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Callahan, John

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Case 150

Filed 27 day of April 188

Plends for Quality (20)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Callahan

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

Attorney at Law

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Lewis Foreman.

Accepted

Plenda J. P. J.

at 12 o'clock P.M.

Sentence suspended

his employer \$5

accused Jim Cook.

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There may be an error
to correct see the de. de. error

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POLICE COURT—^{5th} DISTRICT.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Frances Scott
of No. *75 East 124th* Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. *75 East 124th*
Street, *12th* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *Dwelling*

and which was occupied by deponent ~~James~~ *Samuel* ^{Scott} and

Mary L. Scott were BURGLARIOUSLY
entered by means of forcibly opening the doors leading to
the Parlor floor from the stoop of said premises
by means of false Key or some other implements
the deponent *unknown*

on the *afternoon* of the *28th* day of *March* 18 *81*
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Silk Dress and
Two Cloth Dresses all being of the value
of one hundred dollars \$100 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀

the property of *Mary L. Scott* deponent's aunt said property being in
the care and charge of deponent
and deponent further says that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that
the aforesaid BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and
carried away by *John Callahan (now here)*

for the reasons following, to wit; *That on said day between the hours of*
12 and one o'clock noon deponent saw that the said
doors leading into said premises were securely
fastened, That at about one o'clock deponent returned
up stairs from the Basement floor and discovered
that the Hall door leading into the vestibule had
been forcibly opened as aforesaid, deponent almost
immediately went up stairs and discovered that the
above described property had been feloniously stolen

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from the 2nd floor back room, Depment further says that on the 29th day of March 1881 she went to the Loan office situated at 1993 Third Avenue in said city in company with officer Smith of the 12th Precinct - Police that while there Depment identified the Skirt of the Silk dress above described which had been feloniously stolen from her care and charge. Depment is further informed by Joseph Holzman of No. 1993 3rd Avenue who keeps said Loan office that said John Callahan (now here) is the person who pawned the said Silk Skirt on the said 28th day of March 1881.

Depment therefore charges from the information given to Depment from said Joseph Holzman that said John Callahan is the person who feloniously and Burglariously took stole and carried said property from her care and charge.

Francis Scott

Sworn to before me this
30th day of March 1881
Morven C. Osberg
Police

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Counsel,
Filed 25 day of April 1881
Plouffe & Smith (vs.)

vs. Larceny, a
Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Benjamin Plouffe

vs. The People

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

~~Attorney at Law~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill
John A. Smith
Foreman.

Henry J. Plouffe
James P. Plouffe

Pen 60 days

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POLICE COURT—FIFTH DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

John Callahan 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.

John Callahan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

N^o 1576 3^d Avenue

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Gas fitting

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty, the dress was given
to me and I pawned it,*

John Callahan

Taken before me, this

30th

day of

March

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Morven Otis Baumgardner
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT - FIFTH DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frances Scott
75 East 174 St.
John Callahan



Burglary and larceny

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

Date *March 30th 1881*

Magistrate
Matthew
Smith and Tompson
12 Stuyvesant

Joseph Holzman, 193 3 Avenue
Smith and Tompson
2100 5 Avenue S.E.
Case

May 23rd 1881
Received in Dist. Atty's Office
put in de record

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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 Callahan

late of the *twelfth* Ward 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 *one* with force and arms,
about the hour of *one* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Francis Scott

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

he the said

John Callahan

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

Mary L. Scott

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

John Callahan

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*Three skirts of the value of fifteen dollars each
Three overshirts of the value of ten dollars each
Three waists of the value of ten dollars each*

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

Mary L. Scott

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.

~~HENRI HILLES, District Attorney.~~

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

THAT the said

John Callahan

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 skirts of the value of fifteen dollars each

Three overcoats of the value of ten dollars each

Three waists of the value of ten dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Mary L. Scott

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 Mary L. Scott* unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

John Callahan

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

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~NEW YORK~~ District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Camp, John R.

DATE:

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Day of Trial

Counsel, *W.C.*

Filed 29 day of April 1881

(Pleads *Not guilty (copy 2)*)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Burglary 2^d Deg.

John R. Camp

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. L. Stevens

Foreman.

Part Two - May 10 - 1881

Trid and acquitted

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John R. Camp 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. *John R. Camp*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty nine years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *730 3 avenue*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Engineer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

John R. Camp

Taken before me this

day of *April* 1897

Police Justice.

W. H. ...
W. H. ...

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there is a quarter to 10 from when
I was assaulted by these men
Q Do I understand you to say
that the first indication that
you had of anything being wrong
was a blow you received
A Yes Sir

Q Did you have any opportunity
of seeing the man who struck
you this blow before you
received it

A No Sir

Q Did you have any opportunity
of seeing the other man before
the blow was struck

A No Sir

Q You saw both of the men after
you received this blow

A Yes Sir

Q As near as you can judge, how
much time was taken from
the moment you were struck until
these people left the room,

A About ten minutes

Q Did you at any time become
unconscious

A When they struck me I felt
unconscious, I remained in
this condition until I was
picked up, and was placed
in the rickshaw chair, I was
conscious until they tied me

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with the ropes I did not
lose my consciousness afterward.
g Was the blow you received
from one of the men a very
violent blow
a It appeared to me to be meant
to stun me. It was a very
violent blow, I was struck
on the left side of my head
over my left ear that was
a blow with his fist, after
I was picked up, and put
into a rocking chair they
asked me for my \$200
money, and swore a big
oath, and stated I
did not tell where
\$200 money was they would
strike me with a knife,
It was a pocket knife,
g after they said if you did not
tell them where the money
was they would strike you
a they again asked for money
and pushed me down, then
one of the two struck me
with a stick on the back
of the head. It was a

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who struck me with a stick
It was the other man, Camp
struck me the first blow
Q when struck this violent
How by this man you
were somewhat bewildered
from the effects of the blow
A I was excited and bewildered,
I felt alarmed,
Q that alarm and excitement
continued until these men
left the place
A Yes, I lost my speech
wholly afterwards from the
effect of the blow
Q when did you realize that
you had lost your faculty
of speech
A Just as soon as Mr. Egan
came in and cut me
loose.
Q How long was that after
these men went away
A Five minutes
Q How long did you continue
in that speechless condition
A Twenty four hours before I

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recovered my speech

Q Do you enjoy good health

A Yes Sir

Q How you been ill lately

A No Sir

Q You say you had no opportunity to see these men before the blow was struck

A No Sir

Q The fact is that you saw these men, and had the faculty to recognize them only when you came out of this condition of unconsciousness,

A I did not know them until I regained my senses, they was the first opportunity, I had to get a good look at them, I saw the coat and the side face of the man's ^{face} who dealt me the blow,

