whose
names to deponent are unknown,
and played a game called ^{hook} poker.
Deponent further says that
at about 10³⁰ o'clock P.M. of March
12th 1887 he again visited said
premises in company with Officer
Louis McCord and purchased
from defendant Charles James
a quantity of chips and paid
said Charles James the sum of

five dollars for said chips and then deponent set down in said premises in company with said defendants Charles Berry, Charles Johnson, Alexander Spencer and Charles James and played a game of Callie Poker.

Therefore deponent charges that said defendant Charles James is the reputed proprietor of said premises and said defendant Harry James is the reputed Superintendent of said premises and that said premises is kept and maintained as a gambling house for the purpose of divers,

Idle, disorderly and evil disposed persons to resort therein to gamble and play at cards and games of chance for money in violation of the law, and to the common nuisance of the People of the State of New York.

Sworn to before me
this 3rd day of May 1887
Eugene W. Collins
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

0014

Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

Henry James 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 James*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *No 688 Eighth Ave. about 7 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clerk*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty I have no connection whatever with the plan*

✓ Henry James

Taken before me this

day of

1887

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Chas. James

Taken before me this

day of

1887

Police Justice.

0016

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

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

Dated March 13 1887 J. J. Smith Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named Henry James and Charles James
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated March 13 1887 J. J. Smith Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named Charles Perry, Charles Johnson
and Alexander Spencer guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order them to be discharged.

Dated March 13th 1887 J. J. Smith Police Justice.

0017

BAILED,

No. 1, by Albert Adams

Residence 361 W. 32 Street.

No. 2, by Albert Adams

Residence 361 W. 32 Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Argus S. Collins
Henry James
Paul James
Charles Berry
Charles Johnson
Alexander Pine

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

Street.

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to answer

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Henry James and
Charles James*

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

James —

(Sec. 343
Penal Code) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed
as follows :

The said *Henry James and Charles*
James, both —

late of the *Twenty-second* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New
York aforesaid, on the *Twenty-fifth* day of *March*, in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, and on divers other days and
times as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building
there situate to be used for gambling; against the form of the Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT. (Sec. 344 Penal Code).

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

Henry James and Charles James

of the CRIME OF ALLOWING A ROOM, ESTABLISHMENT, TABLE AND APPA-
RATUS TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows :

The said *Henry James and Charles*
James, both —

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain

room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling table, and establishment, and diver cards, chips, devices and apparatus, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, the same being suitable for gambling purposes, with force and arms, feloniously did allow to be used for gambling purposes, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT. (Sec. 385 Penal Code).

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Henry James and Charles James* of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *Henry James and Charles James, both* —

late of the Ward, City and County, aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house, there situate, for *their* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *their* said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, to game together and play at a certain unlawful game of cards called *draw poker*, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said *Henry James and Charles James* there did game together and play at said unlawful game of cards, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

~~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~~

Samuel Runk.

And The Grand Jury ~~of the City and County of New York~~, by this indictment, ~~accuse~~ *further accuse the said Henry James and Charles James*

of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS ~~dealers and players~~ IN A BANKING GAME, where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said *Henry James and Charles James, both* —

late of the *Twenty-second* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty* day of *March*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, and on divers other days, ~~was~~ *were* and yet ~~are~~ *are* common gamblers, and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said

Henry James and Charles James, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, known as Number *Two Hundred - and - Ten West Forty-second Street*. —

with force and arms, feloniously did engage as ~~dealers and players~~, in a certain banking game commonly known as *draw poker*, — where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said banking game is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Martin,
JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2482

DESCRIPTION:

James, John

DATE:

04/01/87



2482

Witnesses:

Thurman Bayless
W. J. Lagarty Central

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Counsel, _____
Filed, *1* day of *April* 188*7*
Pleads, _____

At Court
THE PEOPLE
vs.

