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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Speck, William

DATE:

09/19/81



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Police Office, First District.

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

Louis Karl

of No. 111 Nassau

Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 111 Nassau

Street, fourth Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building  
in part wife shoe store  
and which was occupied by deponent as a

were BURGLARIOUSLY

entered by means

forcibly prying off two boards  
of the window in the rear of said  
premises and entering therein

on the

day

of the

14

day of

August 1881

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

Two pair of shoes of the value  
of ten dollars

the property of

Miner S. Karl and in care  
and charge of deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

Charles Edward and William Speck  
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

that deponent was  
informed by officer Griffin  
that he saw said defendants  
leaving said premises and  
subsequently said defendants  
acknowledge and confessed  
that they did commit said  
Burglary and larceny as aforesaid

Louis Karl

Examined and sworn to before me this  
14th day of August 1881  
Police Officer

City and County  
of New York SS Jeremiah J. Griffin  
attached to the 44 Precinct Police  
being duly sworn says that  
he has heard read the forgoing  
affidavit and the statement  
therein contained or information  
is true

Sworn to before me this ~ Jeremiah J. Griffin  
15 day of August 1881 ~

Charles W. Munn Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—FIFTH DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*William Speck*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*ten years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*221 William St.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*I go to school*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*William  
Speck*

Taken before me, this

day of

*15*  
*August* 188*1*

*Charles W. Hamner*

Police Justice.

POLICE COURT—FIFTH DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Charles Edwards*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Eight Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*United States*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*77 Henry Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*I go to school*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Charles <sup>his</sup> Edwards*  
*Ma and*

Taken before me, this

*15*

day of

*Aug*

*1887*

*John A. Munn*

Police Justice.

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Police Court First District.

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT

THE PEOPLE, & SHERIFF  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Earl  
111 Cassan St.

Name,

Address,

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

1 Charles Edward  
2 William Speck  
3  
4  
5  
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Offence,

Dated 14 Aug 1881

Flannery Magistrate.

Griffin Officer.

4 Pre  
Clerk

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address

Witnesses,

500 Bail  
Committed temporarily to  
Thos. R. C. Porter

\$ to answer

Sessions.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

NEW YORK CATHOLIC PROTECTORY,  
OFFICE:  
Nos. 66 and 68 Reade Street.

New York, Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1881

D. G. Rollins Esq.

Dear Sir

Yours of yesterday is received in relation to the boys Wm Speck + Charles Edwards, who were committed to the Protetory Aug 15/81 held under \$500<sup>00</sup> bail for trial they are still in the Institution + can be produced when called for.

We have no power to discharge the boys are the Court or Court appointed authorities order us to do so as soon as we are notified to produce the boys we will do so, yours most Respectfully

Yr

C. Villeneuve

per F. Riordan

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL  
DOCUMENT(S)**

How. H. A. Gildersleeve:



Sir I would be more than  
pleased, could you spare the time to  
investigate the case of Wm Speck aged  
10 years, he has been a pupil of mine  
for more than two years, and I am  
confident that the boy did not commit  
the alleged crime. He was asked  
to plead Guilty and I presume did so.

without any thought of consequences  
- I will add that I believe the  
boy to be perfectly truthful - and  
also a little stubborn - yet  
never have I found him capable  
of being guilty of any

Dishonesty I trust Sir -

that in view of the fact that  
his Father and Mother are  
thoroughly respectable you will  
advise her to reclaim her boy -

as I am positively assured  
they (the parents) can —  
Educate and Care for him  
properly - and with much  
better results than any —  
Institution can give

With much  
Respect -

E. B. Foy

293. Pearl St.

Port. C. D. 34.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace of  
the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

*Charles Edwards and William Speck*  
The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse  
*Charles Edwards and William Speck*  
of the crime of *Burglary*

committed as follows:

The said

*Charles Edwards and William Speck* each  
late of the fourth Ward of the City of  
New York in the County of New York  
aforesaid

on the *fourteenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty one* with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the *store* of

*Miner S. Kane*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a  
building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept  
for use, sale and deposit, to wit, the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter  
described, with intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Miner S. Kane*

then and there therein being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take,  
and carry away, and

*Four shoes of the value of two*  
*dollars and fifty cents each*

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

*Miner S. Kane*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *store* then and there being, then  
and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such  
case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and  
their dignity.