Q When did you see the camp after this assault for the first time

A I saw him in my house when he was brought in on Sunday the 27 day of March 1861 - I saw at that time

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to speak still ⁵ I was sitting
up taking the air by the window,
It was Mr. Egan & officers
Makover who brought the
man in.
Q What did they ^{do} when they brought
the man in.
a They asked me if he was the
man, I indicated by a nod
of the head that he was the
man.
Q Had you communicated to any person
giving a description of the man
who assaulted you ^{Lawrence Gillman}
a I told Mr. Egan ^{Lawrence Gillman} about them
and it was on Saturday
night. I did not speak
but I beckoned about the
mustache. I did not speak
for over twenty four hours after
the affair. It was Saturday
night when Mr. Egan questioned
me about this occurrence, he
spoke to me about it & I
pointed first with fingers to the
side of the cheeks about two thirds
down, and also drew my

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fingers on the upper lip indicating a mustache, the other man only had a black mustache. I beckoned by putting my finger on my upper lip and beckoned to my wife to show that it was real, I was then lying on the sofa.

Q Have you stated all the information that you gave to Mr. Egan or any other person to ascertain the prisoner?
A Yes Sir.

Q Is this the first time that you ever had any person arrested for robbing you?
A I never appeared in court to have any person arrested before, this is the first time I ever appeared in any court. I never have been in Purgheefair, I do not know any person who lives there.

Q Did you make a complaint some time ago against John Hetherington?
A No never -

Q Did you ever lose your speech before?
A Never

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Q How long have you known Mr
Camp

A I never knew Mr Camp - to
speak to him before this occasion.
I have seen him going in and
out the house since last June.
This house is two doors from
Mr Evans, ^{house} where I reside.

Q About January last 29th do you
not remember that Mr Evans house
was robbed,

A Yes Sir, I do not remember
going to the Station House to
identify two men arrested
for robbing Mr Evans house, two
men were brought before me on
the street in B avenue to see
if I could identify them. I
could not say it was them,
I said it was not the men
& I never said it was the
men.

Re direct

Q How did you know it was half
past then - not assumed

A I just saw Mr Camp

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when he struck me, He
stood in front of me
tying me. He was dressed
the same as he was the
other time. I saw him on the steel
bar alone, and I heard a ^{gun} firing at the ^{four} ^{the} ^{point}
anyway, it was after he
gave me a blow. The other
man took out a knife
they said they would not
kill me if I gave them
the ^{same} money. I
said I did not have any
they then went looking for
Mrs. Egan, they insisted she
was in the house, I said
she was not, while they were
tying me I shouted and
that brought the people up
stairs -

Re Corp.

9. You say when you came to your
census camp stood in front
of you tied you in the chair
and then struck you and ran
away
a Yes & they ran away when they

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9 at the door
heard the muffled "the man
who stood in front of me
struck me with his fist
I was struck three times
time with a fist and
once with a stick, I
was dragged from one room
to another by the head of
the hair. I was struck
with a stick afterwards
I took two of them to
tie me. and I was at
the time that I shouted,
I can't remember when
they struck me with a
stick I got so many
blows that I cannot remember
when I was struck with a
stick. I got three blows
with their fists.

Kellie Cunningham
mark

I born to before me
(this 30th day of March 1881)

Henry Murray Police Justice

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City and County
of Henry, Virginia 10

Thomas J. Egan
residing No 726
being sworn says I am
the gentleman in whose
subpoena Miss Cummings has
is, about as near as I can
judge between half past three
and a quarter to four o'clock.
I got to the place when I
got to the top of the stairs
I found the hall bedroom door
the opening of the door was
loose the bed which passes
across the door was moved
sufficient to admit a man
passing in the room I got
in the kitchen and found Miss
Cummings in a rocking
chair she was tied to the
chair hands and feet and
four coils of rope around her
neck. Miss Gardner coming up
stairs before I cut the ropes
and held Miss Cummings while
I cut the rope. She was unconscious
when I took her from the chair
after sending for the doctor
we placed her on the sofa

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9 after you thought she was
cousin did you ask her
who assaulted her
a I asked her who the men
were who assaulted her and
she put her hand up to
the face describing a mountain
and then put up her hand
to the side of the face to
describe side whiskers. She
then put up two fingers
pointing which I considered
meant two doors above. I
asked her after she put
up the fingers and after
the interpretation on my part
I asked her if she meant
to say if one of the persons
that was in there and assaulted
her was the man who lived
two doors above and the man
who was in the house and
tried to rob her and she
nodded her head in the
affirmative

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Cop Hammaker

He pointed out a man to me
three weeks after the first
robbery the man who had
attempted to rob me and
that man was Camp
I don't know Camp. I
have seen him on the avenue.
He lives 730 3 avenue 2 doors
from my house. I went
to the Station House after
he gave me the description
Camp when arrested. He was coming
up 3 avenue Sunday Sig about
5 minutes to Six. Camp was
arrested in my house. Station
officer Sealoney arrested Camp
he asked him up to see
a sick lady. He being a
citizen he had a right
to call upon him. Nothing
was said on the way up
stairs. When in the room
I asked him concerning him
if he was the man and
he nodded he had in the
affirmative and put up both
hands officer Sealoney then

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asked Miss Cunningham how
 to name the man and she
 nodded her head in the
 affirmative. Camp said of
 course she knows me I
 live two doors above. Camp
 did not deny it. When
 the Sergeant asked him where
 he was on Saturday afternoon
 he stated that he was in
 the company of the Sexton
 of the church from 2 to
 3 a quarter to six o'clock
 in the afternoon that was
 all I heard him say. They
 spoke of the work of the
 Rector House

Sworn to before me
 this 30 day of June 1883
 Wm. H. Murray

Notary Public
 City and County
 of New York
 Sarah Gardner
 residing No 726 B avenue
 being sworn says I live
 directly under Mr. Egan's

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apartments I heard music
in the apartments Saturday
afternoon I almost judge
it was about half past
three o'clock I was in
the Randall's house after
hearing the screaming I
opened the door went
up stairs and tried to
get into the kitchen door
and it was locked I
heard a young lady scream
please to let go of me several
times I kept knocking and
asked her to open the door
She would scream as if she
was smothering I saw that
all the doors were locked
I went down stairs to get
somebody to open the door I
then heard the click of a
latch and saw that the bed-
room door was sufficiently open
to admit a person to
pop out sideways - the
bedroom door leads from the hall
and is about seven feet from the
scuttle Mr. Egan came in

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and went up ¹⁵ stairs I
went in and saw Miss
Cunningham tied to the
chair I held Miss Cunningham
while Mr. Egan cut the
cords around her neck.