John James
Applying
to be
pleaded guilty

Grand Larceny, second degree
(From the Person).
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

S. P. 3 years.

A True Bill.

Bonnie Dash Foreman.

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Police Court— 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Annice Boylan

of No. 230 W 24th Street, aged 21 years,
occupation Visiting Governess being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 23 day of March 1887 at the 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 :

~~Hand~~ One leather pocket book contain-
ing good and lawful money of the
United States namely one bill of the
denomination and value of Two
dollars and divers pieces of silver
and nickel coin of divers denom-
inations of the value of Ninety five
cents all of the value of Two dollars
and ninety five cents \$2⁹⁵/₁₀₀

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 John James (now free)

Deponent says that about the Town of Four
P. M. on said date deponent was going
in a store on 14th Street near Broad-
way in said City when she felt some
person ^{have their} ~~open~~ hand ^{in a} satchel which
contained said pocket book containing
said money and deponent forced
around and saw said defendant
in the act of taking stealing and
carrying away said property from
the hand satchel. Deponent says she
called out pick pocket and said
defendant dropped said pocket book
containing said money and ran away

Annice L. Boylan

Sworn to before me, this
26 day
of March 1887David C. Mudd
Police Justice.

0024

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

John James

Question. How old are you?

Answer

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Canada

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

Answer.

I have no fixed residence

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Carpenter

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

Answer.

I wish to reserve my defence

John James

Taken before me this

26

day of

March

188

Samuel C. Mott

Police Justice.

0025

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 Mar. 21 188 7 Samuel C. Miller 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.

0026

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Police Court-- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Annie Boylan
230 West 24th St.
John Camo

Process of
the Court
Officers
from
the Court

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated Mch 26 1887
D O Reilly Magistrate.
Fogarty & Handy Officer.
C O Precinct.

Witnesses Officers
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$1000 to answer

Committed



0027

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

John James

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

John James

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

The said

John James,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty-third day of *March*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

day time of the same day, with force and arms, one *rodent*
rodent of the value of one dollar, one
promissory note for the payment
of money, of the kind commonly
called United States Treasury Notes,
of the denomination and value of
two dollars, one further instrument
and valuable pecuniary, to wit: a certain
certificate of deposit, issued by and under the
authority of the government of the United States
of America, of the kind known as United
States Treasury certificates, of the denomination and
value of two dollars, and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of ninety five cents, —
of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Annie S. Bonfau,*

on the person of the said *Annie S. Bonfau*, then and there being
found, from the person of the said *Annie S. Bonfau*, 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.

Anthony J. Bonfau

District Attorney.

0028

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2482

DESCRIPTION:

Jenkins, Daniel

DATE:

04/01/87



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Witnesses:

Wm H. Foreman

Counsel, *1*
Filed, *1* day of *April* 188*7*
Pleads, *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Daniel Jenkins

Grand Larceny, *second* degree
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Brown Park Foreman.
April 4/87
Pleads Guilty
Emerson D. J.

0030

Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County
of New York, } ss.William H. Crossmanof No. 77 Broad Street, aged 55 years,
occupation Merchant being duly sworn
or about 1stdeposes and says, that on the 1st 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:

Ten Silver watches of the value
of One hundred dollars
(\$100. -)

the property of deponent and his brother George
W. Crossman doing business under the
firm name of W. H. Crossman & Bro 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 Daniel Jenkins (now here)
for the reasons following to wit that for
the past four years the defendant was
employed by deponent's firm as shipping
clerk and from June last deponent
has been missing without And on the
20th day of March 1887 deponent caused
the arrest of the said defendant on suspicion.
And deponent is informed by Detective
Sergeant Owen Haley that the defendant
admitted and confessed to him Haley that
he had been stealing from deponent for
some time and showed the detective where
he had hidden a portion of the property
he had stolen from deponent and the

Sworn to before me this 1st day of September 1886
at New York
City

Notary Public

0031

Attetive recovered a number of watches
and other property at the places designated
by the said defendant and all of which defendant
has since seen and fully identified as his
property.

