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Reed, Edward

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Kane, Joseph

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Witnesses:

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Counsel *[Signature]*
Filed *24* day of *April* 189*3*
Pleads *Guilty, not*

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49 1/2 Edward St. Chicago
in fine vs. *2*
Edward Reed
and
19.5 [unclear] St. [unclear]
Joseph Lane

Grand Juror, *1st* Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 623, 650, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

James Doyle

Foreman.

Part 2 - May 1, 1893
Both Plead G. L. 2^d Degree
Both S. P. 4 yrs & 8 mo.
May 4, 1893. P.B.M. 4

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

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THE PEOPLE

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40 R. Elliott
vs.

Edward Reed

and
Joseph Lane

Grand Juror, *First Degree*
(From the Person)
(Sections 523, 524, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

James Dwyer

Foreman.

Subj 2 - May 1, 1893

Both S. P. Hynes & Co.

May 4, 1893. RB.M

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*Law Office of
William R. Wilder*

Telephone No. 707 Courtland.

15 Cedar Street.

New York

May 2nd.,

1893.

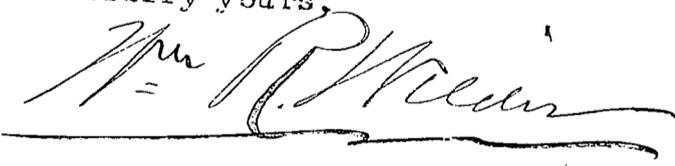
Hon. Randolph B. Martine,

My dear Judge;

This will introduce my good friend, Mr. William M. Dodd, who is connected with Bethlehem Mission on Bleecker Street in this City, and who is acquainted with JAMES KANE, who plead guilty yesterday to grand larceny in Part II, before you, and who will come up for sentence, as I am informed, on Thursday at 11. I understand that KANE was represented by Sullivan & Blake. At all events, my interest in the lad is not that of counsel, but entirely that of a friend. I have known the young man for a period nearly as long as Mr. Dodd, though my acquaintance with him has not been as intimate. I am informed and I verily believe that this is the first time that the young man has ever been arrested or in any way come within the toils of the law. He comes of good stock, has been employed for more than a year in one place, and I am of the opinion, from what I know of him and his surroundings, that the ends of Justice will not suffer if your Honor could see your way clear to suspend sentence.

Mr. Dodd, however, knows him and his family, as I have stated, far better than I do, and I trust your Honor will give him a hearing before passing sentence.

Very faithfully yours,



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AFFIDAVIT FOR COMMITMENT OF WITNESS.

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POLICE COURT 2 DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Fredrick J. Grecke

of the 15 Precinct Police, being duly sworn, deposes
and says that Louis A. Roberts

(now here) is a material witness for the people against
Edwards Reed and Joseph Lane charged
with Larceny from the person. As deponent has
cause to fear that the said Louis A. Roberts

will not appear in court to testify when wanted, deponent prays
that the said Louis A. Roberts be
committed to the House of Detention in default of bail for his
appearance.

Fredrick J. Grecke

Sworn to before me, this
day of April 1893

Charles W. ...
Police Justice.

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss:

Louis A Roberts

of the S. Ship Chicago City at foot of W²⁶ ^{N. River} Street, aged 32 years,
occupation Sailors— being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 17 day of April 1893 at the City of
New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away
from the ~~possession~~ ^{Person} of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

One nice watch of the value Two ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ dollars
One Brier wood pipe 60¢
and Two dollars in U.S. Bank Bills in
all of the value of Five dollars ¹⁰/₁₀₀
(\$ 5 ¹⁰/₁₀₀)

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloni-
ously taken, stolen and carried away by Edward Reed and

Joseph Kane (both now here) and working
in concert with each other. from the following
facts to wit: That the deponent is informed
by Officer Frederick J. Gricke of the Fifteenth
Precinct that at the hour of one O'clock on
the above date on the corner of South 5 Avenue
and West 3rd Street that he saw the
defendants with their hands in the west
pocket of the deponent and he arrested
the defendants with the above named
property in their possession and that the
deponent identified the same as his his property

Wherefore deponent ask that the defendants
may be held and dealt with as the law directs

Louis A. Roberts

Sworn to before me, this 17 day
of April 1893
John H. Walker
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Fredrick J Grotke
aged 29 years, occupation Police officer of No. 15 Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Louis A Roberts and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 17 day of April 1893 } *Fredrick J Grotke*

Johannes Wachs Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Joseph Kane

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 5 Mennetta St 9 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Porter and packer in a Dry Good store

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
Joseph Kane

Taken before me this

17

day of April

1893

John W. Williams

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Edward J Reed

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Edward J Reed

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 33 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U.S.

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

Answer. 17 North Elliott Place Brooklyn

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Iron worker

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

Ed J Reed his mark

Taken before me this

day of April

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John H. ...

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.....

Defendants

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and ~~they~~ be admitted to bail in the sum of *Ten* Hundred Dollars, *cash* 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 17* 189 *3*

John Bellardis Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189

.....Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189

.....Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 District. 497

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis A Roberts
Jr west 26th
Edward Reed
Joseph Kane

Offense. Larceny from
the person

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated, April 17 1893
Boorhis Magistrate.
Gricke Officer.
15 Precinct.

Witnessed ~~HOUSE OF DETENTION CASE~~
No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.
\$ 1000 to answer G.S.
(C.W.)

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against
Edward Reed
and
Joseph Kane.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Edward Reed and Joseph Kane
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Reed and Joseph Kane, both*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventeenth*
day of *April* - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*three*, in the *right-time* of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

one watch of the value of
two dollars and fifty cents, one pipe
of the value of sixty cents - and

two promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United
States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *one* dollar *each*; *two*
promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the de-
nomination and value of *one* dollar *each*; *two* United States Gold Certificates,
of the denomination and value of *one* dollar *each*; *two* United States
Silver Certificates, of the denomination and value of *one* dollar *each*.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Louis A. Roberts*
on the person of the said *Louis A. Roberts*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Louis A. Roberts*
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.

SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said Edward Reed and Joseph Kane of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said Edward Reed and Joseph Kane, both late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, one watch of the value of two dollars and fifty cents, one pipe of the value of sixty cents and

two promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of one dollar each; two promissory notes for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the denomination and value of one dollar each; two United States Gold Certificates, of the denomination and value of one dollar each; two United States Silver Certificates, of the denomination and value of one dollar each;

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Louis A. Roberts by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said Louis A. Roberts unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said Edward Reed and Joseph Kane

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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Reilly, John

DATE:

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Witnesses:

John Reilly

[Signature]

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

in day of *April* 1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Reilly

DE LANCEY NICOLI
District Attorney

Grand Larceny, *second* Degree,
[Sections 698, 699, Penal Code.]

A TRUE BILL.

Samuel Sturges
Foreman.

April 17/93
[Signature]
Henry G. Zoley

Elmira C. P. M.
[Signature]

Foot

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Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss: Owen John Reilly

of No. 426 West 16 Street, aged 60 years,

occupation House Driver being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 29th day of March 1897 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 dollar in money, three gold rings and a silver watch chain, all of the value of about thirty dollars.

the property of deponent, and his daughter, and in deponent's care.

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 Reilly (now

decedent) Defendant in deponent's room, and he had access to said property and knew where it was kept in a bureau drawer. Deponent charged Defendant with larceny, committed said larceny, and Defendant admitted that he had stolen said property and that he had put the said rings in a water closet and that he had spent the stolen money.

Owen Reilly

Sworn to before me, this 30 day of March 1897
Walter H. [Signature] Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

John Reilly

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Reilly

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

U.S.

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

Answer.

426 West 16 St - all my life

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

None

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
John Reilly*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 189*7*

Walter Brady

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

John Reilly

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 75 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 9 1899 *Thos. J. Brady* Police Justice.

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

Dated 13 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 13 Police Justice.

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Police Court---2--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Owen Reilly
426 W. 16 St.
John Reilly

L. Macey
J. J. [unclear]
Officer

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated *April 3* 18*97*

Crady
Robinson

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

§ *1002* to answer *G. S.*

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G. S.

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John Reilly
Rm. New York
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London 426 W.H.S.
Parents
V. 20th

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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 Reilly

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

John Reilly

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

The said *John Reilly*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *29th* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the sum of fourteen dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of fourteen dollars, three finger rings of the value of five dollars each, and one chain of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Owen Reilly

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.

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney

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Sheridan, Arthur

DATE:

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awarded term in S.P. RSA

Witnesses:

A. J. May

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1893

Pleads:

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Reilly
and *F. I.*

Arthur Sheridan

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Stanley Dopple
Foreman.

April 17 93

W. J. ...

W. J. ...

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Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, of Code 1880.]

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Police Court 2nd District.