*Danice B. Rollins*

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

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DESCRIPTION:

Edwards, Thomas

DATE:

09/21/81



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Witness:  
John Hannon:

Counsel,  
Filed *21* day of *Sept* 188*1*  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*in & out of*  
*County of*  
*Thomas Edwards*  
INDICTMENT.  
Larceny from the person.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
*W. D. Dyer* Foreman.  
*Sept 23. 1881*  
*Plead guilty*  
*S. P. one year.*

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

Police Court--Second District.

*John J. Shannon*  
 of No *77 E. Washington* <sup>*35<sup>th</sup> St*</sup> ~~Street~~, being duly sworn, deposes  
 and says, that on the *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 188*1*  
 at the City of New York in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried  
 away, from the possession of deponent, *and from his person*  
*in the night time*  
 the following property, to wit: *one gold seal ring*

of the value of *Six* Dollars,  
 the property of *Deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property  
 was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *Thomas Edwards* (now  
*here*) for the following reasons to wit: While  
 deponent was sitting on his stoop at the above  
 number said Edwards and another man whose  
 name is unknown to deponent sat down by him  
 when said Edwards put his hand into the  
 the vest pocket of deponent the vest being at  
 the time upon his body and person and  
 took therefrom the above described ring.  
 Deponent followed said Edwards and caused  
 his arrest by Officer Moffitt of the 15<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
 Police. Said <sup>other</sup> man whose name is unknown to  
 deponent turned down Green St and escaped.

*John J. Shannon.*

Sworn to before me, this

*13<sup>th</sup>*

day

of

*Sept*188*1*

Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Edwards 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 waiven cannot be used against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Thomas Edwards

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Twenty seven years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U.S.

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

Answer 223-84 1st Street Eight months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Carpenter

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

Answer.

I am innocent of the charge

Taken before me, this 13th

day of Sep 1881

Thomas his Edwards  
mark

Solow R. Smith  
Police Justice.

Police Court - 2d District

THE PEOPLE, &c. *vs*  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John L. Shannon*  
*773 Washington St*

*Thomas Edwards*

Offence *Larceny from Person night*

No. 1, by  
Residence  
No. 2, by  
Residence  
No. 3, by  
Residence  
No. 4, by  
Residence

Dated *Sept 13 1881*

*Smith* Magistrate.

*Wright 15* Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street.



*Chapman*

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 *Thomas Edwards*

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

Dated *Sept 13* 1881

*Solow B. Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1881 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1881 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Police Court-- 2d District

THE PEOPLE, &c. 882  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Shannon  
77 3/4 Washington St

Thomas Edwards

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Dated

Sept 19th

1881

Magistrate.

Smith

Officer.

Moffatt 15

Clerk.

Witnesses

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

May



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

*held to answer the same and be*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~Hundred Dollars~~ *and be com-*  
mitted to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Sept 13 1881

*Robert D. Smith*  
Police Justice.

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

Dated 1881

Police Justice.

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

Dated 1881

Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions ~~of the Peace of~~  
the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

*Thomas Edwards*  
<sup>against</sup>

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

*Thomas Edwards*

of the crime of

*larceny from the person*

committed as follows:

The said

*Thomas Edwards*

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

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

*One scarf pin of the value of six dollars.*

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

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

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DESCRIPTION:

Egan, Michael

DATE:

09/15/81



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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 15<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1881

Pleads Northw. H

WITNESSES.

Witness:  
G. J. Sackner

THE PEOPLE

Sept 19<sup>th</sup> 1881  
Discharged by Court  
Michael Egan

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

Part Two: Sept. 22, 1881.

Fried & jury disagreed -  
A True Bill.

2<sup>nd</sup> acquittal.  
5<sup>th</sup> ans of an attempt

M. J. M. M. M.  
Foreman.

Mr. W. J. Sackner  
old day on job

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

Third District Police Court.

of No.

Street,

that on the

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

220 East-14th Siegfried Jackier

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

day of

August 1879

at about the hour of Twelve this A.M.  
in deponents room in said premises  
Michael Eagan (now here)  
did then and there upon the  
person of deponent commit the  
abominable and detestable crime  
against nature. That said Eagan  
did while in deponents room at said  
hour seize a hold of deponent and  
cast him upon a Bed with his  
deponents face downward and that  
while deponent was lying and  
struggling ~~in~~ said position to free  
himself from said Eagans clutches  
he said Eagan did by force  
insert his Penis into deponents  
rectum and did have carnal  
knowledge of deponents person.

Deponent therefore asks that said  
Michael Eagan may be held  
and dealt with according to law.

Siegfried Jackier.