Wherefore defendant charges the said defendant
with feloniously taking stealing and carrying
away the aforesaid property and prays
he may be held and dealt with as the
Law directs.

W. H. Grossman

Sworn to before me
this 24th day of March 1887

Sam'l C. Hall, Notary Public

0032

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged *Do* years, occupation *Detective Sergeant* of No. *1024 H. Crossman*
Mulhany Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

1887

Owen H. Halsey

Samuel C. Smith
Police Justice.

0033

Sec. 196-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

2 District Police Court.

Daniel Jenkins 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

Daniel Jenkins

Question How old are you?

Answer

22 years old

Question Where were you born?

Answer

Brooklyn L.I.

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

Answer

994 Broadway Brooklyn L.I.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Shipping Clerk

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

D. Jenkins

Taken before me this

day of *February* 188*7*

Paul J. McGuire Police Justice.

0034

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

Daniel Perkins

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

March 11 188

Sam'l C. Miller

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.

0035

Police Court

2/386 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm H. Crossman
77 Broad,
Daniel Jenkins

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Offence

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated

March 27 188

W. O'Reilly

Magistrate.

Officer.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

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15.00

to answer

Street.

Committed

0036

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Daniel Gentains

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

- Daniel Gentains -

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

The said *Daniel Gentains,*

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

Five watches of the value of
Five dollars each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

William H. Crossman,

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.

Harold B. Smith

District Attorney.

0037

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2482

DESCRIPTION:

Johnson, Henry

DATE:

04/12/87



2482

0038

Witnesses :

Counsel, _____
Filed, 12th day of April 1887
Pleads, _____

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Henry Johnson
[Sections 528, 53 \ Penal Code]
Grand Larceny Second degree

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Clerk of the Court, District Attorney.
A True Bill.
Per J. B. Day.
James J. Linnitt Foreman.

0039

Police Court—3d District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Fredrick Mertz
of No. 1250 2nd Avenue Street, aged 23 years,
occupation Oyster Restaurant, being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 4 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, in the day time, the following property viz:

One Over Coat of the Value of Twenty five dollars,
one pair of Pants of the Value of seven dollars

Said property being in all 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 Henry Johnson (Brooklyn)

From the fact that at the hour of 12 o'clock
in the day time of said 4th day of April
1887 deponent deponent employed said
defendant as a Cook
that said property was hanging in a
bed room adjoining the kitchen,
that about 3 o'clock & 20 minutes deponent
left his Saloon, and returned to the same
at the Expiration of ten Minutes when
deponent discovered that said defendant
had left his Employment and that
said property was stolen and carried
away that since his arrest he acknowledged
that he had steal said property

Fred Mertz

Sworn to before me, this 5 day
of April 1887

Samuel J. C. Ruddy Police Justice.

0040

Sec. 198-200.

11 3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Henry Johnson 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 Johnson

Question How old are you?

Answer

31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland.

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

Answer.

464 3rd Avenue 3 weeks

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Cook

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

Answer.

*I took the property but I was intoxicated**Henry Johnson*

Taken before me this

*5*day of *April**1887**Sam'l C. Kelly*

Police Justice.

0041

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 _____

_____ *De Guana* _____
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 *April 5* 188*7* _____ *Sam'l A. R. Hill* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 3 District. 438

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank Mertz
1250 2nd Ave.
Henry Johnson

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Office Lawrence
Johnson

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated *April 5* 188*7*



Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses *Henry York*

No. *1250 2nd Avenue* Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *G.S.*

COMMITTED.

0043

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 Johnson

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

Henry Johnson

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

The said *Henry Johnson*,

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

one overcoat of the value of
twenty five dollars, and one
pair of trousers, of the value
of seven dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Fredenda Mathey

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.