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

of No. 333 West 40th Street, aged 26 years,
occupation Dressmaking

deposes and says, that the premises No 333 West 40th Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick

Building
and which was occupied by deponent as a tenement
~~and in which there was at the time a tenant being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening a

lock, on a door, leading from the hallway
into a room on the fourth floor of said
premises - by means of false keys -

on the 4 day of April 1883 in the day time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

two dresses - bed Quilt - Pillow Covers
bed sheets - and towels - in all of
the amount and value of thirty
dollars -

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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 John Reilly and Arthur Sheridan (both men here)

and while acting in concert with each other,
for the reasons following, to wit: that about the hour of 7.30
o'clock A.M. of said date, deponent pecked closed
and fastened said door, and went away, leaving
the aforesaid property in said room - and that
about the hour of 6.30 o'clock P.M., deponent
returned to said premises, and discovered that
said door had been picked open, and that she
immediately missed the aforesaid property -
and that deponent is informed by Margaret Duck

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of No 333 West 40 St - that she saw the
Defendants in company with each other on
the aforesaid date about the hour of 10 o'clock
A.M. coming down the stairs of said premises
with two bundles in their possession - and
that the defendants after being advised of their
rights admitted and confessed in Open Court
that they had taken stolen and caused
away the aforesaid property - Defendant
thereupon asks that they be held to answer

Term to before me } Mary Clement
the 11 day of April 1843 }
Thos. J. Brady
Police Justice

Police Court ----- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

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

Bailed by

No. ----- Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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Margaret Duck
aged *38* years, occupation *Housekeeper* of No. *333 West 40th* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *May Clements* and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *11* day of *April* 189*3* } *Margaret Duck*
of *April* 189*3* } *Mark*

Wm. H. Brady Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Arthur Sheridan 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 Arthur Sheridan

Question. How old are you?

Answer 30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer New York

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

Answer Manly Hotel - 8th Ave 27 & 28th St

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer Fireman

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

Arthur Sheridan

Taken before me this

day of April

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W. J. Brady

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

John Reilly

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

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 guilty
John Reilly

Taken before me this

Day of

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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 Defendants.

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 11 1893 Thos. F. Brady Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18.....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.....18.....Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ray Clements
John Kelly
Arthur Sheridan

Raylang
Offender

3.....
4.....
Date: *April 11* 189*3*

Ray Magistrate.
Wray & Curry Officer.
26 Precinct.

Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. *Jack* Street.

\$ *1000* to answer

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Ray 27th
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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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 Reilly and Arthur Sheridan

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

John Reilly and Arthur Sheridan

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

The said *John Reilly and Arthur Sheridan, both*

late of the *22nd* 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 ninety-*three*, with force and arms, in the *day* - time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Mary Clement

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

John Reilly and Arthur Sheridan

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

The said *John Reilly and Arthur Sheridan, both*

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

two dresses of the value of twelve dollars each, one quilt of the value of five dollars, four pillow covers of the value of one dollar each, four sheets of the value of fifty cents each, and ten towels of the value of twenty-five cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Mary Clement

in the dwelling house of the said

Mary Clement

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.

*Wm. Lancy Nicoll,
District Attorney*

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DESCRIPTION:

Reilly, Lawrence

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Off. Lannon

Counsel,

[Signature]

Filed,

E. A. Rice
day of *April* 1893

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW,
Selling, etc, on Sunday.
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 32.]

Lawrence Kelly
May 18/93

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Russel D. Hyder
pro tem 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
Lawrence Kelly

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Lawrence Kelly
of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND
BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said Lawrence Kelly

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the the only day of January three in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, ~~to one~~

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
Lawrence Kelly
of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said Lawrence Kelly

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and expose for sale to one

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Reiss, Alexander

DATE:

04/24/93



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Witnesses:

Max Collectschek

Adolf Meyer

The defendant in this case was used by the police authorities in the case of Peter Maria Gross, but owing to the superiority of the complainant in that case I was compelled to recommend the dismissal of the indictment. The defendant Reis having been so named as witness and having made no objection to the complainant being

I recommend the dismissal of the indictment
June 30. 93
[Signature]
ada.

Counsel

Filed 24 day of April 1893

Pleadst

W. G. [Signature]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Alexander Reis

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Pass. 3. May 8. 93 [Signature]

A TRUE BILL.

[Signature]

23 June 30 1893 Foreman.

On recom. of Brit. City.
indict. dis. - P. B. [Signature]

Grand Larceny, Second Degree. [Sections 528, 529, 531, Penal Code.]

Richard Jones

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No. 76a.

W. Reid Gould, Law Blank Publisher and Stationer,
139 Nassau Street, cor. of Beekman, and 120 Broadway N. Y.

The People of the State of New York, TO

Hon. the Justice sitting in the
First Police District Court, Mr.
Burke

CERTIORARI
TO CERTIFY CAUSE OF
DETENTION.

WE Command you, That you certify fully and at large to ^{GREETING:} the Supreme
Court of the State of New York, First Judicial
District

at Chambers of the Supreme Court, City of New York, New
County Court House, New York City
on Friday, the 24th day of March 1893 at 10³⁰ o'clock
the day and cause of the imprisonment of Alexander Riess

by you detained ; as is said, by whatsoever name the said Alexander Riess

shall be called or charged ; and have you then this writ.

Witness, the Hon. Charles H. Van Brunt, Residing Justice of said Court
the 22^d day of March 1893

Wm. H. Lox
Relator's Attorney.

Henry D. Perry
Clerk.

233 Broadway
N. Y. City

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Montgomery
March 23 1863

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York } ss.

Adolph Meyer

of No. 96 John Street, aged 28 years, occupation Dealer in Boiler coverings being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 4 day of March 1893 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 German Government Bond valued at sixteen dollars and one Italian Government Bond valued at twenty five dollars - all worth forty one dollars - and three other bonds worth four hundred and two \$/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 Riesse and John Dol

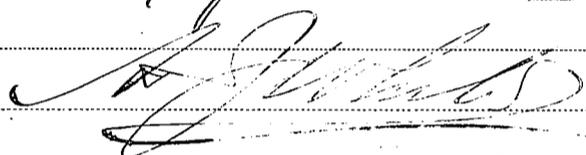
(proper names unknown) acting in concert with each other) for the reasons following to wit: on said date the defendants went to deponent and represented that they were agents for the German Banking Exchange and that the Bonds that deponent held had drawn a premium and they (the defendants) were sent by said German Banking Company to get said bonds from deponent and have them registered deponent believing the representations of defendants to be true - gave to said defendants the above mentioned bonds - deponent is informed by Mr Pollichick of the German Banking

Sworn to before me, this 1893 day Police Justice.

Company at 40 Broadway that the
defendants were not agents of said
Company and they were not authorized
to receive any bonds for said company
Said Pollicheck further informed that
deponent that said bonds had not been
returned to said company -
deponent therefore charges the defendants
with larceny of said bonds

- Robert H. Mayer

Sworn to before me
this 20 day of March 1893



Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged 54 years, occupation May Pollatsek
Jeweler of No. 40 Broadway
Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Adolph Meyer
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 10 day } May Pollatsek
of April 1893 }

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1882

District Police Court.

City and County of New York, ss:

Alexander Reiss 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 a 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. *Alexander Reiss*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *41 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Hungary*

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

Answer. *41 3d Avenue. 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Printer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
Alexander Reiss

Subscribed before me this *27th* day of *March* 1899
[Signature]
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.....

*..... 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,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

*There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named.....
..... guilty of the offense within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.*

Dated,..... 189..... Police Justice.

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April 14 2 PM

Police Court--- District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Adolph Meyer
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1 Alexander Rejes

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Offense *Car clean*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated, March 22 1893

Berk Magistrate.

Herdelberg + Jacob Officer.

C/o Precinct.

Witnesses

Max Pollatschek

No. 440 Broadway Street.

Boris [unclear]

No. April 8 93 Street.

Boris [unclear]

No. April 10 93 Street.

\$ ~~5000~~ 2000 to answer

at March 24 9 AM

at April 11 200 31 3 PM

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

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W *W* 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 14* 189 *3* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated, *April 14* 189 *3* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District. 1834

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Meyer
96th Street
Alexander Kliss

Offense
Larceny

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BAILED,
No. 1, by Julius Friedman
Residence 69th Broadway Street.

Dated, Mar 22 1893

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

Buiky Magistrate.
Mendelberg & Jacobs Officer.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

Witnesses Max Pollikschev
No. 44 Broadway Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

German Printing Exchange
No. Street.

No. 1070 BO Street.

\$ 1000 to answer Q.S.

Bailed
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WM. N. LOEW,
COUNSELOR AT LAW,
233 BROADWAY,

NEW YORK, May 9th 1893

People vs Riess

Hon. Barton S. Weeks,

Dear Sir;

According to my promise, I send you herewith
a copy of the Riess receipt of which I told you yesterday.