Witness to before me
this 30 day of March 1883
Wm. M. Brown
Police Justice

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City ^{and County} Court 16
of New York 300

Charles Wilson
residing No 184 East 45 St
being sworn says I have
known Miss Cunningham since
the affair I attended her
I saw her first on the evening
of Saturday 26th about 6 o'clock
I found her in a very nervous
condition very dazed looking,
I found her perfectly conscious
and able to answer by signs
all questions, I put to her
^{the} ~~the~~ ^{supposition} ~~supposition~~ ^{that} ~~that~~ she
had been assaulted by some
burglar, I found by marks
that something had been tied
tightly around both wrists, also
similar marks around the neck,
her neck was sensitive to ^{of} the
touch very painful on the
right side and very much
swollen I also found a large
swelling on the ^{right} ~~right~~ side of
the base of the skull, also some
swelling on the very left temple
her scalp was so tender all over
the head that she could not

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tolerate me to make a
thorough examination of it at
that time, I found no other
marks of violence upon her
person as far as I examined
her, and next saw her on
Sunday morning about half
past ten o'clock. Her condition
was about the same although
more quiet and composed but
extremely nervous, I examined
her neck then, and
swelling on the right side
It was the strangulation and
fright with that caused her
to lose her speech, and I saw
on each visit I examined her
wounds - ^{also her neck & head} discoloration has disappeared
but they are still tender, a
person ^{examining her now} would be unable to
discover the condition of the
wounds when I first examined
her because the discoloration has
disappeared, the confusion was
greater after the strangulation
and examination
The running here is somewhat

nervous temperament, I don't know
 that a person like Mrs Cunningham
 under this nervous excitement
 would expect her intelligence
 It would not be apt to
 cause some confusion of ideas
 of the mental faculties are
 influenced by nervous excitement
 a few in somewhat, such as
 perception reason judgement
 and imagination
 of you have ^{heard} Mrs Cunningham testify
 to being struck a violent
 blow and then becoming unconscious
 are not such causes calculated
 to disturb the Gen. Balance
 of the mind and if not
 derange it for the time being
 for for the moment, and it
 would take her some time
 to ^{regain} her ^{mental} Equilibrium

By the Court.

I am not that confusion is of such character
 to a person who sees a person say say
 to make a person mistake identity
 I do not think ^{of} Police

Shows to refer in
 30 days of March 1881
 Wm M. Cunningham
 Attorney at Law

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City and County 3 19

Sydney M. Patrick H. Pickett
Sergeant of Police 19
being on duty I was
in the Station House on Sunday
afternoon when camp was
being let in. He was in
charge of officer Maloney
about six - twenty PM on
last Sunday Sgt. Officer
Maloney was let in a
prisoner by the name
of Camp, Mr. Maloney
said he arrested him on
complaint of a Miss Cunningham
I took his pedigree and
asked him where he had
been Friday, and he said
I asked him where he had
been between 2 and 3 on
Saturday afternoon. He said
he had been at St. Bartholomew
Church on 44 street and Madison
Avenue, I then asked him
where he was between 3
4 o'clock on Saturday. He
said he was in the church
remained there until 6 o'clock

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and then went and got his
supper & then I said
there is a serious complaint
made against you and
it will be necessary for
you to prove where you
were on Saturday afternoon
there is a serious charge
made against you. He
said that he could prove
by the Sexton or Assistant
Sexton that he was in
the church on Saturday
afternoon. He was then
branded at the desk
and keys were found
up on him and he asked
me to send for his father
and I did so. I asked
him the name of the Sexton
he answered Smith

Charles W. Smith,
I am to defore me
this 31 day of March 1883
J. B. Morris
Police Justice

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City and County
of New York
John R. Camp
residing No. 730 - 3 avenue
being a summer camp I
am an engineer, I was
employed at the time
of my arrest at Saint
Bartholomew Church as
engineer taking care of
the furnaces and boiler
connected with church I
have been there for the
last three winter seasons
I was employed in the
summer time at 135 West
25th street for Peter Beckel,
I did not enter the premises
of Mr. Egan on Saturday
last I never entered it
in my life except when
the officer took me in
Sunday night, I never
spoke to Miss Cunningham
I was in the church on
Saturday at the time the
robbery was committed I
went there about 7 o'clock

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in the morning remained
there until 12 o'clock when
^{with the house & then} I went to my dinner and
then went from the Restaurant
to the house remained there
a half hour and returned
to the church where I arrived
at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
I remained there until a
few moments of six o'clock.
I was engaged in the capacity
of engineer all the time.
The church is 100 x 150 feet
including the Rectors house.
I had Deerhorns and overalls
^{blue white} on my clothing - and
had no white shirt
^{collar & necktie} and went back to my house
about six o'clock, and remained
there about ten minutes. I
then went to my Restaurant
and had my supper - after
I had my supper I went
back to the church I remained
on the steps of the church
until ten minutes after seven
o'clock I went stood on

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the strop until nearly eight o'clock I went up for a run to see the procession come down again and then went into the Rector's house Dr. Cook's. It was then a quarter past eight o'clock, I saw the cook who was employed in the Rector's house. I went into the kitchen and got home about a quarter to ten went to bed. got up next morning a quarter past five, and attended to my regular duties in connection with the church, my duties at the church require my attention on Saturday more than any other day of the week, at present during Lent I am there during nearly all the time between the hour of three and five o'clock on Saturday afternoon I was at the church in the discharge of my duty.

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I never was charged with
the commission of any offence
against the Law; I am
entirely innocent of the
offence committed by
any person either against
Mr. Sayer or Miss Cunningham

Conf. Examination

Ms. McKeuzie was with me
during the hours of 2 - 6
in St. Bartholomew's church. I
saw her at the church 2 1/2
PM. I saw her after that
at 3 PM she was dusting
the pews. I did not see
Miss Trainor there during
the afternoon. I was in
different parts of the building
down in the cellar, church
& vestry house. There was
only one entrance to the
church that day. No one
could be in the church
that day without my seeing
them except in the organ loft

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said I have been to be on account of this heavy dust. It is a likely matter that I Mr Camp could be about and in the premises without my seeing him, I did not see the Sexton there on Saturday. I cannot assure positively that Mr Camp did not have a conversation with me half past three o'clock on Saturday. I remember dusting the pens and Mr Camp walking along and talking with me. Mr Camp goes all over and without seeing him.