Paul J. MacArthur

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Johnson, William

DATE:

04/27/87



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Witnesses:

H. Brown
Troyer

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Counsel,

Filed

27th day of April 1887

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Johnson
Defendant

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Thraut Foreman
April 28th 1887
Heads of Jury
Emir R.

[Sections 497, 506, 522 and 539]
Grand Jurors
Burglary in the second Degree

0046

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

of No. 169 Suffolk

occupation Tailor

Morris Bromberger

Street, aged 23 years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 169 Suffolk Street, 10 Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a fine Story brick building

The first floor of

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Joseph Bromberger

and, Morris Bromberger

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly removing the
fastening on the Window, then raising said Window.on the 24 day of April 1887 in the night, time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:One Coat, one Vest and one pair of Pants, of the
Value of ten dollars, andgold and lawful of the United States, consisting of
one gold Coin of the Value of five dollars, and one State
of the Value of five dollars, and one State of the
Value of two dollars, and one silver Coin of
the Value of fifty cents,and, one plated Watch and gold Chain attached
of the Value of twenty dollars.said property being in all of the Value of \$42.⁵⁰/₁₀₀
Forty two 50/100 Dollars

the property of deponent,

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

William Johnson (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That at the hour of about 10 o'clock
in the night of the 23rd day of April 1887 deponent:secretly fastened the above described Window,
and then went to bed, That at the hourof about 11 o'clock deponent was disturbed
by a noise in said Room, and deponent
discovered a man in said Room,That deponent gave an alarm and said
William Johnson jumped out of the Window

with the within described property in his possession
that defendant pursued him and he was caught
on the corner of Norfolk and Stanton Street
of office. Max Sparbury of the 11th Precinct Police;

Defendant further says that from the
time of said defendant jumping out of
said window, up to the time he was
caught, defendant never lost sight
of him. That said defendant in
his flight threw said property away
all of which was recovered.

Sworn to before me this }
24th day of April 1887 } Herman Bromberger
Clerk of Court
Police Justice.

Dated 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1887 Police Justice.

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

Police Court, District,
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of
vs.
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Office—BURGLARY.
Dated 1887
Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.
Witnesses,
No. Street,
No. Street,
No. Street,
\$ to answer General Sessions.

0048

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss

William Johnson 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 Johnson

Question. How old are you?

Answer 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Hoboken N.J.

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

Answer. 53 Bowers Street 1 week

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Grocery broker.

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

Answer. I don't know it, but I was drunk when I did it

Will Johnson

Taken before me this

24

day of April

1887

John J. Stewart

Police Justice.

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

Defendant
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 April 24 188 7 Henry H. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court 3 District. 569

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Herman Prosenberger
169 Suffolk
William Johnson

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence Burglary

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated April 24 1889

Murray Magistrate.

May Herington Officer.

14 Precinct.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 5000 to answer G.S.

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0051

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 Johnson

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

— William Johnson —

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

The said *William Johnson,*

late of the *South* — Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *Twenty-fourth* day of *April* — , in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~seven~~ , with force and arms, about the
hour of *four* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Herman Bronckhorst. —

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some
human being, to wit: *the said Herman Bronckhorst,*

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels
and personal property of the said *Herman Bronckhorst.* —

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal,
take and carry away.

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

- William Johnson -

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

The said

William Johnson,

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

*one coat of the value of five dollars, one
pair of the value of two dollars, one pair of
trousers of the value of three dollars,
one gold coin of the value of five dollars,
one promissory note of the denomination
and value of five dollars, one other promissory
note of the denomination and value of two
dollars, one silver coin of the value of
fifty cents, one watch of the value of
ten dollars, and one chain of the value
of ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Herman Bronberger,

in the dwelling house of the said

Herman Bronberger. -

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

David W. Smith
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

2482

DESCRIPTION:

Jones, James

DATE:

04/05/87



2482

0054

Witnesses:

Counsel, *[Signature]*
Filed, *2* day of *April* 188*7*
Pleads, *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Jones

Friedrich Kuntze
[Signature]
Grand Larceny,
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Grand Larceny, *First* degree
(From the Person).
Sections 528, 530. Penal Code.