I wish to add, that whatever weight the receipt
may have with you, it may be enhanced by the knowledge of the fact
that I secured the receipt, not from Riess, but from the police
officers who made the arrest.

Yours very respectfully,

German.

Ich bestätige hiermit von Alexander Riess acht Dombau Lose, zum
Preise von \$225.00 gekauft zu haben, habe am heutigen Tage \$40.00
und folgende Bonds als Deckung 3 Serben Lose, 1 Barletta, 1 Ottoman,
erlegt, welche zur Sicherheit der Cours differenz dienen. Den Rest
von \$175.00 bezahle ich am 14 March 1893, wogegen ich obige Werthe,
und meine Deckung Bond erhalte. (5 Stück)

New York, March 4, 1893.

Adolph Meyer.

English.

I acknowledge herewith to have bought ^{from Mr. Alexander Riess} 8 eight Dombau Bonds, of the
price of \$225.00, and have deposited as security for the difference
in the price, \$40.00 and the following bonds, 3 Serben Bond, 1 Bar-
letta, 1 Ottoman. The balance of \$175.00 I will pay on the 14th of
March 1893, when I will receive the above bonds given as security
returned to me. (5 pieces)

New York, March 4, 1893.

Adolph Meyer.

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Sec. 192.

District Police Court,

Undertaking to appear during the examination.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

An information having been laid before

of the City of New York, charging

the offence of

with Defendant

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made

to appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and

the hearing thereof having been adjourned.

We, Alexander J. [Signature]

Defendant of No. [Signature]

Street; by occupation, a [Signature]

and [Signature] of No. [Signature]

Street, by occupation a [Signature], hereby jointly and severally undertake

that the above named Defendant

shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the District Police Court in the City of New York,

during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of

Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

day of [Signature] 189[Signature]

[Signature] Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sworn to before me, this
19th
day of
March
1933
A. M. [Signature]
Police Justice.

Mitz Heidmann
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and lease holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Twenty* Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of *Business of Restaurant* situated at *69 1/2 Broadway* in said City, - of the value of *Five thousand dollars* over all circumstances.

His Fee Am am
Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the day of 18

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Alexander Reiss

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

Alexander Reiss

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

The said *Alexander Reiss*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *March*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one written bond and obligation issued by the government of the German Empire (a more particular description whereof is to be found among aforesaid unknown) of the value of fifteen dollars, one other bond and written obligation issued by the government of the Kingdom of Italy (a more particular description whereof is to be found among aforesaid unknown) of the value of twenty five dollars, and three other bonds and written obligations, a more particular description whereof is to be found among aforesaid unknown, of the value of four hundred and two dollars and fifty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Adolph Meyer*.

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.

John J. [unclear]
[Signature]

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Rindfleisch, Anna

DATE:

04/12/93



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Witnesses:

Officer
W. L. K. K. K.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

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J. H. X
17th day of *April* 1893
Magistry 13

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Anna Sindfleisch

Grand Larceny, *second* Degree.
[Sections 222, 223, Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Naul D. D.
Gov. 2 - April 24, 1893.
Arrested and imprisoned.

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Police Court— 3 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 129 3rd Avenue Street, aged 43 years,
occupation Dressmaker

being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 27th day of March 1893 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 woman's dress of the value
of sixty 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 Anne Rindfleisch (now
here) for the reasons that defendant
was a lodger in deponent's house
and left taking said dress with
her and she is now wearing it on
her person.

Wilhelmine Kalladay

Sworn to before me, this 6
of April 1893 day
Charles Hester Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Annie Rindfleisch*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *155 East 27th Street, 4 days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Dressmaker*

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*

Anna Rindfleisch

Taken before me this *6* day of *April* 18*93*
Charles W. Swartz
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 6* 189*3* *Charles N. Lantieri* Police Justice.

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

Dated, *April 7* 189*3* *Charles N. Lantieri* Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 3 District. 399

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wilhelmina Kelleday
Annie Rudfleisch

Grand Jury

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Dated, April 6th 1893

Tantor Magistrate.
Hock & Haap Officer.

Witness Emma Neuman 14 Precinct.

No. 129 3rd ave Street.

Alex. Buckwaldt
No. 129 Third Avenue Street.

No. 500 to answer

C. Milled

BAILED,

No. 1, by Lena Annus
Residence 350 - 6 - 15th Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Anna Rindfleisch

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

Anna Rindfleisch

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

The said Anna Rindfleisch

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 27th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one dress of the value of sixty-five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Wilhelmine Kallasey

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.

De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Rogers, Freeman

DATE:

04/11/93



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Witnesses:

Miller Wright

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Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

11 April 1883

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Grand Larceny, (From the Person),
[Sections 828, 830, Penal Code.]

Freeman Rogers

14 Bank
Chambers

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. J. Dwyer

Foreman.

12 April 1883

Freeman Rogers

S. P. 3 yrs, P. 211

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,

Miller Wright

of No. 105 Macdougall Street, aged 40 years,
occupation Laborer being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 9 day of April 1893 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the night time, the following property, viz:

a gold chain and locket. Both
of the amount and value of seven
dollars

\$ 7.00
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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 William Rogers (now here) from the
following facts to wit: that about the
hour of 7-15 o'clock P.M. of said date, while
deponent was walking along and through Black
Street between Macdougall and Sullivan Streets—
the defendant came up to him, and
forcibly and feloniously took hold of and
grabbed the aforesaid chain and locket,
and which chain and locket were attached
to a gold watch, which was in the pocket of
the vest, then and there worn on deponent's
person, and that the defendant after taking
and stealing the aforesaid property from deponent's
person ran away. Deponent therefore asks that
the defendant may be held to answer—

Miller Wright
Wright

Sworn to before me this

April 1893

Police Justice

0660

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Freeman Rogers

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. #14 Beach Street - 18 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Stone Cutter

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
Freeman Rogers

Taken before me this

day of

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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 Aylen dant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 400 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 9 1893 Thos. J. Brady Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ 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 _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Miller Wright
15 Macdonald
Freeman Rogers

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Officer
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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Date *April 9* 1893

Grady Magistrate.

Michaels Officer.

15 Precinct.

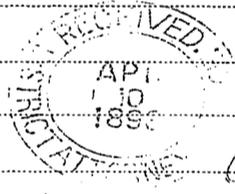
Witnesses
No. *Call Officer* Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *1000* 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

Freeman Rogers

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

Freeman Rogers

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

The said Freeman Rogers

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the eighth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the night-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one chain of the value of four dollars, and one locket of the value of three dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Miller Wright - on the person of the said Miller Wright - then and there being found, from the person of the said Miller Wright - 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.

Re Lancey Nicoll, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Rohde, Diedrich W.

DATE:

04/06/93



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Witnesses:

Ed. Lewis

Counsel,

The People

Filed,

Ed. Lewis

1893

Pleads,

Liquor, 10

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Niedrich W. Rode

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for trial and final disposal

Part of No. 16.....1893

VIOLATION OF THE EXCISE LAW,
selling, etc., on Sunday.
[Chap. 401, Laws of 1892, § 32.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Russel D. Hyde
per ten 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

Niedrich W. Rohde

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

Niedrich W. Rohde

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

Niedrich W. Rohde

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, ~~to one~~

and to certain ~~other~~ persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the people of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Niedrich W. Rohde

of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

Niedrich W. Rohde

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and expose for sale to one

John J. Hill

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

VIOIATION OF THE EXCISE LAW.
Selling, etc., on Sunday.
[Comp. 401, Laws of 1892, § 32.]

A TRUE BILL,

Samuel Douglas
Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

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OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against

Ernest Robaki

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Ernest Robaki
of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *Ernest Robaki*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, ~~to one~~

~~and~~ to certain ~~other~~ persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
Ernest Robaki
of the CRIME OF OFFERING AND EXPOSING FOR SALE ON SUNDAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *Ernest Robaki*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to-wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being Sunday, certain strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did offer and expose for sale to one

Ernest Robaki
and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DE LANCEY NICOLL, 2nd Am.

District Attorney,

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Degree, (From the Person, Sections 828, 831, Penal Code.)

A TRUE BILL.

James Dwyer

Foreman.

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THE PEOPLE, COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART 1.

vs.

BEFORE JUDGE COWING.

MORRIS ROSENTHAL.

Monday, May 8, 1893.

indictment for GRAND LARCENY in the second degree.

Assistant District Attorney Bradley, for the People.

Mr. McManus, for the Defence.

A Jury was empanelled and sworn.

MAGGIE OTT, sworn, and examined by Mr. Bradley, testified:

Q. Miss Ott, what is your business? A. Dress-maker.

Q. Where are you employed? A. 235 East 38th street.

Q. Where do you live? A. 864 Second avenue.

Q. This city? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where were you on the afternoon of Saturday, April 22m of this year? A. Looking in Ridley's window.