Cross Examination

I remember it was ten minutes to five that I left Mrs. Trammis out of the building, I don't remember to Mrs. Trammis saying to me I wonder where Camp is. I remember seeing Mr. Egan the detective. I had no occasion to make such a ~~report~~

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I remember seeing a ~~car~~ ~~that~~
first on Saturday morning
when I went into the
church I saw him beating
mats on Saturday morning -
I am sure that I did not
say to Mr. Egan that I
did not see Camp between
the hours of 11 & 4 that
day. Mrs. Farnier was ^{not} scrubbing
at half past twelve o'clock that
day but was working
By the count
Mrs. Farnier did not return
when she went away, as near
as I can judge the time
he went to work was 2 o'clock
It was two o'clock when I
saw Camp before seeing him
in the vicinity of four o'clock

Re direct

My memory is only middling
I saw Mr. Camp come into
my presence between 2 & 4
P.M. My memory does not
serve me - I have known

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Camp three years I do
not know anything about
his character

Christina ^{her} McKenzie
saw to before me (mark
the 31 day of March 1881)
of ~~the~~ Garrison
W. J. Garrison

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came back again through
the aisle of the church
went into the Rector's Lounge
and saw Margaret the
Cook went into the church
afterward, dumped some ashes
out quite far the west
into the church, and talked
with Mrs. McKenzie about a
half hour ^{or thereabouts} and talked
to her I followed her around
when she went about her work,
I put in another fire and
then walked my feet then
it was close on to a granite
to fire, I then went among
the church and closed the
cool air shutters I then
went into the church opened
the furnace door, then went
into the Rector's Lounge &
closed some cool air shutters
in that yard, about 6 or
half past six went to my
room on 3rd avenue, I
mentioned in the Station House
about Mrs. McKenzie just the
first message I sent her

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to Mr McKenzie ⁵² and
deputy of the Court. I
sent this message by a
Mr M. Cahill, I have
not seen him to speak
to him since Monday afternoon,
I received a message from
Mrs McKenzie through Mr
Kerbit that she would be
there.

John R. Camp
I am to refer me
the 31 day of March 1881 }
J. M. Murray
Public Justice

City and County
of New York -
Christina McKenzie
residing No 1026 3rd Avenue
being sworn says. I clean
houses and do work in
general I am working in
St Bartholomew's Church fifteen
years. I heard of the arrest
of Mr Camp on Monday last

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as near as I can judge
about 1 P.M.; I saw him
before that Saturday, say
a little before six o'clock.
I saw him before that he
was around the street shortly
after 4 o'clock in the
afternoon. I fix the time
because I opened the door
to let the woman out who
was scrubbing the vestibule
and saw the depot clock
I saw him before that a
little before two or shortly after
I don't think it was near 3 -
It was close on 4 o'clock, it
was nearer two than three
I don't remember having seen
him until 4 o'clock after that
I might have seen him between
2 & 4 that afternoon. I don't
the statements I have made
here to day in reference
to the time, I saw camp
Saturday afternoon is based
upon my conversation with Mrs
Parris about the time, camp
and myself had a long

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conversations about furniture
was about to purchase, but
was after four o'clock, I
don't know whether the clock
was going or not. Sometimes it
goes sometimes it does not.
I let Mrs. Trainor out ten
minutes to four o'clock as
I looked at the depot clock
it was a few minutes after
that. It was between ten
& fifteen minutes. It could not
have been more than fifteen
minutes, it was between
ten and fifteen minutes.
It could not have been more
than fifteen at the outside,
when I saw him he was
in his shirt sleeves the same
as he dresses when around the
camp found fault with me
for closing the windows and I
spoke about the dust. And
he said yes I could take
the dust up in shovels. I
made a remark to him that
he was in working order & he

0030

I have no knowledge whether
Mr. Trammis saw me or not
By 15-curt.

I have seen and spoken to
Mrs. McKenzie since I was
arrested. I asked her why
she did not come up to the
court. I asked her whether
she recollects that I was
talking to her about the
furniture in the church. I
did not tell her what to
swear to. I told her about
my talking to her about
the furniture, and asked her
if she recollects it. And
she said she did, I did
not see the Rector that day.
I put the ashes out from the
~~front~~ Saturday afternoon, I got
at the church 2 PM. went
down the cellar put some coal
on the fire. Lucy put two went
to the church looked at the
register. one to the right &
me to the middle aisle.
Wrote to Mrs. McKenzie
and went to the Vestibule room
looked at the thermometer -

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that I could see any person
working in the church. I
could have seen any person
working in that floor. No
person was working there.
Mrs McKenzie was there 2 1/2
PM when I scanned the
register. I did not see Mrs
Travis, a person could have
been there beneath the pews
and I not see them. I
did not see Mrs Travis
that afternoon, she
could have seen me there
if I was there. I could not
say if Mrs Travis could
see me if I was there.
I talked with Mrs McKenzie
about five minutes she was
dusting at the time of Mrs
Travis was there she could
have seen me, I did not
say to the Sergeant that I
could prove by Mrs Travis the
Sexton and assistant Sexton
that I was at the church
Saturday afternoon
Re Christ's testimony

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not say to ^{the} Sergeant that the
Sexton knew of man in the
Church Saturday afternoon. I
do not remember saying that
the Sexton could say that
I was in the church afternoon.
My memory is better now
that on the day after the
occurrence took place.

g Did you state in the Station
House in presence of the Sergeant
that Mrs. Trainor saw you
there in the afternoon of Saturday
a in Lin I said Mrs. McKenzie.
I did not say that Mrs.
Trainor was scrubbing there
on Saturday afternoon, I
saw Mrs. Trainor Saturday
morning at the time I went
to dinner I went through
the church four or five times
20 registers in the church
I examined them once in
the afternoon it was about
half past two I examined
the register near the door.
there is no obstruction so

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CORRECTION

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I did not see Mr. Dranings
in the church if there
was where they must have
been in the organ loft.
I have a number of books and
holden in New York City
they live 179 East 7th St.

Re direct

My duties on Saturday require
me to be in different parts
of the building and of the
church and I have to sweep
the ^{staircase} ~~steps~~, I have to go
to the cellar where the
water and furnace is
I could be in the cellar
discharging my duties as
Singer, and people in
the church would not know
I was there, I could be in
the Rectory House and people
in the church would not
know I was there.

Re Corp Examination

Some ^{one} was scrubbing the vestibule
on Saturday if you Mr. Dranings
and I was in the morning

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I was home at half past
twelve on that day -
I did not speak to any
one in front of the house
on that day

By the way.