Deponed before me this  
19th day of August 1879  
Henry J. Egan

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—

*Melrose Eagan*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

*28 Years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

*New York City*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

*14th Street 1st Avenue*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

*Blacksmith*

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

charge here preferred against you?

Answer.—

*I am not guilty*

*M Egan*

Taken before me, this

*19th*

day of

*August* 18*81*

Police Justice.

*Charles J. Jones*

POLICE COURT--THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Lucy Fried Jackson*  
*name of defendant*

*Michael Cagau*

BAILED,  
compt. No. 1, by *Chas. J. Glaser*

Residence *209 Chap St* Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

*Edmund Quirk*  
*Offence*

Dated *August-19* 18*94*

Magistrate,

*Patrick Eulley* Officer.

*A. Rumbul*  
*220 E 4th St*  
*Patrick Eulley*

Witnesses,

*17th Precinct - 17 Precinct*  
*Capt. White - 17 Precinct*  
*defendant of 17th to 17th*  
*as witness* *Chas. J. Glaser*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

§ *W. W.* Answer submitted.

Received in Dist. Atty. Office,

*W. W.*



## The People vs Michael

Cross Examination of Prisoner :-

Q. How long have you been a bar keeper?

A. 12 or 14 years

Q. For whom did you work last?

A. Patrick M. Manis - 13<sup>th</sup> St -

& are a.

Q. How long were you with him?

A. One day

Q. For whom did you work before that?

A. A man named Kearney - <sup>(1)</sup>  
76<sup>th</sup> St & 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

Q. How long there?

A. Two months.

Michael Eagan

Never worked with me don't  
know the man

John McManus

510 - E - 13<sup>th</sup> St

John Murphy  
Cor 96 St

don't know him

Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 81

J. Thomas McCabe

Corner 7<sup>th</sup> & 3<sup>d</sup> has done  
business for the past twelve years  
on this corner and never knew  
of any one man by the name of  
Carney on either Cor.

# Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Michael Egan

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

Michael Egan

of the CRIME OF

Sodomy

committed as follows:

The said Michael Egan late of the Seventeenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid on the nineteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one at the Ward, City and County aforesaid with force and arms, in and upon one Siegfried Jackier then and there being feloniously did make an assault and then and there feloniously, wickedly, diabolically, and against the order of nature with the said Siegfried Jackier had a venereal affair and then and there feloniously, wickedly, diabolically and against the order of nature with the said Siegfried Jackier did commit and perpetrate that detestable and abominable Crime of buggery not to be named among Christians, to the great displeasure of Almighty God to the great scandal of all human kind and against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Daniel G. Rollins  
District Attorney.

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Smith, James

DATE:

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In this case I  
think no punishment  
can be had. and for  
other reasons also I re-  
commended that prisoner  
be discharged as their are  
no reasons for their  
being in custody.

Very respectfully  
D. J. Phelps  
ad. et

Witness  
Off. Thomas Murphy

Sept. 19. 1881

Counsel, & Clerk  
Filed 19 day of Sept 1881  
Pleaded guilty.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Thomas Egler  
James Smith

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

D. J. Phelps Foreman.  
C. K. Phelps  
Discharged by Court

*5th*  
District Police Court—

Thomas Murphy

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

of No. *21<sup>st</sup> Precinct* Street, *Police*  
being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the *31<sup>st</sup>* day of *August* 18*81*  
at the *21<sup>st</sup>* Ward of the City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
~~of deponent~~, and person of a man whose name is  
unknown to deponent  
the following property viz.:

*a watch and chain, the value  
of which is unknown to deponent,  
said property being as deponent believes*

the property of *said man whose name is  
unknown to deponent*

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

*James Smith, both now here, for  
the reasons following, to wit: That  
at said time said defendants, and  
said unknown man, together with  
a number of other persons stood upon  
the dock at the foot of East 33<sup>rd</sup>  
Street. That deponent saw both of  
said defendants press against and  
crowd said unknown man and  
the defendant Egan passed on*

Sworn before me this

day of

POLICE JUSTICE

18*81*



Complaint read to defendants  
who through their Counsel  
Nathan Nesbit, Esq. demand  
an examination which is  
set down for September  
4<sup>th</sup> 1881 at 9 1/2 o'clock  
A. M. by Consent of  
Defendants Counsel.

Thomas Murphy, the Complainant  
sworn and Cross examined by  
Counselor Nesbit.