Q. Whereabouts is that? A. Corner of Grand and Allen.

Q. Corner of Grand and Allen streets, this city; tell what occurred there? A. I was standing looking

in the window, and all of a sudden I missed my pocket-book; I turned around, and I saw Morris Rosenthal and two little boys next to me.

QQ. That is, this defendant?

A. Yes, sir, and I got hold of his arm; I says, "Here, you have got my pocket-book." He says, "No, the fellow ran around the corner;" he said, "I will get it for you." He ran after the rest of them, and when I got to the corner of Orchard and Grand streets the officer was standing there. He says to me, "What is the matter?" and I told him.

Q. What did you do after that, or what did the officer do?

A. I went to the Eldridge street station house, and I

reported it there.

Q. When did you next hear anything of the case?

A. Saturday night.

Q. Were you in the Police Court the next morning?

A. I was in Essex Market Sunday morning, at half past 8.

Q. Did you see any property there that you identified?

A. Yes, sir; I saw my thimble and the pen-knife --that is all I seen.

Q. Tell what was in the pocket-book that was taken from your possession on that Saturday afternoon?

A. The pocket-book contained \$32.00, two pen-knives, a gold ring, 2 silver thimbles, and one had my initials on.

Q. Now, if I understand you right, you had \$32.00 in cash, a silver thimble, with your initials on; another silver thimble, without initials, two pocket-knives, and a gold ring?

By the Court:

Q. In the pocket-book when it was taken?

A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. How long before you missed your pocket-book did you see or feel it in your pocket?

A. I missed it right away, I turned around and looked, and there were three boys right back of me.

Q. Is this knife part of the property that was in that pocket-book that time?

A. Yes, sir, that is mine, there was a white pearl handle on it.

Q. Is that part of your property? (Showing a thimble)

A. That is mine, with the initial on it.

Q. At the time when you were in the Police Court and saw this property, and indentified it as part of your property, did

2 you have any conversation with the defendant there?

A. They didn't have him that time, they didn't have him yet. I don't know what time they got him, but I got a notice Saturday evening that they had him.

Q. When this defendant said that he would get your pocket-book for you, then what did he do?

A. He ran after the other boys.

Q. Did you see the other boys running away?

A. Yes, sir; I ran after him too.

Q. Did you catch them? A. No, I didn't catch them.

Q. Did they get out of your sight?

A. They got out of my sight; I didn't see nothing of them.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. McManus:

Q. You say you grabbed hold of Rosenthal?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where? A. On the wrist, here.

Q. At that time some of the boys were running away?

A. There was two little boys next to me, beside him.

Q. These two little boys in court? A. Yes, sir.

Q. There was some other boys running away; was there not?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you have some talk with some lady about your pocket-book?

A. She told me-- I started to cry-- she says, "I know who took it, the boy ran around Orchard street;" I felt someone, I turned around, she was back of me the same time.

Q. She said the boy ran around the corner that took your pocket-book?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And these little boys were behind you; you grabbed hold of the first one near you?

A. Yes, sir.

3 Q. Did Rosenthal say that he would pursue the boy that was es-

caping, and get the pocket-book?

A. He said he would run after him and see if he could get him; he ran after him.

Q. A crowd congregated then; did they not? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Quite a number of people? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You don't know whether Rosenthal overtook this boy or not; do you?

A. I don't know, I didn't see them any more after they went around the corner.

Q. Did this woman notified you that your pocket-book was missing, and that some boy who was running around the corner had it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ask Rosenthal to run after him?

A. I didn't say nothing of the kind to him; he offered to do it, he says, "I will get it for you," he says he knows the boy; he started to run.

Q. As rapidly as he could? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And did he turn the corner?

A. Yes, sir; he turned Orchard street.

Q. And was lost from your sight? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then a crowd of people congregated around -- you say you had \$32.00 in your pocket-book, and two knives?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. There is no making a mistake about that, no question about the amount of money that you had in your pocket-book?

A. Oh, no; I am not mistaken.

Q. When did you last see your pocket-book, did you make any purchases before you felt a tug at your side?

A. No, I did not.

Q. When did you last look at your pocket-book?

A. I do not remember looking at it in the street.

4 Q. Did you look at it from the time you left home?

A. No, sir.

Q. And the money was in the purse? A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. After you left your home did you have your hand in the pocket where the pocket-book was, did you feel it there?

A. I was carrying a silk waist and my umbrella, I had my other coat on, I had the pocket-book in the coat.

Q. Did you see the pocket-book there after you had left your home, at any time? A. I had the pocket-book with me when I left home.

Q. I say, did you see your pocket-book from the time you left home until the time you got to Ridley's?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you see it at the time you looked in Ridley's window--- how long before you missed your pocket-book was the last time that you saw it in the pocket?

A. I had it with me Saturday afternoon.

Q. Listen to my question. How long before you looked in Ridley's window, or how long before you missed your pocket-book, was the last time that you saw the pocket-book-- I didn't ask you what was it, but saw the pocket-book?

A. I was carrying it in my hand, at the corner of Orchard street, and I put it in my pocket.

By the Court:

Q. When you left home you had the pocket-book with you?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you see it or feel it from that time until the time it was taken from you -- like enough you left it home, on the parlor table or at the front door. When were you conscious that you had it in your pocket last, did you put your hand on it after you left home?

A. I looked and seen I had my pocket-book.

Q. Did you have it in your possession after you left home?

A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. Did you see it when you looked in Ridley's?

A. I was standing at Ridley's window about ten minutes, I had it with me.

Q. What was the value of the rest of the property; the ring, the two pocket-knives, and the two thimbles?

A. I don't know.

Q. What was the ring worth?

A. I couldn't say; it was given a present to me.

Q. What was the value of your two thimbles?

A. I think one was sixty-five cents, and the other was thirty-five cents; I am not positively sure.

Q. That would make a dollar for the two thimbles. What were the two pocket-knives worth, to the best of your knowledge?

A. I couldn't say.

WILLIAM BURNS, sworn, and examined, by Mr. Bradley, testified:

Q. You are a police officer? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Of this city; connected with what precinct?

A. The Eleventh Precinct.

Q. And when was this matter first called to your attention?

A. On the afternoon of the 22nd of April, Saturday afternoon, about half past 4.

Q. Whereabouts were you at the time?

A. In the station house.

Q. Now, tell me how was it that this matter was reported to you?

6 A. Miss Ott and the officer came into the station house

with a little boy; they claimed that she lost her pocket-book. I asked her how much was in it, and she said \$32.00.

Q. Leave out the conversation; tell what you did?

A. I got this little boy and went down around Orchard and Division streets, and I arrested these two boys--they are here in court--Goldberg and the other one; I brought them into the station house, and they said-----

Q. Was the defendant there at the time? A. No.

Q. Go on and tell us what was done in consequence of anything they said; did you do anything?

A. Yes, sir; I went around with them to Broome street, and, on the corner of Broome and Allen, I arrested Rosenthal; they pointed him out to me.

Q. What did you say to Rosenthal?

A. I said, "Where is that lady's pocket-book?" He said, "I haven't got the lady's pocket-book." So I searched him.

Q. Did you say anything else, or did he say anything else to you, before you searched him? A. No.

Q. Go on? A. I searched him, and, in the lining of his hat, I found a thimble and a knife.

By the Court:

Q. In the lining of his hat? A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. This is the thimble and the knife that you found? (Showing them to witness.) A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you identify those as the thimble and knife which you found in his hat that afternoon?

A. Yes, sir.

By the Court:

Q. Did you ask him where he got them?

7 A. I asked him where he got them, and he said he got them

from a boy who had stolen them from the lady, and he went to look for the lady and couldn't find her.

Q. Did you ask him why he didn't put them in his pocket, instead of the lining of his hat? A. No, sir.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. Do you know anything else about this case?

A. No, sir.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. McManus:

Q. You made an investigation into the facts of this larceny?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you discover that this defendant committed the crime, or somebody else committed it?

(Objected to. Objection sustained.)

Q. What was the result of your discovery, officer, as to who committed this crime and the manner in which it was committed?

(Objected to. Objection sustained.)

Q. All you know about this case is what was told you?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you find out that this woman's pocket-book was lost at the place that you claim-----

(Objected to.)

Q. Did you ascertain that?

(Objected to. Objection sustained.)

Q. Do you know that a certain pocket-book was taken from this woman by a boy other than this defendant?

(Objected to)

A. Not from my own knowledge.

Q. You obtained information, did you, from some other sources?

8 A. I did.

Q. You obtained information from some other sources that a pocket-book had been stolen from this complaining witness, by some person other than this defendant?

(Objected to. Objection sustained.)