A True Bill.

[Signature]

Foreman,

April 13

22

April 25

off for April 25

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Police Court—21 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County
of New York, } ss.of No. 127 West 32 Street, aged 19 years,
occupation Chambermaid being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 28th day of March 1887 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and
of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz:

A pocketbook of the value of
fifteen Cents containing good and
lawful money of the United States
to the amount of four + 50/100 dollars
together of the value of

Four + 7/100 dollars

the property of

Deponent

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

from the fact that at about the
hour of 9:30 O'clock P.M. said deponent
was in the restaurant on said
premises and at that time deponent
had said pocketbook in the right hand
pocket of her sacque. The defendant
came up to deponent and commenced
fooling with her putting his hands on
her and deponent felt his hand in
said pocket where said pocketbook
was. And immediately thereafter
deponent missed said property. Deponent
charged him with stealing it and demanded
its return when he the defendant struck

Sworn to before me this 28th day of March 1887

Police District, N.Y.

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deponent in the house. He the defendant
then left the restaurant and went out
on 19th Avenue. Deponent followed him
and when the met officer Thomas
Maurice of the 19th Precinct. She
told him the defendant had taken her
pocket book and as soon as he the defendant
saw the officer he began to run away.
When the officer caught him and placed
him under arrest.
Wherefore Deponent charges the said defendant
with feloniously taking, stealing and
carrying away the aforesaid property
from the right hand pocket of the
sacque then and there worn by her
as a portion of her toilet articles
and prays he may be held and dealt
with according to law.

Served to before me
this 29th day of March 1901

Annie Jackson

J. H. Duffy
Police Justice

0057

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

James Jones

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

James Jones

Question. How old are you?

Answer

27 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Virginia

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

Answer.

12 N. Dr, 26th St 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

Hostler

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

James Jones
Mark

Taken before me this

day of *July* 188*8*

Police Justice.

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

_____ *James Jones* _____
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 *March 31* 188 _____ *P. G. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *[Signature]* 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.

0059

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Ex this pm
2 o'clock

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Annie Jackson
127 W. 32nd St.
James Jones

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Officer Lawrence (Johnny)

Dated March 29 1887

Suffy Magistrate.
Thos Manning Officer.

19 Precinct.

Witnesses Mary Prime

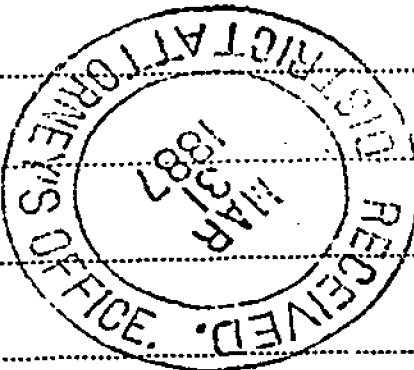
No. 127 W. 32 Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 500 to answer G.S.

COM.



The People
 James Jones } Court of General Sessions. Part I
 Before Recorder Smyth. May 4. 1887.
 Indictment for assault in the first degree.
 Annie Jackson sworn. I saw the defend-
 ant in a restaurant in Thirty Second St. bet-
 ween the 6th and 7th Avenues about 9 1/2 o'clock.
 I never saw the defendant before that night.
 he walked up to me and began to fool and
 play with me. I pushed him away and said,
 "Go away, I don't know you and I don't care
 to play with you." I then turned my head
 and was looking at the girl that was
 playing the piano when I felt the defendant's
 hand drawing out my pocket book. I said,
 "Will you please give me my pocket book?"
 Instead of giving me the pocket book he hit
 me. I put the pocket book in my squire
 pocket book as I entered the restaurant door;
 it contained \$4.50. I felt his hand in the
 right hand pocket and I missed the pocket-
 book afterward. The defendant went out of the
 restaurant and he stood in the street
 talking to Mary Paine, the lady who was
 with me, and there was a lot of people
 standing around. I went after an officer
 and when he came up the defendant
 ran to Sixth Avenue and the officer
 caught him. Cross Examined. I am a