I went to the church last
Saturday 7 1/2 o'clock in the
morning I got up steam
in the boiler I am
the fireman and Engineer
I have no assistance.
I got steam up between
9-10 o'clock in the morning
got up steam in result
of the rehearsal - Saturday
night, I saw Mr William
Fowler on Saturday morning
He is an attendant to the
Sexton. I see Mrs McKergie
& Mrs Travers on Saturday
morning when is only
one Scotch woman that is
Mrs Travers I did not
see Mrs McKergie on
that day to my knowledge

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I saw Mrs McKenzig about
half past 2 in the afternoon
spoke to her a few moments
I saw her at 3 o'clock
in the middle of the church
did not speak to her.
I spoke to her between
quarter past 4 and ^{four o'clock}
half past 4 there ^{was} about
~~moving furniture~~ I saw
her after that about a
few minutes of 7 pm. I
was in the church closing
the registers, she was dusting
the pews, I last saw
Mrs Trainor when she
was coming out to go to
dinner, I saw Sgt Pickett
when I was taken to the
Station House. I had a
conversation with him he
asked me questions & I
talked with him. I
remember having a conversation
with him about a charge
there was against me. He
told me that he would like
to see the Sexton. I did

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was after four o'clock, I
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going or not. Sometimes it
goes sometimes it does not.
I let Mrs. Trainor out ten
minutes to four o'clock as
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it was a few minutes after
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& fifteen minutes. It could not
have been more than fifteen
minutes, it was between
ten and fifteen minutes.
It could not have been more
than fifteen at the outside,
when I saw him he was
in his shirt sleeves the same
as he dresses when around the camp.
Camp found fault with me
for closing the windows and I
spoke about the dust. and
he said yes I could take
the dust up in shovels.
made a remark to him that
he was in working order & he

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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 R. Camp

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid,

on the *twenty-sixth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty--*one* with force and arms,
~~about the hour of~~ ~~o'clock~~ in the *day* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Thomas F. Egan
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of *forcibly*
bursting and breaking a water door of said dwelling house
whilst there was there and there some human being to wit, one *Abellie*
Lunningham within the said dwelling house he, the said

John R. Camp
then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and
personal property of *the said Thomas F. Egan*
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 the said John R. Camp, late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the twenty-sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, with force and arms in the day time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of Thomas F. Egan there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means and in a manner to the jurors aforesaid unknown with the aid and assistance of a person whose name is to the jurors aforesaid unknown who was then and there a confederate of the said John R. Camp and was then and there actually present, aiding and ~~operating~~ ^{abetting} him the said John R. Camp in so breaking and entering as aforesaid the aforesaid dwelling house whilst there was then and there some human being to wit, one Abellie Bunningham within the said dwelling house by the said John R. Camp then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Thomas F. Egan 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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~~CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK~~

And ^{*aforsaid*} 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~~ ^{*aforsaid*}, do farther present:

That the said *John R. Camp*.

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late of the ~~First~~ ^{*First*} Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, *aforsaid*, ^{*afterwards*}
to wit: on the *twenty-seath* day of *March* in the year of our Lord
one thousand ~~eight hundred and eighty one~~ ^{*eight hundred and eighty one*}, at the Ward, City, and County
aforsaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Nellie Cunningham*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and

One coat of the value of eight dollars
one vest of the value of eight dollars
One pair of trousers of the value of eight dollars.
and divers other articles of clothing and
personal property a more particular description
of which is to the jurors aforsaid unknown

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Nellie Cunningham*
^{*and in the presence*} from the person of said *Nellie Cunningham* and against
the will and by violence to the person of the said *Nellie Cunningham*
then and there violently and ^{*feloniously and under color of*} rob, steal, take and carry away, against
the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York and their dignity.

District Attorney

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Carroll, Bryan

DATE:

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Drumm, Andrew

DATE:

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Counsel, *W. A. C.*

Filed 25 day of April 1881

Reads *De G. Hill (16)*

OF THE PEOPLE

vs. I

Bryan Carroll
Andrew Drum

INDICTMENT—Larceny from the Person.

Samuel A. Collins
~~BENJ. W. PHIBBS~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John P. Wilson

Foreman.

April 27/81

John P. Wilson
Benjamin P. ...
Mr. L. ...

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FORM 89b.

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

Police Court--Second District.

of No Mary E. Davis
165 Seventh Avenue ~~Street~~, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 10th day of April 1881
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 her
persons,
the following property, to wit: One felt hat

of the value of 7⁰⁰ Dollars.
the property of deponent and her father,
James Davis

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

Ryan Carroll, aged 17 years,
and Andrew O'Rourke, aged 16
years, both now here, from the
fact that deponent was then
walking in Varick ~~and~~ Street and
wore said hat upon her head
as a portion of her bodily clothing.
That deponent saw said defendants
in company and walking together
behind deponent and a moment
thereafter deponent felt said hat
snatched from her head and
saw said defendants running

Sworn to before me this
1881
at New York City
Police Justice

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away together and the defendant
Bryan Carroll had said that
in his possession.

Given to you on
this 11th day of April 1881

Mary E. Davis

~~John Carroll~~ Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Bryan Carroll 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.—*Bryan Carroll*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Seventeen years of age*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*New York*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*No. 3 Congress Place*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*I have none*

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.*

Bryan Carroll

Taken before me this 10th day of *March* 188*8*
Wm. J. Quinn
Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY) ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Andrew Drummond 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.—*Andrew Drummond*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Sixteen years of age*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*New York*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*No. 28 Tenth Street*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*I have none*

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.*

Andrew Drummond

Taken before me, this
J. J. [Signature]
day of *April*
188 *8*
Police Justice.

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Form 891.

Police Court - Second District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James P. ...
Affidavit - Larceny.

Max S. Davis
165 7th Ave.
N.Y.C.

1 Bryan Canal

L. Andrew Spurr

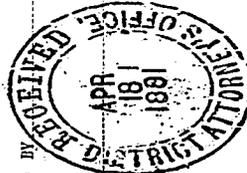
DATED *April 11* 188*1*

Patterson MAGISTRATE.

Paci f OFFICER.

WITNESS:
Edward J. Paci
S. Paul Police
Agnes Lynch
671 King Street

\$ *1.00* TO ANS. *Each*
BAILED BY *Clara*



No. _____ STREET.

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The People

Bryan Carroll
and
Andrew Drummond

Court of General Sessions. Part 7
Before Judge Cowing. April 27, 1887.
Indictment for petty larceny from
the person

Mary E. Davis, sworn and examined, testified
Where do you live, Mary? No 65 Seventh Avenue.
Did you lose a hat in the street on the 10th of
April? Yes, sir. What kind of a hat was it? A felt
hat, light felt. Where was it, on your head?
Yes, sir. Who took it? That boy. Which boy? Bryan
Carroll, the red headed one. Where were you and
what were you doing when he took it, just tell
these gentlemen? I was walking in the street
with another young lady, and they came up
behind me and snatched it off me. What did
they do when they snatched your hat off? They
ran around the corner. Which one had your
hat? The red headed fellow. And did you ever
get your hat back again? No, sir. When was
Bryan Carroll arrested? The next morning
after he took it. Did you make complaint to
a policeman? Yes, sir, that evening. And the
next morning these two boys were arrested? Yes.
And you identified Carroll? Yes, sir. I under-
stand that you do not identify the other boy
positively? Not positively, no, sir. By the
Court. He took off your hat? Yes, sir. What
was it worth, was it worth a dollar? It was worth
more than that. By Mr. Bell. Worth four dollars.