Q. Did you find anything else upon this defendant?

A. Some pennies, and a couple of five cent pieces, amounting to forty-four cents.

Q. You were looking for some person other than him?

A. I was.

Q. From whom did you derive your information, from these two boys here?

A. Yes, sir.

TONY GOLDBERG, a little boy, was called:

By the Court:

Q. How old are you?

A. Seven years.

Q. Do you go to school, and do you read and write?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you think it wrong to tell a lie?

A. Yes, sir.

(The witness was sworn.)

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. Tony, do you remember the day on which the pocket-book is said to have been stolen from this lady's pocket?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where were you on that day?

A. In the Gaiety museum.

Q. What time in the afternoon were you in the Gaiety museum?

A. About three o'clock.

Q. From the Gaiety museum where did you go to?

A. We went right home.

Q. Where do you live? A. 183 Clinton street.

Q. Through what street did you go home?

A. Through Grand street.

Q. Where is the Gaiety museum?

A. Corner of Bowery and Grand.

Q. And you went from Bowery and Grand through Grand street, to go home?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did you see that attracted your attention in Grand street?

A. I saw them passing along.

Q. Who do you mean by "them?"

A. The boys.

Q. What boys?

A. Morris Rosenthal, and

"Butch," and two other boys.

Q. Who is Morris Rosenthal? Do you see him in court?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where is he, point to him?

A. There (indicating the defendant).

Q. You saw Morris Rosenthal, and "Butch" and two other boys?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did you see them do, what did they say?

A. They saw the pocket-book, and then he says, "There is a pocket-book -- Morris Rosenthal said, "Here is a pocket-book."

Q. What pocket-book did they point to?

A. That lady.

By the Court:

Q. Did she have it in her hand?

A. No, sir; it was in her side pocket.

Q. Then what happened?

A. Then after that one little boy went over like that (illustrating), and pulled the pocket-book out. "Butch" went

10 over and snatched the pocket-book from the lady's pocket.

Q. who is "Butch"?

A. "Butch" is a boy from Newark.

Mr. McManus: Objected to, on the ground that the indictment does not charge that a crime was committed by more than one acting in concert.

The Court: I will overrule your objection.

Mr. McManus: Note an exception.

By the Court:

Q. "Butch" is the one that grabbed the pocket-book?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did he do?

A. He ran around Orchard street, and after he ran around Orchard street the lady said to Morris Rosenthal, "Give me my pocket-book;" and the lady behind her says, "No, that boy has ran around Orchard street, and he took the pocket-book," and then he ran around.

Q. Rosenthal ran around after "Butch"?

A. Yes, sir; and took the pocket-book away; she says, "There is \$32.00 in it."

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. Tony, you say "Butch" took the pocket-book out and ran around Orchard street?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You say you saw the lady put her hands on Morris Rosenthal and said to him, "Give me my pocket-book?"

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did he say?

A. He says, "I haven't got the pocket-book," and the lady by him said, "The boy ran around Orchard street, he has got it."

Q. After that what did the lady say to Rosenthal?

A. She didn't say nothing to him.

Q. What did Rosenthal do?

A. Rosenthal took the pocket-book away from the boy.

11 Q. When they were standing together on that corner -- Rosenthal

ran around after "Butch?"

A. Mes, sir; he took the pocket-book, and saw what was in it.

Q. Did you see what was in the pocket-book?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did you see Rosenthal later than that, on that day?

A. Yes, sir; I saw him.

Q. Where did you see him?

A. I saw him in Division

street.

Q. Whereabouts in Division street?

A. Corner of Clinton and Division.

Q. Did Rosenthal speak to you?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Just tell what conversation occurred, and who else was there beside you?

A. Morris Rosenthal, and three

more boys.

Q. Was any one with you?

A. No, sir; me and him

and that boy over there.

Q. Levison?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Now, tell what Rosenthal stated to you, and what you said to Rosenthal?

A. Rosenthal said to me,

like this, "Here, if you want six cents I will give it to you." I said, "If you give me ten cents, I won't take it

at all." And after that the other two boys says to Rosenthal, like this, "Why don't you give Levison money as well

as me," and after that we didn't want to take anything at all. They went around to a pawn-shop and pawned the ring,

Rosenthal told us. After that they wanted to give us a couple of cents-- they said when they would come back they

would give us a couple of cents; Rosenthal said that.

Q. Rosenthal said, "We will go around to a pawn-shop," and what?

12 A "Hock the ring, and when we come back we will give you

a couple of cents."

Q. what did you say? A. I says, "No, I don't want nothing at all. They me and Levison went over, and was shooting craps.

Q. Did they give you any money at all? A. No, sir; they didn't give us one penny.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. McManis:

Q. Do you remember when this "Butch," as you call him, went and took the pocket-book? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You were in company then with Morris? A. No.

Q. Where were you? A. I was coming from the Gaiety museum.

Q. Were you near Morris? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How many of you were together? A. Me and Levison was together, and Morris was away from us.

Q. How far? A. About five steps from us; he was talking with the other boy.

Q. How many other boys? A. Four boys.

Q. Four more? A. Three more; the lady was a little way from then?

Q. How far, the distance between you and he? A. Yes, sir.

Q. you saw "Butch" walk over and take her pocket-book; did you? A. No, sir; there was a little boy pulled it out first, and then "Butch" went over and took the pocket-book.

Q. You saw "Butch" leave the crowd and go over and take the pocket-book and run away, and these other boys remained? A. Yes, sir.

13 Q. Have you told any other stories than this?

A. No, sir.

Q. Have you told other stories than this you are telling now?

A. No, sir.

Q. You saw "Butch" run away? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you see Rosenthal catch him?

A. No, sir; the lady told him like that that he shall go around and catch the boy.

Q. Did you see Rosenthal catch "Butch?"

A. Yes, sir, he caught him, and he took the pocket-book away from him. A man walked past in Allen street, and he looked at him, with a white overcoat." He said, "Where did you steal that?" Then Morris Rosenthal said, "What do you care, what have you got to say, it is none of your business," and then the man walked away. He wanted to hit him and punch him.

Q. He wanted to punch Morris?

A. No, sir, Morris Rosenthal wanted to punch the man.

By the Court:

Q. He had the pocket-book in his hand? A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. McManus:

Did you see him take the pocket-book from "Butch?"

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Whereabouts were you? A. I was going home.

Q. "Butch" ran away; didn't he? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you start to run after him? A. No, sir.

Q. He ran around the corner? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You could see right around the corner?

A. No, sir; I couldn't see.

Q. How could you see Rosenthal take the pocket-book away from "Butch," if you didn't follow him up after he ran around the

they went around Allen street, after that; I stopped, and we went right home.

Q. "Butch" ran around the corner, you saw him run away after he took the pocket-book? A. Yes, sir.

Q. He ran fast? A. Yes, sir.

Q. It was some time before Rosenthal ran after him? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How could you see Rosenthal?

A. I saw Rosenthal run after the boy, around the corner, "Butch" stood right in the middle, on the corner of Grand street, and me and Levison looking at them, what they were doing.

Q. You saw him take the pocket-book from "Butch," there were four boys together, and "Butch" left the crowd where they were standing and went over to this woman, where she was standing looking at the window?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. At the time he took the pocket-book "Butch" left the crowd, when he saw Miss Ott standing looking at the hats, and he went over and snatched the pocket-book and ran away with it?

A. Yes, sir; I was just walking ahead.

Q. You were looking at him; within a short distance from him; weren't you? A. I was walking away from him.

Q. You didn't tell the lady that the pocket-book had been stolen? A. No.

Q. You didn't tell anybody, made no outcry?

A. No, sir.

Q. You were right close to him, almost as close as Rosenthal?

A. No.

Q. How far away from her were you?

15 A. From here to here (showing)

Q. How far away were those other three boys?

A. They were further away.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. How far away was Rosenthal from the lady at the time when the pocket-book was taken ---you saw the pocket-book taken out of the woman's pocket; didn't you?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How far was Rosenthal away?

A. About five steps.

Q. As far as from you to me?

A. Yes, sir.

DAVID LEVISON, sworn, and examined by Mr. Bradley, testified:

Q. David, how old are you?

A. Thirteen years.

Q. Do you recollect Saturday afternoon, the 22nd of April, the day on which it is charged that the pocket-book was taken from the pocket of Miss Ott?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where were you on that afternoon?

A. Me and that there boy, Tony Goldberg, went to the Gaiety museum. We came home and we met three other boys, Morris Rosenthal and three more boys.

By the Court:

Q. Together?

A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. What time was that?

A. It was about 4 o'clock.

Q. Where did you see Morris Rosenthal and the three other boys?

A. Grand street, corner of Ludlow.

Q. Are you sure what corner it was?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What store was it you saw them at?