I cannot swear of my own  
knowledge that the watch  
and chain mentioned in my  
Complaint is not the property  
of either of the defendants.  
There were about 100 people  
on the end of the dock at  
the time. A boat was  
expected in at the dock  
and that caused the crowd.  
I saw the defendant Bayard  
moving about the crowd.  
Some of the people were

seated. The unknown man  
did not make a complaint  
to me that he had been  
robbed, nor was a complaint  
made at the Station House.  
I have been unable to find  
the unknown man and I  
will not swear the unknown  
man was not a friend of the  
dependants.

By the Court - I was sent to  
the dock that morning to  
apprehend people who had  
been picking pockets there and  
had been for a week previous.

Sworn to before me this  
4<sup>th</sup> day of September 1881

Thomas Murphy

J. M. Patterson Police Justice

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Thomas Eagan* 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 Eagan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty-two years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *4<sup>th</sup> St. Williamsburgh, three years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Liquor Business*

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 of the charge.  
That is all I have to say.*

Taken before me, this

day of *September* 188*8*

*Thomas Egan*

*A. M. Patterson*

Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*James Smith* 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 Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Forty-two years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*I decline to answer*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Quadrant*

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 of the charges.  
I have nothing more to say.*

Taken before me, this *14<sup>th</sup>*

day of *September* 188*8*

*James Smith*

*J. M. P. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Murphy  
21 N. 4th Street

Thomas Bayan  
James Smith

Offence Larceny  
from person

Dated September 1 1881

William Magistrate.

Murphy Officer.  
Wm Clerk.

Witnesses

No.        Street,       

No.        Street,       

No.        Street,       

#1500. South St. Wm. G.O.

La. 2nd St. Wm. G.O.

Est. Sept. 2/81 9 A.M.

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 Thomas Bayan

and James Smith guilty thereof, I order that <sup>he</sup> be admitted to bail in the sum of Twenty Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until <sup>he</sup> give such bail.

Dated September 11 1881

J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated        188       Police Justice.

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

Dated        188       Police Justice.

BAILED,

No. 1, by        Street,       

Residence        Street,       

No. 2, by        Street,       

Residence        Street,       

No. 3, by        Street,       

Residence        Street,       

No. 4, by        Street,       

Residence        Street,

876

Police Court-4 District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Murphy  
21 St. Patrick's

Thomas Boyce  
James Smith

## BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by

Residence

Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_

1.3, by

Residence

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4. by

Residence

Providence  
Street.

Witnesses:

No

Street.

No

Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No

street.

#1570 Arch. & Am. G. I.

Ex. 4 " 9 to 10

Ed. Sept. 2/81 9 A.M.

And James Smith  
and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
Thomas Logan

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed,  
*And James Smith*

And he was admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty* Hundred Dollars and be com-  
*Guilt of Murder*  
mitted to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until they give such bail.

*Police Justice.*

882

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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

887

Dated \_\_\_\_\_

*Police Justice.*

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

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Dated -

*Police Justice.*

Court of General Sessions of the Peace of  
the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

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

Thomas Egen <sup>against</sup> James Smith  
of the crime of  
Rape from the person.  
committed as follows:

The said Thomas Egen and James Smith each

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

on the thirty first day of August in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty - one at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms,

One watch of the value of ten dollars  
One Chain of the value of five dollars  
of the goods, chattels, and personal property  
of a certain person to the jurors aforesaid  
unknown on the person of the said certain  
person to the jurors aforesaid unknown  
then and there being found from the  
person of the said certain person to the  
jurors aforesaid unknown

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

~~on the person of the said~~

~~from the person of the said~~

~~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.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

BOX:

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FOLDER:

542

DESCRIPTION:

Ehlers, Frederick

DATE:

09/29/81



542

Witnesses :

*Dominick Danna*  
*Off. Michael Murphy*

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 29 day of Sept 1881

Pleads Not Guilty &c.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*I*

*Fredrick Ehlers*

*by*  
*W. H. Brewster*

*Felonious Assault and Battery.*

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*L. Carter Jr.*  
*Det 5/4 Foreman.*

*Henry L. B.*  
*Rec. Six months.*

Form

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

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

~~Thomas~~ ~~Dominick~~ ~~Bauman~~  
~~Thomas~~ ~~Dominick~~ ~~Bauman~~

of No. 12 Morris aged 38 years by occupation Laborer  
Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 25 day of September 1881

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and  
beaten by Frederick Ehlers now present who did  
feloniously make a thrust at deponents face  
with a knife then and there held in his now present  
hand cutting deponent on the hand while  
deponent shield his face with said hand  
causing a painful wound

Sworn to, before me, this

day of

September 1881.