chambermaid for Mrs. Estbrook. 222 East 116th St. I had been living there only a month; on the 28th of March I was living in 127 Thirty Second St.; it was a respectable private house. I had been doing days work, going out washing and ironing. There is no bar in this restaurant, I saw no drinks served there. My friend Miss Paine and I went to the up stairs part of the restaurant. The defendant hit me on the cheek after I asked him for the pocketbook. When I felt his hand drawing out my pocket-book he was sitting by the table.

Mary Paine sworn. I live at 427 West Thirty Second St. I saw the defendant on the night of the 28th and never saw him before that. I know Annie Jackson thirteen years and went into the restaurant with her on the night in question. The defendant commenced to fool with her and she pushed him away two or three times; he turned to Mr. Tiddings and said something; then I heard this girl say, "Please give me my pocketbook." I was sitting by the piano, and instead of giving her the pocketbook he struck her. I came down stairs and spoke to the proprietor about it; he said he did not believe that Jones had the pocketbook. I came out on the street

He came out on the street after me; he said, "I suppose you want to say I took the pocket book too." I said, "you are a stranger, I did not see you take the pocket book; if I had seen you, I would tell you so." By that time he struck me. I did not see the officer while I was talking to him. After he struck me the defendant went into the restaurant again and the proprietor said, "I would not make any fuss with her, you know you just came out of prison ~~and~~ very long ago." The defendant then said, "If she told me I had her pocket book I would knock her teeth down her throat." By that time I saw the girl come up the street with an officer and a crowd followed and Jones started up the Sixth Avenue; the officer started after him and when I saw the defendant again the officer brought him across the Avenue Cross Examined. I wash and iron and I have a husband to support me I have often been in this restaurant with my husband. I don't know any girls that go there. I never drank anything there. I had not drank anything that night and my friend had not drank anything. I did not make the remark

then you had better go home, may be you left it there." Before she started up stairs she had the pocket book.

Thomas H. Mannin sworn. I am an officer of the 19th precinct. I made the arrest of the prisoner on the 28th of March between 9 and 10 o'clock in the evening. I saw the complainant in West Thirty Second St. between 6th and 7th aves. she made a complaint to me, I saw the defendant crossing Sixth Avenue and Thirty Second St. I followed him and arrested him; he walked part of the way and part of the way he was running. I told him to come back as the woman charged him with taking her pocket book; he said that he knew nothing about it. I searched him in the station house and I found nothing except some paron tickets.

The Case for the Defence.

James Washington sworn. I am a waiter for Mr. H. Starbuck. I was second steward on the yacht Tilly last summer. I am porter for Mr. H. Garrison, 110 Twenty Third St. I know the defendant ten years and remember the night I was arrested. He told me he had come back

from Boston and wanted to find his brother.
 We went into this saloon and then these young women came in. One of them sat down on a chair down stairs and the other one ran up stairs; she halloed for the other one to come up; we went up stairs also; they had been up stairs about three minutes when one of them said she lost a pocket book "and I know Jim Jones has it." She said, I am not acquainted with that man. The man who keeps the house said, "Girl, you did not have a pocket book when you came in here. She moved the chair and looked underneath the table. I was waiting for something to eat. Jim went out of the front door. I stayed in the saloon and waited for something to eat. Somebody said to her, "Go on outside, go home and look and see if you left your pocket book home." She went out. I remained in the saloon. I guess the ~~defendant~~ ~~chump~~ remained in the saloon five minutes after ~~the Jones~~ ~~went out~~ ~~charged Jones~~ ^{he was} with stealing her pocket book; he did not run away.