A. We were standing on the corner, talking.

Q. what store was that; do you know?

A. There is a hat store.

By the Court:

Q. Where was the complainant, who lost her pocket-book, standing?

A. By Ridley's. Morris Rosenthal saw the pocket-book; he said, "There is a pocket-book," to the other boy, not "Butch," the other one.

Q. "Butch" was with them?

A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. What did Rosenthal say?

A. He said, to the other boy, not to "Butch," "There is a pocket-book;" so the two other boys was going after it.

By the Court:

Q. What did Morris Rosenthal say?

A. Nothing; he walked with them ---a boy pulled it out a little, not "Butch."

Q. Are you the boy that did it?

A. No, sir.

Q. What was the boy's name?

A. Filley. Then "Butch" went over and took the pocket-book out, and after that "Butch" went away around Orchard street.

Q. What did Morris Rosenthal do?

A. A lady wanted to get hold of the Filley boy, around Division street. She said, "Give me my pocket-book?" Afterwards she said, to Morris Rosenthal, "Get my pocket-book."

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. Did you hear all that was said between her and him?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Go on?

A. He said he was going after it, and he ran and he caught the boy.

By the Court:

Q. Morris Rosenthal caught the boy that took the pocket-book?

A. Yes, sir; and Morris Rosenthal took the pocket-book from him and ran a little further. Rosenthal emptied it all out and walked away, and he showed the other boys forty cents, a ring, two knives, a tooth-pick and two thimbles.

Q. Where did he go?

A. When we met him we met him around Canal street, about ten minutes after. He said nothing to me; the two other boys told me there was forty cents in it, he didn't tell me.

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. Did you see him, later than that, on the afternoon?

A. Yes, sir; I seen him.

Q. Did you have any conversation with him, or did he say anything to you?

A. No, sir; I met him with the man over there, the officer.

Q. With Officer Burns?

A. Yes, sir; I met him corner of Allen and Broome.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. McManus:

Q. Did you attend the theatre that afternoon, you and the former witness?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where did you meet Rosenthal?

A. Corner of Ludlow and Grand.

Q. Who were with him?

A. Him and three more boys.

Q. You all stood around there?

A. Yes, sir; we were talking.

Q. Conversing with each other, each one heard what was said?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And how far away was Rosenthal when this pocket-book was

18 taken?

A. He was about from here over to

there (pointing).

Q. About the same distance you were? A. Yes, sir.

Q. All were standing together?

A. Yes, sir, we were standing talking.

Q. "Butch," as you call him, saw the pocket-book, and went around and took it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And started to run away; did he? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you have anything to do with the taking of it?

A. No, sir; I didn't take it.

Q. Not any more than any person else that was there?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did any person other than "Butch" have anything to do with it?

A. Yes, sir; a boy who lives in Hester street, Filley, he pulled it out a little and "Butch" grabbed it.

Q. Did Rosenthal have anything to do with it?

A. I don't know if he did have anything to do with it.

Q. You and he stood together; didn't you?

A. Yes, sir; and the lady said to him, "Get my pocket-book;" and so he ran after him, and he took the pocket-book from the boy.

Q. He took it away from "Butch;" didn't he grab hold of him?

A. Yes, sir, and he took it away from him, and he emptied it.

Q. Did you see what was it when he emptied it, did you see any money, any bills?

A. No, sir -- only we met him in Canal street, he said there was only forty cents in it.

Q. You met him an hour after, in Canal street?

A. About ten minutes after.

Q. Quite a number of people gathered around this woman, when they said the pocket-book was stolen?

A. I didn't see them, I walked away; I walked down Grand street, and they ran up Orchard street.

Q. Did you hear Rosenthal say he would get the pocket-book, or anything?

A. No, sir, he didn't say that.

Q. He gave no directions or instructions for "Butch" to take that pocket-book?

A. No.

Q. You don't know that Rosenthal done anything to steal the pocket-book?

A. He didn't do anything; he only saw the pocket-book.

By the Court:

Q. He pointed out where it was?

A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. McManis:

Q. Did he give any directions to "Butch?"

A. No.

Q. You could have heard, if anything was said about that?

A. Yes, sir; but he didn't send the boy.

Q. As soon as they seen the pocket-book they went out, and the little fellow -- what did he do?

A. He grabbed it and pulled it out a little from her pocket, and then "Butch" pulled it out altogether.

Q. And he ran away?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Rosenthal had nothing to do with it, except, afterwards, taking hold of "Butch" and getting the pocket-book?

A. Yes, sir.

OFFICER BURNS, recalled by Mr. Bradley:

Q. Burns, what time was it that you caught Rosenthal with this property on him?

A. Half past 4 in the afternoon.

MR. BRADLEY: That is the People's case.

THE CASE FOR THE DEFENCE .

MORRIS ROSENTHAL, sworn, and examined by Mr. McManus,

testified:

- Q. What is your age? A. I will be sixteen on May 26.
- Q. Have you ever been convicted or arrested for any crime whatever?
- A. No, sir.
- Q. You have heard the testimony here produced against you?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Do you recollect this day spoken of by these witnesses?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. You recollect having this knife and thimble in your possession?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Do you recollect being up near Ridley's, on Grand street?
- A. Yes, sir; I just came back looking for work.
- Q. Who were you with?
- A. I was with one boy; me and another fellow.
- Q. Did you see those boys come in?
- A. Yes, sir; I met them coming up.
- Q. Did you have anything to do with the taking of this pocket-book?
- A. No, sir.
- Q. Did you point it out to them?
- A. No, sir.
- Q. To any other boy named Filley; did you point it out to Filley and say, "There is a pocket-book?"
- A. No, sir; I didn't point it out at all.
- Q. Did you see any person take that pocket-book?
- A. I didn't see the boys take the pocket-book. I saw the boy running with the pocket-book in his hand, and the woman halloed -- a man came over and told this here woman that her pocket-book was missing.
- Q. Told Miss Ott?
- 21 A. Yes, sir. She turned around and said, "There goes the

boy." She said, "Will you please catch him?" "I will try," I said; I ran after the boy, I caught him on Hester street, between Orchard and Allen; I took the pocket-book; I came up through Allen to find the woman, back towards Grand street, that I could return the pocket-book. I was going up Grand street, the boy handed me that pocket-book; a man with a red mustache snatched me, and he says, "Where did you get that pocket-book?" I told him it is none of his business, so long as it didn't belong to him; I had the pocket-book in my hand, he snatched it out of my hand, there was a knife and thimble left in my hand; I says, "The pocket-book don't belong to me, it belongs to a woman." He says, "That makes no difference." I thought he was a detective. He says, "If you follow me, I will have you arrested." I says, "You could not have me arrested, because I didn't steal the pocket-book."

Q. Who was that man? A. I don't know him; a tall man, with a red mustache.

Q. Did you have anything to do with the taking of that pocket-book? A. No.

Q. Did you know it was to be taken?

A. No, sir.

Q. Or did you point it out to this Filley, or "Butch?"

A. No, sir; I don't know this here boy "Butch" at all; just know him by sight, when I saw him running.

Q. You know these other boys here?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You gave them money that afternoon?

A. Tony gave me money, the day before, ten cents-- and the day before that he gave me fifteen cents.

Q. Have you been working?

22 A. I haven't been working for about four weeks.

Q. Before that you worked regularly?

A. Yes, sir; corner of Center and White streets.

Q. You have never been convicted or charged with any crime?

A. No, sir.

Q. You swear positively that you didn't take that pocket-book,
nor aided in its taking; do you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And didn't know that it was to be taken?

A. No, sir.

Q. How far away were you from the lady?

A. She was up against the show-case window, and I was
about in the gutter side.

Q. Eight or ten feet distance?

A. I don't know how far it was, I just came back after
looking for work.

Q. You didn't point out this lady with the pocket-book?

A. No, sir.

Q. You were found with these, you had these articles upon you?

A. I had a different pair of pants, there was holes in my
pocket, I put them for safety, I couldn't find the woman
when I went back, I was going toward Eldridge street, corner
of Allen, when detective Burns arrested me.

Q. Is this the truth you are telling?

A. Yes, sir; the very truth.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

By Mr. Bradley:

Q. Rosenthal, where do you live?

A. 38 Ludlow street.

Q. Where does your parents live? A. In the same house.

Q. How long since you were home, before you were arrested?

A. I was home always.

- Q. Home every night? A. Yes, sir; there is my father over there.
- Q. How was it you got out of work four weeks before this?
A. We were awfully slack; we were laid off once before this. Hannan & Sons, on the third floor, Mr. Graham is the foreman.
- Q. You had just returned from looking for work?
A. Yes, sir.
- Q. What time was that that afternoon?
A. About half past three.
- Q. Who was the other boy with you?
A. I just know him by name, Louis Harris; he lives in Allen street, I don't know the number.
- Q. Have you seen him since?
A. No, sir, I was arrested; he was looking for work with me, I went down town.
- Q. You have never seen him since? A. No, sir.
- Q. He is not in court to-day? A. No, sir.
- Q. Who is this boy "Butch"?
A. I don't know him -- I just know him by sight; he had a little brown suit on, when he was running.
- Q. You saw him that afternoon that the pocket-book was stolen?
A. I saw him running with the pocket-book and I caught him.
- Q. You saw him there that afternoon. You know Filley; don't you?
A. No, sir.
- Q. He lives on Canal and Division street, the boy who first took out the pocket-book?
A. No, sir; I don't know him.
- Q. The boy Tony you say gave you money the day before, and the day before that he gave you money?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. A pretty good friend of yours?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know any reason why he should go upon this witness-stand and telling the story about you pointing out that pocket book, and about your going and dividing up the proceeds of that larceny?