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it is stated in the complaint? Yes, sir. By the Court. Did you know this Carroll before? No, sir, never saw him before. Cross Examined. You say you are not sure about this boy (Drummond) whether he was there or not? No, sir. I know there was another boy with Carroll. But you do not know that this one was the one? No, sir. Did you see that boy's face at all? (Carroll) No, sir, I did not see his face. How do you know it was he? I recognized him by a blue jumper and by his size. What do you mean, by his shirt he has on now? Yes. Did'nt he have any coat on? Yes, it was dark and I could see the blue and white. If you saw the front of his shirt how was it you did not see his face? They were walking behind us; the boy that took it off I turned round and I noticed. You noticed nothing but the shirt? That is all. Did'nt you look in the boy's face? No, sir. Did you notice the color of his hair? No, sir, he had his hat on, had it down over his face. Did you notice his eyes? No, sir. You did not see his face at all? No, sir. Nothing but the front of his shirt? That is all. And that is the only way you identify him? And by his size. And in no other way? No, sir.

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Stepes Lynch, sworn and examined. Do you know these two boys? Yes sir, I know the two of them. Did you see them with the hat? I did not see Andy Drummond with the hat, but I seen Bryan Carroll. Andy Drummond was not there when the thing happened. Bryan Carroll was there when he took the hat; he went behind the girl's back and took it. By the Court. Did you see him? Yes sir. By the Bell. Did you see him run away with it? Yes sir. By Counsel. You say this boy was not with him? No sir, he was not with him. Do you know who was with him? No sir, there was no one with him but Charlie Ross and a couple of other little fellows. Do you know where Charlie Ross is now? No sir, I do not; he has not been around since this happened. Have you seen Carroll's face? Yes sir, I did. How far away were you? I was not far away, just at the corner where it was taken, just as far as I am from you and no further. What time was it? It was between eight and half past eight o'clock when the hat was taken. At night? Yes sir. Where? Corner of King and Varick sts. How long had you known Carroll? He was only two weeks around the neighborhood. I know him two weeks. Did you speak to him? No sir, never talked to him - never made no freedom, but he always was in our hallway; he was doing things he ought not to do whenever I went up stairs.

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Have you a spite against him? Yes sir. By the Court.
Would you like to see him punished? Yes sir, he
is the only fellow ever done any harm to me
By the Court. You are positive you saw him? Yes
sir, I am. Did you call anybody and have
him arrested? No sir, I did not. Did you tell
this little girl? I told the little girl that night.
The boys were not arrested for two or three days.
I did not hear anything about them being ar-
rested until the next morning. By Mr. Bell. You
are sure this is the boy that took the little
girl's hat? Yes sir, I am sure that is the boy
that took the hat. The Court. There is no evidence
to hold that young boy - Drumm. Mr. Bell. [No sir.]
Bryan Carroll, sworn and examined in
his own behalf testified. Tell the jury what you
know about this case? I know nothing about the
case. I was not around there when the hat
was taken. I did not take it, I was by her
own stoop. I saw her going up in her own
house with a cane and something in it.
Did you take her hat? I did not touch it and do
not know who did. The next morning I was
arrested and taken to the station house, she
said it was me. I work down the dock for
a living, but I have not been working for two
weeks. I was in the House of Refuge for three
years and am out about five months.
The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.
He was sent to the penitentiary for one year.

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Testimony in the case
of
Bryan Carroll
filed April 1890.

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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 *Bryan Carroll and Andrew*
Drummond
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *twentieth* 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

One hat of the value of four dollars

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

Daniel S. Rollins

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Clark, Edward

DATE:

04/11/81



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Counsel,
Filed *11/10/1881*
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

v.

Carroll Clark

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John Green
Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.
Found Guilty
Standley J. Day
S.P. H. y. Card

Spent
General Assembly
1881
BURGLARY - 1st Degree, etc.

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Police Court—Second District.

City and County }
of New York. } ss:

Cornelius Donnelly
of No. *309 Seventh Avenue* Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. *309 Seventh Avenue*
Street, *20th* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *brick building*
and which was occupied by deponent as a *Bakery and dwelling*

house were **BURGLARIOUSLY** *broken*
and entered by means of *forcibly opening the door of deponents*
apartments on the second floor of said premises
by means of a false key, at about the
hour of 11 1/2 o'clock
on the *afternoon* of the *2^d* day of *April* 18 *80*

~~with the following property taken, to-wit:~~ *with the*
intent to commit a larceny therein,
said apartments then containing clothing
and other personal property to the value
of two hundred 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 *Edward Clark, now here,*

for the reasons following, to-wit: *That deponent was*
alarmed by hearing the bell ring
which is attached to the door of
said apartments, and upon going up
from the store deponent found that
said door had been opened and unlocked
with a false key and that said Edward
was concealed in a closet within said
apartments. That he does not reside there
and had no lawful right or business there.
Cornelius Donnelly

Subscribed before me this
3rd day of April 1881
Charles H. [unclear]

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

Edward Clark 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.—*Edward Clark*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Twenty-eight years of age*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*New York*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*Hudson Street*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Machinist*

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

ANSWER.—*I have nothing to say.*

Edward Clark

Taken before me, this

John W. Lawrence
Police Justice

9th
day of April
1887

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Police Court—Second District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Condon Connelly
309 7th Ave.

vs.
Edward Clark

OFFENSE:
BURGLARY

Dated *April 3rd* 18 *81*

J. J. Harwood Magistrate.

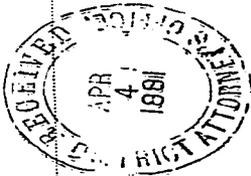
Martin Officer.

McG Clerk.

Witnesses:
Christopher E. Martin
D. G. Reed, Police

Committed in default of \$ *1000* Bail.

Bailed by _____
No. _____ Street.



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PEOPLE

vs.