Cross Examined. I think Annie Jackson went for the policeman because she said she was going to get one to make

him give her back the pocket book. She went out first and he went out after her. I did not see him take any pocket book.

~~John~~ H. Liddings sworn. I am a waiter and know Jones for a five years. I was in his company in that restaurant on the 28th of March. I talked with him about coming from Boston. These girls came up stairs and he spoke to one, and two minutes after I heard her halloo that she had lost her pocket book, and the other one who was with her said, "You keep watch here while I go in the house to see whether the pocket book is there or not." She went to the house 127 West Twenty Second St, which is called "the Toribis" and she returned again. The girl who lost the pocketbook made a terrible noise and she and Jones went down stairs. I did not see Jones steal the pocket book. Cross Examined. There were a number of people in the saloon at the time. I went in company with Jones' brother to see the complainant at her house. I heard she desired to see him. Jones' brother did not in my presence say to her that he would give her eleven dollars and some odd cents to get out of New York and he did not say

if she did not get out he would smash her head. Jones' brother said to her, "Jones is my brother, of course he is in trouble and I heard you wanted to see his brother and wanted money to leave town. I am a poor man working for my living and I will give you eleven dollars. She said it would take so much to get her clothes out of pawn and that was not a sufficient amount for her to go and see her folks. I don't remember the day when I went to see the complainant. James Jones soon. I have lived in New York off and on for ten years. I remember the night I was arrested. I left Boston on the 26th and was arrested on the 28th. I was arrested once for assault and battery and got six months on the Island. I was never arrested for stealing or anything else. I have taken care of horses for thirteen years and worked for a good many people in New York. I have driven horses from Kentucky to the riding academy. I met a lady on the Sixth Ave. upon the night of my arrest who asked me to take a note to the Murray Hill hotel. I ran for a messenger boy and he came but he would not take the note unless he got the money in advance. I told him I had no money. I then went with the

Washington up the avenue and went into this restaurant in Thirty Second St. I wanted to look for my brother. These two ladies came in, I might have spoken to them. Then I started to go down stairs, the complainant said, "Give me my pocket book." I said, I have not got your pocket book; what do you mean by accusing me of such a charge? Her lady friend said, you had better go home and see if you had not left it there. The man who keeps the place said, "That man would not take your pocket book; furthermore you had none when you came in here." During the time I was talking to her she commenced to quarrel and raise an excitement and she had something like a knife in her hand. I was afterwards arrested. I did not take her pocket book. Cross Examined I had never seen these women before that night. I did not touch either of them. I have been down here eight or nine times to be tried. I did not strike the woman.

Willis Jones, the brother of the defendant, was examined. He admitted offering the complainant eleven dollars to get away from New York. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of petty larceny.

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Testimony in the
case of
James Jones
filed April
1887

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

James Jones

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

James Jones

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

The said *James Jones*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty-eighth day of *March*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, at the City and County aforesaid, in the
first time of the same day, with force and arms, *one pocket*
book of the value of *Twenty*
cents, and the sum of *four*
dollars and fifty six cents in
money *lawful money of the United*
States and of the value of *four*
dollars and fifty six cents.

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

Handwritten signature of District Attorney
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Jordan, Charles

DATE:

04/27/87



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BOX:

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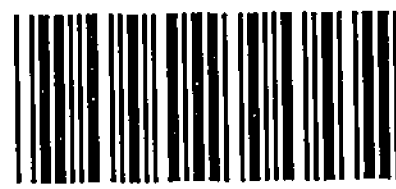
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DESCRIPTION:

McCloskey, John

DATE:

04/27/87



2482

Witnesses:

James Doyle
Officer Ward

211 - A. B. House - 1

Counsel, *at* B.C.L. 2

Filed 27th day of April 1887

Pleads, *Magically* (207)

will be THE PEOPLE
no vs. *the*

Charles Jordan
John Mc Closkey
H.D.