A. No, sir.

Q. Who was the boy you got those things from that day?

A. I don't know him.

Q. Did you see him take the things out of the woman's pocket?

A. No, sir; I saw him running with the pocket-book in his hand; he ran right around the corner of Orchard.

Q. In what direction did he run?

A. Towards Hester.

Q. You followed him?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You took those things away from him, and took the pocket-book; didn't you?

A. No; he handed me the pocket-book, and he ran in a different direction.

Q. It was not "Butch"?

A. I don't know who "Butch" was, I know him by sight, I don't know whether his name is "Butch" or not-- just as if I meet a man in the street and saw him again, I would know him by sight.

Q. You would know "Butch" if you saw him?

A. Yes, sir, I would. I don't know whether his name is "Butch;" I know him by sight, as I am telling you.

Q. Where does he live?

A. I was sent a postal-card up in the Tombs that he lived in Newark.

Q. Who was the party that sent you that?

A. I don't know, some friend of mine.

25 Q. What name was signed to the postal-card?

A. There was no name signed on it; it says, "I heard you was arrested, and the boy that stole the pocket-book, we found lived in Newark."

Q. You got the pocket-book in your hand?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you see what was in it?

A. I only saw a knife and a thimble.

Q. This is the knife and the thimble you saw; isn't it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Are those the clothes you had on at the time you were arrested?

A. No, sir.

Q. You were going back to give it to the woman?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Why did you put these in your hat?

A. I didn't have any pockets in my pants.

Q. Are those the pants you had on?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did you have a coat on that day?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. No pockets in the coat?

A. I had the

book in here, and the handkerchief in each pocket.

Q. You put these in your hat?

A. In my hat, for safe keeping.

Q. Because you didn't have any pockets in any of your clothes?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you hear Tony Goldberg say, on the witness-stand, that you had offered him six cents, and he said, "No, I won't take six cents, I don't want ten cents," and you said, "I will hock the ring and I will give you some more?"

A. Yes, sir; I heard him tell that.

Q. That was not true?

A. No, sir.

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Testimony in the
case of
Morris Rosenthal

filed
April
1953

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Police Court

3 District

1912

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

Moses Rosenstain
of No. 69 Madison Street, aged 24 years,
occupation (Gold watch dealer) being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 26 day of March 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of person of deponent, in due time, the following property, viz:

One Gold watch and one Gold Chain of the value of about One hundred dollars

the property of Sydney

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 William (No 154).

from the fact that deponent had said property in his vest pocket. That he was in a Tenmough on 27th Street that he felt some person pulling at his watch chain that he caught hold of deponent as he was in the act of taking said watch and chain from the pocket of deponent.

Deponent therefore charges the deponent with Larceny from the person of deponent and prays that he be held to answer.

Moses Rosenstain

Sworn to before me, this

1893

Police Justice

0700

City and County of New York, ss:

Morris Poreubsky 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. *Morris Poreubsky*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *115 Columbia Street 1 month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *A fur*

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*
Morris Poreubsky

Taken before me this
day of *March* 189*2*

[Signature]
Police Justice.

0701

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 *ten* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated, *March 27* 189*3*, *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189..... Police Justice.

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

Dated,.....189..... Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mrs. Elizabeth
69 Ludlow
Miss Wheeler

Offense
from the person

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Dated, March 27 1893

Hopson Magistrate.

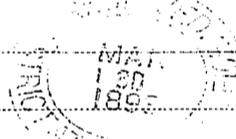
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11 Precinct.

Witnesses Helen Lued

No. 11 Street.

No. Street.



No. Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

Handwritten signature/initials

BAILED,

No. 1, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 2, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 3, by.....

Residence..... Street.

No. 4, by.....

Residence..... Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Morris Rosenberg

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

Morris Rosenberg

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

The said Morris Rosenberg

late 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 ninety-three, in the day-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of seventy dollars and one chain of the value of thirty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Moses Rosenstein on the person of the said Moses Rosenstein then and there being found, from the person of the said Moses Rosenstein 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.

De Lancey Nicoll, District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Rosenthal, Morris

DATE:

04/26/93



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Witnesses:

A. P. Curran

353 Court

Counsel,

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day of

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Pleads,

Property - eddy

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Grand Larceny, *Recent* Degree. (From the Person.) [Sections 825, 826, Penal Code.]

Morris Rosenthal

*Sept 2 - May 11, 1893.
Tried and Acquitted*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

James A. Murphy
May 27 93 Foreman.

Frederick Long designed

9 for deposit.

Police Court— 3 District.

1912

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 864 2nd Ave Maggie O'H
occupation Dress maker Street, aged 17 years,
being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 22 day of April 1899 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 day time, the following property, viz:

One pocket book containing the
sum of thirty two dollars in bills
and lawful money of the United States
two silver thumbles, two pocket knives,
one gold ring and one lock the whole
valued at about
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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 Morris Kreuthel (wisher) from the fact that deponent had said pocket book containing said property in her pocket and she felt some person at her pocket and subsequently missed said property. Deponent is informed by Officer Foley that he arrested the defendant and found a silver thumble and a knife in the possession of defendant which property deponent has identified as part of the property stolen from the person of deponent.

Maggie O'H

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of April 1899
Wm. J. [Signature]
Police Justice

0707

City and County of New York, ss:

Morris Arentthal 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. *Morris Arentthal*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

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

Answer. *28 Hudson Street 6 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shoe Maker*

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

Morris Arentthal

Taken before me this

day of *April*

189*7*

[Signature]
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

Defendant

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

Dated, *April 23* 1893

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189

Police Justice.

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

Dated, *[Signature]* 189

Police Justice.

[Signature]

Police Court---

446 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Maggie Ott
1864 2nd Ave
Morris Breenthal

Offense
Larceny
from the person

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated, April 23 1893

Magistrate.

Foley and Burns Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses David Garrison

No. 25 Pitt Street.

Jmy Goldberg.

No. 183 Clinton Street.

Caroline P. ...

No. ... Street.

\$ 1000 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

Morris Rosenthal

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

Morris Rosenthal

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

The said *Morris Rosenthal*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22nd* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, in the day - time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the sum of thirty two dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of thirty two dollars, two trinkets of the value of three dollars each, two knives of the value of two dollars each, one finger-ring of the value of five dollars and one locket of the value of five dollars and one pocketbook of the value of fifty cents of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Maggie Ott* on the person of the said *Maggie Ott* then and there being found, from the person of the said *Maggie Ott* 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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Morris Rosenthal,

of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Morris Rosenthal*,

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

the sum of thirty two dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of thirty two dollars, two thumbles of the value of three dollars each, two knives of the value of two dollars each, one finger ring of the value of five dollars, and one locket of the value of five dollars and one pocketbook of the value of fifty cents
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Maggie Ott*

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Maggie Ott*

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said

Morris Rosenthal

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Ryan, Dennis

DATE:

04/14/93



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss:
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Patrick Goodwin

of No.: 184 Hudson Street, aged 40 years,
occupation Wines & Liquors being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 10 day of April 1893

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Dennis Ryan
(now here) did wilfully and maliciously
break a plate glass mirror behind the
bar in the Liquor store no 317 Bleeker
Street, the property of the deponent and
of the value of One hundred and fifty
dollars (\$150.00) by seizing hold of a glass
which was on the bar in his hand and
did throw the said glass through the mirror
breaking the same. And at the same time
defendant kicked the deponent in the ^{private} ~~penis~~

Deponent asks that defendant may be dealt
with as the law directs

Sworn to before me, this 10 day
of April 1893

Wm. J. Brady
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Dennis Ryan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *41 Peck Slip 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Brass polisher*

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*

Dennis Ryan

Taken before me this

16

Day of

April

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Wm. J. Brady

Police Justice.

0716

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 10* 189*3*

[Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 189 Police Justice.

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Police Court---² District. ⁴⁰⁴

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Goodwin
184 vs. Judson
Dennis Ryan

Offense *Malicious*
Mischief

2 _____
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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated, *April 10* 189 *3*

Grady Magistrate.