Thos Laddington

Dr S. H. Talcott. Dept. State
Insane Asylum Middle States.
state that he has known Cid-
dington a long time. That his
family are very respectable. and
that Laddington has always
heretofore borne a most excellent
Character. He is also subscribed of
the sum of \$100. His family
will take care of him. and put
him at work in the country.
The Complainant has signed a
request that whenever he should
be seen. Mr R. M. He had seen
Dept. Chautauq. Corrections also
subscribe in Ciddington's behalf.
As C is but 19 years old - as this
is his first offence - as his family
will take care of him. I recom-
mend his discharge in his own
interest.
Apt 24. 1841 D. J. Shubbs
A. D. A

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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

Edward Clark

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

Cornelius Gannely

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of forcibly
breaking open an outer door of said dwelling house
he the said

Edward Clark

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

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~~

~~late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,~~

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

~~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,

~~Attorney at Law~~, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Clemens, Margaret

DATE:

04/12/81



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Counsel,
Filed *12* day of *April* 188*7*
Pleads

INDICTMENT—LAWYER'S OFFICE
the Person. *W. G. S. M. K.*
THE PEOPLE
vs.
Margaret Clement

Wm. B. Patton
BENJAMIN WINNERS,
District Attorney.

A. TRUE BILL.
Wm. J. Green
Foreman.

April 13, 1887
W. G. S. M. K.
Pleads *W. G. S. M. K.*

Pen 6 months

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Selden H. Talcott, M. D.,

Medical Superintendent.

N. Y. State Homoeopathic Asylum for Insane,
Middletown, N. Y.

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And D. G. Rodwin,

Introducing

Mr Robt. M. Hedden

10.12.1881

R. A. Stott

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No. John Nelson
274 Columbia Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 27 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 of deponent,

and from deponent's
person
the following property, viz: one silver watch

of the value of fifty 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 Maggie Clemens

now here that at about the hour
of midnight ^{on said day} as deponent was
passing along Chatham Street
the prisoner approached him
and suddenly took hold of the
chain attached to said watch
which she pulled from a pocket
of the vest then worn by deponent
that deponent immediately seized
the prisoner and held her until
an officer arrived and took her into
custody when she returned said property
which she had concealed in her bosom

John Nelson

Sworn to before me, this 27 day

of March 1887

Police Justice.

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Chas. Conkley
of New York, Martin Keogh of
the New York Police. Being
only sworn 2 yrs. that while
he saw Maggie Clemens now
present, give the watch in
question to Officer Hickey
while she was in custody.
I have to refer me
This 28 March 1881 }
Police Justice } Martin Keogh

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,
Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,
Address,

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. E. Coleman
Pauline Simon
vs.
Marvin Coleman
A Habit—Larceny.



Complainant
Wm. E. Coleman
Pauline Simon
Residence, *76 Front St.*

No. 2, by
Residence,

No. 3, by
Residence,

No. 4, by
Residence,

No. 5, by
Residence,

No. 6, by
Residence,

March 25
Dated, *Weymouth* Magistrate.

Joseph V. Officer.
Clifford Clerk.

Witnesses:
Wm. E. Coleman
Pauline Simon
Marvin Coleman
— Bailed —

\$ *100* to answer
at *Wm* Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

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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 *Margaret Coleman*

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

on the *twenty seventh* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty - *one* at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,
with force and arms

One watch of the value of fifteen dollars

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

~~WENNA K. PHELPS, District Attorney.~~

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

THAT the said

Margaret Clement

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,

One watch of the value of fifteen dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

John Nelson

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

the said John Nelson

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

Margaret Clement

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have been feloniously stolen ~~at the said~~ *at New York and carried away from* 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,

~~SENATOR~~ District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Coddington, Thomas

DATE:

04/28/81



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Counsel,
Filed 28 day of April 1881
Pleads *in Curia*

INDICTMENT
the Person
Larceny from

THE PEOPLE

vs. P

*Thomas D.
Cobington*

BENJ. K. PHILIPS
Daniel H. Rollin
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John Stevens
Foreman.

John Stevens
John Stevens

Sentence suspended

*The above is a full
in memorandum en-
closed I recommend
prosecution of larceny
A. F. Phibby
ADA*

Apr 28 1881

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No. 149 Hicks Brooklyn Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the 15th day of April 1888

at the City of Brooklyn, in the County of Kings, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the possession of deponent.

the following property, viz: And from deponent's person brought to the City of New York One Gold Watch

of the value of One hundred & Seventy five Dollars,
the property of deponent

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

now present for the reason that deponent was a guest and occupied a room in the above named premises where the prisoner was employed as bell boy. That on the evening of the aforesaid day deponent went to his room in said premises and had at the time the watch in a pocket of his vest. That having fallen asleep in a chair he did not awake for a few hours but after deponent awoke he discovered that his watch was stolen. That the prisoner by reason of this

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April 1888

Police Justice

employment as bell boy had access to the room occupied by deponent and that subsequently he offered the watch for exchange in the store in Fulton Street where deponent purchased it and when the proprietor identified the property and detained the prisoner until his arrest was effected

Therefore deponent charges the prisoner with so taking stealing and carrying away said property and asks that he be dealt with according to law

C. A. Rutzger

Worn to before me this 21st day of April 1887
B. T. Morgan - Police Justice
(Police Justice)

City and County of New York

I Horatio N. Squire of No. 97 Fulton Street being sworn says that the prisoner offered in exchange on the 19th instant to deponent in said place in Fulton Street that certain gold watch here shown which is identified by the Complainant as the property stolen from him and which deponent identifies as a watch sold by deponent to the Complainant for the sum of one hundred & seventy five Dollars

H. N. Squire

Worn to before me this 21st day of April 1887
B. T. Morgan - Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Thomas Coddington being duly examined before the under-
signed, 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 Coddington

Question. How old are you?

Answer,

19 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

High Falls New York State

Question. Where do you live?

Answer

50 149 Hicks Street Brooklyn

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

I have no occupation

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 I found the watch
upon the stairs as I was going
up with a pitcher of ice water*

Thos Coddington

Taken before me at
[Signature]
Police Justice.
18 *[Signature]*

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Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLEAT OF

Charles H. Pender
149 Hicks St. Brooklyn
Mrs. Cordelia

Affidavit—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,



Dated

April 20 1901

Magistrate

Officer

Clerk

Witnesses: *Nathan Squire*

97 Julia Street

\$ *1500* to answer

at *General* Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name

Address

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name

Address

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE, ON MY COMPLAINT,

versus

Thomas Coddington

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

Chas A Rutzger

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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

Thomas Codrington

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

on the *eighteenth* 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

*One gold watch of
the value of One
hundred and seventy
five dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Charles A. Rutger*
on the person of said *Charles A. Rutger* then and there being found,
from the person of said *Charles A. Rutger* 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 H. Rollins

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, Peter

DATE:

04/13/81



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Grand Jurors

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D. C.

Filed 13 day of *April* 1881

Pleas *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Peter Collins

Felony Assault and Battery.

David C. Robbins
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part pro June 1. 1881

Discharged by the Court

A True Bill.

E. Van Jansen

Foreman

June 1

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PART I.