Robbery, *the*
[Sections 224 and 22 & , Penal Code].
degree.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Hold the same in
and

A True Bill.

For May 2. 1887.
Work tried & convicted & let go
April he was. do more
James J. Leavitt Foreman.

Each

James J. Leavitt

0073

Police Court

District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

James Boyle
 of No. *455 West 27th* Street, *Age* *27* Years
 Occupation *Laborer* being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
24 day of *April* 188*7*, at the *15th* Ward of the City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-
 ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

Good and Careful Money
of the United States

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

Charles Jordan and *John*
McCloskey both now held from the
 fact that at the hour of *12.15* o'clock
 on said date deponent was walking
 up *10th Avenue* and at that time deponent
 had said sum of money in the lower left
 hand pocket of his vest and when deponent
 reached the corner of *10th Avenue & West*
21st Street the said defendants together and
 in company with each other came up to
 deponent and the defendant *Jordan*
 struck deponent on the head on the
 head with his hand knocking him down

City of

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice

0075

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

Charles Jordan 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 Jordan

Question How old are you?

Answer

27 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

Foot of Gansevoort St.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Drive a lumber truck

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 Jordan

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*7*

John J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Question Where were you born?

Answer

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

Answer

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer

I am not guilty

John W. Blonsky

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

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

Jordan and John W. Bloskey
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of Ten Hundred Dollars, Each and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated April 24 1887 J. H. Thompson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 2563 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ames Boyle
House vs. Rejection
Charles Jordan
John W. Clink

Offence *Robbery*

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street,

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street,

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated *April 24* 188*7*

Ford Magistrate.

David Valley Officer.

16 Precinct.

Witnesses *said officers*

No. _____ Street.

Complainant committed

to the House of Detention

in default of \$100 bail

to satisfy

1,000 to answer *G. J.*

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New York
City May 4th
Your Honor this man has been
Working for me the last year
has been a honest faithful man to me
since he has been in my Employment
Charles ~~Foster~~ Hannon

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Court of General Sessions

The People vs

Jas McEluskey

City and County of New York

Mrs Rose & Reilly being

duly sworn says she lives at No 8
384 Cherry Street this City, that she
has known the defendant for 8 years
last past, that during that time
he has always been a good, honest
obedient boy in all respects, that
he has frequently visited deponents
house during that period, and
that deponent has had abundant
opportunity for knowing the
boy intimately & well, and further
that to the knowledge of this
deponent, defendant has never
been arrested before this

sworn to before this

4th day of May 1887

Mrs Rose & Reilly

Jas Chris Keane

Commissioner of Deeds

N.Y. Co

Annals

The People

Pro McLuskey

City and County of New York

Many Quirk being duly sworn says that she resides at No. 116th Street this City, that she has been engaged in the Grocery business at the above number for the past 27 years that she has known the defendant for about Eight last past; that at times he was in this deponent's employ and has lived for the above period of time next door to deponent. That deponent has seen him almost daily and is well acquainted with many others who know him. That his reputation for honesty, obedience, and peacefulness is good among all the neighbors who know him. Deponent is satisfied that defendant was never before arrested and that this is his first

Many Quirk

Deponent's name

4th day of May, 1887

John J. Keane

Commissioner of the Court

M. J. Co

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General Sessions
The People
vs
James M. McLaughlin
Defendant

BLAKE & SULLIVAN,
COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
No. 78 CENTRE STREET, N. Y.

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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

Charles Jordan
and
John McPherson

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Charles Jordan and John McPherson* of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the *First* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Jordan and John McPherson*, both —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty-fourth* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *James George*, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

one silver coin of the value of ten cents, two nickel coins of the value of five cents each, and five coins (of the kind called cents) of the value of one cent each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *James George*, from the person of the said *James George*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *James George*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *each of them* the said *Charles Jordan and John McPherson* being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, to wit: each by the other.

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.