Sheffner Officer.

_____ Precinct.

Witnesses *John C. Cregier*

No. *453* Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

§ *1000* to answer *P.S.*

\$1000 & Apl. 12. 28. 93.

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

Dennis Ryan

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.

P. H. Goodwin

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

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IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Dennis Ryan

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

Dennis Ryan

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said

Dennis Ryan

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-
, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one plate glass mirror

of the value of *one hundred and fifty dollars* of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Patrick Goodwin* then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break*

and destroy

[Signature]

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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DESCRIPTION:

Ryan, James

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, George

DATE:

04/11/93



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Witnesses:

Off Newham

[Signature]

~~*[Signature]*~~

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Counsel,
Filed *11* day of *April* 1893
Pleads, *11*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Ryan
and *X*

George Wilson

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Burglary in the Third Degree. [Section 498.]

A TRUE BILL.

A. J. Stuyler

Foreman.

April 12/93

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April 14/93

Police Court— District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Valerian Bernhardt

of No. 172 South Fifth Avenue Street, aged 46 years, occupation - Restaurant and Saloon Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 172 South Fifth Avenue Street, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a restaurant on the ground floor, and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaching open a window opening on South Fifth Avenue

on the 6 day of April 1899 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Cigarettes and liquor a quantity of of one dollar \$1

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

James Ryan and George Wilson

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent had sent property in said premises which were securely locked and closed about the hour of 7 o'clock p.m. on April 5 1899. Deponent is informed by Policeman Charles Newham now here, that he found the defendants in said premises, and the premises broken open as aforesaid on April 6. 1899 at 1 o'clock a.m. and said stolen property in defendants possession. Valerian Bernhardt

Sworn to before me this 7th day of April 1899 J. M. Ryan Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1921

aged _____ years, occupation Charles Newman
Officer of No. _____

5th Street Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Valerian Bernhardt
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 7 day of April, 1898 } Charles Newman

Thos. D. Brady Police Justice.

Charles Newman

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City and County of New York, ss:

George Wilson

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Wilson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *A. S.*

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

Answer. *177 West Houston*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *printer*

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

Answer. *I have to say that we did not break the window*

George Wilson

Taken before me this

day of

April

1893

Wm. J. Brady

Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

District Police Court.

James Ryan 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.

James Ryan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

U.S.

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

Answer.

219 East 86 St - 12 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Cracker Baker

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

Answer.

I have nothing to say

James Ryan

Taken before me this

day of

Sept 1897

Police Justice.

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Police Court, 2 District.

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City and County of New York, ss. Charles Newman
of No. 5th Street Street, aged years,
occupation O'Keenan being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 6 day of April 1899 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, Deponent, at

Law of about 10 o'clock A.M.
arrested James Ryan and George
Wilson, now being charged with burglary
at 172 South 7th Avenue. De-
ponent caught defendant in the
premises burglarized. Deponent
asked that defendant be held
to give an opportunity to bring
the owner of the premises as a
witness.

Sworn to before me this
6th day of April
1899
Wm. J. Brady
O'Keenan

Charles Newman

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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 Ryan Geo Wilson

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.....18..... Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18..... 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.....18..... Police Justice.

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Police Court---2 District.
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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Chas. Newham
vs.
James Ryan
Geo Wilson

Murphy
Officer

Dated April 6 1887

Grady Magistrate.

Newham Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses..... Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

§.....to answer.....

\$1000 & April 7, 1887

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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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 Ryan Geo Wilson

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, *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 *April 7* 18*97* *M. P. Brady* Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 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 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Valerian Bernhart
172 So. 5th Ave
James Ryan
Geo Wilson

Officer
Bryley

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated April 7 1897

Grady
Newham

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

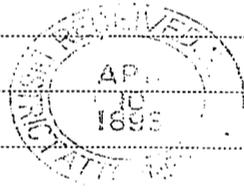
Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Jack Street.

\$ 500 to answer G.A. 97



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James Ryan
Born - New York
Age 20
Married
Single Yes
Residence 219 E 146th
Parents Yes

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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 Ryan
and
George Wilson

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

James Ryan and George Wilson

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

The said *James Ryan and George Wilson, both*

late of the *8th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
sixth day of *April* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three*, with force and arms, in the *night*-time
of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling-house of one
certtain building there situate, to wit:
the restaurant of one Valerian Bernhard
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some
crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Valerian*
Bernhard in the said *restaurant* 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

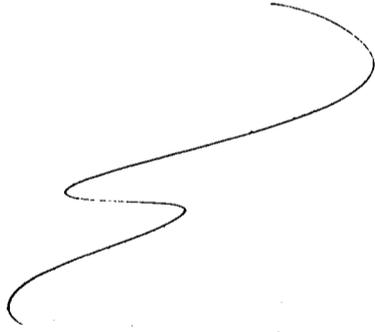
James Ryan and George Wilson

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

The said *James Ryan and George Wilson*, both

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 said day, with force and arms,

*ten packages of cigarettes of the
value of five cents each package,
and one quart of liquor of the
value of one dollar*



of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Valerian Bernhard*

restaurant
in the dwelling house of the said *Valerian Bernhard* —

there situate, then and there being found, ^{*in the restaurant*} ~~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.

*De Lancey Nicoll
District Attorney.*

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DESCRIPTION:

Ryan, Michael

DATE:

04/05/93



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Kelly, Thomas

DATE:

04/05/93



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No. 2 Defs true name is
Realy.

Witnesses:

Ed Nugent

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of *April* 1893

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Ryan
and
Thomas Kelly

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Burglary in the Third Degree
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A TRUE BILL.

David Duplik
Foreman.

Edmund J. P.

No. 1-9 mos *Penit*
No. 2-13 " " *Penit*
Edmund J. P. 1893

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Police Court - 6 District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 461 East 135th Street, aged 68 years, occupation Grocer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 165 Lincoln Avenue Street, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Fire stone brick building and which was occupied by deponent as a Store and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a pane of glass out of the fan-light over the side door leading into said store and removing the catch attached to said fan-light and entering therein with intent to commit a crime on the 1st day of April 1893 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

a quantity of Tea, Butter, Bacon & can goods together of the value of Ten dollars

the property of Alphonse & William Schappens co-partners 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

Michael Regan and Thomas Kelly (both true names)

for the reasons following, to wit: That Alphonse left said premises securely closed on the night of the 31st March 1893 and since the commission of said offense Alphonse was informed by Officer Thomas J. Nugent 33rd Precinct Police (true name) that he arrested said defendants with said passports in their possession and the said defendants admitted & confessed that they did enter said premises as aforesaid & feloniously take & carry away said property Anton Schappens

Exam & before me this 1st day of April 1893
Alvin W. White
Justice

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 35 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 33- Pecunia Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Anton Schappert and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 12 day of April 1893 } Thomas F. Nugent

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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6th

City and County of New York, ss:

Michael Ryan 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. Michael Ryan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 200 + 128th St; 7 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Seaman

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

Answer. I am guilty of the charge
Michael Ryan
~~Michael Ryan~~

Taken before me this

day of April 1893

Wm. H. ...

Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss:

Thomas Kelly

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Thomas Kelly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years -*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *530 College Ave; 2 years -*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am guilty - of the charge*
Thomas Kelly
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Taken before me this *1st* day of *April* 189*3*
Wm. H. ...
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 defendants

guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 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 10 1893 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ 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 _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

Police Court--- 6th District. ³⁷⁰

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anton Schappert
461 2nd 135th
1 *Michael Ryan*
2 *Thomas Kelly*
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Burglar
Offence

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated *April 1st* 18*93*

Will Magistrate.

Thomas F. August Officer.

33rd Precinct.

Witnesses

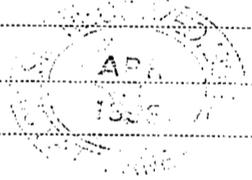
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against
Michael Ryan
and
Thomas Kelly

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

Michael Ryan and Thomas Kelly

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

The said *Michael Ryan and Thomas Kelly, both*

late of the *23rd* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
first day of *April* in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred and ninety-*three* in the *night* time of the same day, at the
 Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of
 one *Anton Schappert* ———

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some
 crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Anton*
Schappert in the said *store* ———
 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

Michael Ryan and Thomas Kelly

of the CRIME OF Petit LARCENY committed as follows:

The said Michael Ryan and Thomas Kelly, both

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 said day, with force and arms,

ten pounds of tea of the value of forty cents each pound, ten pounds of butter of the value of thirty cents each pound, twenty pounds of bacon of the value of fifteen cents each pound, ten cans of fruit of the value of fifteen cents each can and ten cans of vegetables of the value of fifteen cents each can

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Anton Schappert

in the store of the said Anton Schappert

there situate, then and there being found, in the store 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.

De Lancey McCall,
District Attorney.