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

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To Morace Courtois
of No. 42 Bateu Street,

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the 9 day of May instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

Daniel Collins
in a case of Felony, whereof *he stands* indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of May, in the year of our Lord 1881

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, *District Attorney.*

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Should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.

If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court.

If ill when served, please send timely word to the District Attorney's Office.

If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

State of New York.)
City and County of New York.) ss.

John D. Lent

being duly sworn, deposes and says he *failed to serve a*

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon *Horace Curtis*

42 Buxton St on the *6th* day of

May, 1881, by *reason as deponent*
was informed that the said
Horace Curtis has gone to
China.

Sworn to before me, this *7* day
of *May*, 1881

John D. Lent

Jess Greger

(163)

Notary Public.
N. Y. Co.

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Form

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

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

of No. Horace Curtis
42 Baxter Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 11th day of March 1891.

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and
beaten by _____

Peter Collins now present.
who then and there with
a large knife then held
in his hand stabbed
deponent in the right
thigh from the hip joint
or received deponent
has been in the hospital.

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said _____

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do h^{is} 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 accord-
ing to law.

Horace Curtis
mark

Sworn to, before me this

day of March 1891.

Police Justice.

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Form

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

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

Samuel Henderson
of No. *163, Leonard* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the *17th* day of *March*, 18*81*
at about the hour of 11 o'clock P.M.
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, ~~he was~~ *he was* violently and feloniously assaulted and

~~by~~ *Deponent saw*
Peter Collins now present.

then and there with
a large knife then
held in his hand
stab one Horner Curtis
(now in the Hospital)
in the side of the
body three times
and from the injuries
so received said Curtis
is unable to appear
in Court and make
complaint

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said

Peter Collins
and Curtis

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant ~~may be~~ apprehended, and dealt with accord-
ing to law.

S. Henderson

Sworn to before me this *12th* day of *March*, 18*81*,
A. J. Henry Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:
OF NEW YORK.

Peter Collins being duly examined before the under-
signed, 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. Peter Collins

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29 Years of age.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Maryland

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. At Sea.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Sailor

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.
Peter Collins
mark

Taken before me, this

5th
day of April
1891.
J. J. [Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,
Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

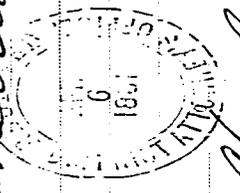
Name,
Address,

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Terace Curtis
42 Bayton St.

John Collins



Dated, *April 5th 1891*

Robinson Magistrate.

Robinson Officer.

W. H. Bennett Clerk.

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,

Witness

Thomas. Jones

14th Precinct.

with Knave

Samuel Hildway

No 163, Leonard St.

to answer

at General Sessions. *Corn*

Received at Dist. Atty's Office,

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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 *Peter Collins*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
eleventh day of *March* 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 *Horace Curtis*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and *him* the said *Horace Curtis*
with a certain *knife*
which the said *Peter Collins*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound
with intent *him* the said *Horace Curtis*
then and there, feloniously and willfully to kill, against the form of the Statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the 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 *Peter Collins*
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Horace Curtis*
then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an
assault and *him* the said *Horace Curtis*
with a certain *knife* which the said *Peter Collins*

in *his* right hand, then and there
had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, willfully
and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat,
strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to ~~then~~ and there willfully and feloniously
do bodily harm unto *him* the said *Horace Curtis*
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.

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 afore-
said, the said *Peter Collins*

with force and arms in and upon the body of *Horace Curtis*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another
assault and *him* the said *Horace Curtis*
with a certain *knife*
which the said *Peter Collins*

in *his* right
hand then and there had and held, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,
and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death
of *him* the said *Horace Curtis* with intent *from* the

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said *Horace Curtis* then and there feloniously and willfully 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.

FOURTH 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 *Peter Collins*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Horace Curtis* then and there being, willfully and feloniously, did make another assault and the said *Horace Curtis* with a certain *Knife* which the said *Peter Collins* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, willfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *Horace Curtis* 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. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Filed 13 day of April 1881
Pleas *Not Guilty (12)*

THE PEOPLE

P

Peter Collins

Felonious Assault and Battery.

Daniel G. Rollins
BENJ. K. PHELPS
District Attorney.

part in June 1. 1881
Discharged by the Court
A TRUE BILL.

Spencer
Foreman

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Comlossy, Charles

DATE:

04/06/81



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Counsel
Filed *6* day of *April*
Pleads *Charles G.*
1878

Indictment.—Larceny.—

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Charles Combs

David S. Ellis
~~BANK-K. FIDELITY~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Stevens
Foreman.

Foreman.

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

of No. 129 South 5th Ave Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that on the 29 day of March 1881,
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent.

the following property viz :

One gold watch & chain	of the value of	\$110.00
One pair gold ear rings		\$70.00
One pair bracelets		\$30.00
4 rings		200.00
		<u>\$410.00</u>

of the value of four hundred ten Dollars
the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Charles Combs
(a soldier in the United States Army)
who took said property from
deponent's residence. The watch
was found by officer King in
his shoe, when he was arrested
in a pawnshop in the Bowery.
Charles came to the house about
3 o'clock in the morning - went
to bed & got up about 7 o'clock
in the forenoon & went
from the house about that hour

Jennie Brooks
deponent

Sworn to, before me this

day of

March

1881

POLICE JUSTICE

0900

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss
OF NEW YORK.

Charles Leonard Lossy being duly examined before the under-
signed, 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 *Charles Leonard Lossy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *Fort Hamilton*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Soldier*

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

Answer. *I don't consider myself guilty, at
the time I took it I was so intoxicated
that I did not know what I was doing
and I intend to replace every thing*

Charles Leonard Lossy.

Taken before me this _____ day of _____ 1881
[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

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

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jemie Brooks
129 S. 3rd Ave.

Charles C. Lamberson

REDAVIT 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.....

Dated *March 29* 188*8*
Magistrate *Richy*
Officer *Castle*
" *Walsh* " Clerk.

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

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

Witnesses

Am and a Dimey
129 So 5th Ave

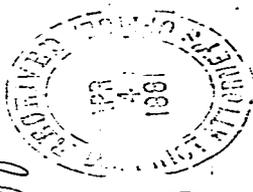
2 c firm
officer King
Cent's office

\$ *1000* to answer

at Sessions

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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

Charles Comlosey

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the ~~twenty~~ *twenty* ~~fourth~~ day of *March* 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

*One watch of the value of eighty dollars
Two earrings of the value of thirty five dollars
each
Two bracelets of the value of fifteen dollars
each
Four rings of the value of fifty dollars
each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Jennie Brooks

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.

Daniel S. Rollins

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.