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**FOLDER:**

1916

**DESCRIPTION:**

Quinn, John

**DATE:**

09/16/85



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Witnesses :

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

16 day of Sept 1885

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.  
(From the Person.) Penal Code, Sections 528, 531, 1

THE PEOPLE

M. Gardner vs.

R  
Gardner

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

No 1123 Pr. Sept 17/85

plead attempt.

A True Bill.

S.P. 2/2 yrd  
Chas M. Russell

Foreman.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John Quinn*

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

*John Quinn*

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

The said *John Quinn*,

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

*one watch of the value of*

*Twenty five dollars.*

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

*Randolph B. Martin*  
District Attorney

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Victory Miller  
Maguid Keele  
John DeWitt

Offense: Larceny from person

Date

September 11 1885

Magistrate

Samuel Goodrich

Witnesses

No.

Henry Meyer

No.

Amos Lee & Mary

No.

Street

No.

Street

to answer

(Am)

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

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

Dated Sept 11 1885 Henry Murray 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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Sec. 188-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, 1888

District Police Court.

*John Quinn* 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 Quinn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *21 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *44 Madison Street*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Mail Agency*

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. The complainant was drunk and in the crowd that was pushing & surging he accused me of stealing his watch although at the time he had it in his pocket*  
*John Quinn*

Taken before me this

1888

Police Justice.

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Police Court 4 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Ludwig Muller  
of No. Amoy Hill N Jersey <sup>Gardner</sup> Street, aged 45 years,  
occupation Brewer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September 1885 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 :

A Gold watch of the  
value of twenty 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 John Oum (now present)

that on the aforesaid day this  
deponent was among a crowd  
in Washington Park East City  
that the defendant who stood close  
to deponent thrust his hand into  
a pocket of deponents vest and  
took therefrom the watch in question  
which deponent took from his  
hand, and handed the defendant  
over to an officer

Ludwig Muller

Sworn to before me, this  
10<sup>th</sup> day of  
September 1885  
of  
Stephen J. Lawrence  
Police-Justice.