Police Justice.

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

Frederick Ehlers

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do <sup>deponent</sup> bodily harm, and without any justification  
on the part of the said assailant :

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

Thomas his Dominick  
Mark

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Fredrick Ehlers being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is his W 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 W waiver cannot be used against him W on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Fredrick Ehlers

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

25 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

36 Greenwich St about five months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bartender

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 at present

Taken before me, this

26

day of

Sept

1881

Police Justice

Trinity Elliott

Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William Dawson*  
*12 Morris St.*

*Fredrick Ehlers*

Offence, *Felonious Assault & Battery*

Dated *26 Sept* 188*1*

*B. H. B. B.* Magistrate.

*Michael Murphy* Officer.  
*27 Dec* Clerk.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street,

No. 2, by

Residence Street,

No. 3, by

Residence Street,

No. 4, by

Residence Street,

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

*Fredrick Ehlers*

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

Dated *Sept 26* 188*1*

*B. H. B. B.* Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c., &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Dominic Baccari  
12 Morris St.  
Fredrick Ehlers  
1  
2  
3  
4

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

Dated 26 Sept 1881  
R. H. Sibley Magistrate.  
Michael Murphy Officer.  
27 Dec Clerk.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

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 Fredrick Ehlers  
held to answer the same and he be  
ordered to bail to the sum of  
\_\_\_\_\_ Hundred Dollars and be com-  
mitted to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail  
A of the City Clerk

Dated Oct 26 1881  
B. W. Brough Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

# Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Frederick Ehlers*

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

*Frederick Ehlers*

of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another with a deadly weapon with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said

*Frederick Ehlers*

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

County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Dominick Bannan* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and

with a certain *knife* which the said

*Frederick Ehlers*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *him* the said *Dominick Bannan*

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

## SECOND COUNT.

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

*Frederick Ehlers*

of the CRIME OF "Assault upon another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with a sharp, dangerous weapon, with intent to do bodily harm," committed as follows:

The said

*Frederick Ehlers*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Dominick Bannan* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an

assault and *him* the said *Dominick Bannan* with a certain *knife* which the said

in *his* right hand then and there

had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to *him* the said *Dominick Bannan* do bodily harm unto

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

THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Frederick Ehlers*  
of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another by such means and force as was likely to produce death with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said

*Frederick Ehlers*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~

with force and arms, in and upon the body of  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make another assault and

*the said Dominick Bannan*  
*him* the said *Dominick Bannan*  
with a certain *knife*

which the said

*Frederick Ehlers*

in *his* right

hand then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death of *him* the said *Dominick Bannan* with intent *him* the said *Dominick Bannan* then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Frederick Ehlers*  
of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another, with a deadly weapon, with intent to maim," committed as follows:

The said

*Frederick Ehlers*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said  
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make another assault and the said

*Dominick Bannan*  
*him* with a certain *knife* which the said

*Frederick Ehlers*

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

BOX:

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FOLDER:

542

DESCRIPTION:

Engelhardt, Maria Margaret

DATE:

09/14/81



542

Witnesses:

Daniel Mann:

Pl 1  
Friday

Day of Trial,  
Counsel, *Porter*

Filed *14* day of *Sept* 1881

Pleads *Not guilty (1st)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Felonious Assault and Battery.*

*Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

*By J. H. Smith*

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. J. Huppert* Foreman.

*Sept 16. 1881*

*Found Not Guilty*

*on second trial*

*Pen 5 years. exp 19/7/8*

The People  
 vs.  
 Maria M. Engelhardt { Court of General Sessions, Part I  
 Before Judge Cowing. Sept. 16. 1881  
 Indictment for felonious assault and battery.  
 Daniel Mann, sworn. I live No 20 First avenue,  
 I know Mr. Shalek; he is in the tobacco business  
 next door to where I live. I have complained that  
 the prisoner cut me; the mark on my hand  
 was made by the prisoner; it was last Tuesday four  
 weeks, the 16<sup>th</sup> of August. I drive a horse, my  
 horse was lame, I had to bathe my horse's leg. That  
 was about 7 1/2 or a quarter to eight in the evening.  
 The stable where my horse was is across  
 the street. I ran over with a bucket of hot  
 water to bathe the horse. About 15 minutes after  
 my wife wanted to go over to see how the  
 horse was getting along. Then she went down  
 the stoop this prisoner threw her against a  
 tree. Mr. Shalek came over and said my  
 wife was sick. I saw my wife a couple of  
 minutes before. I did not know what happened  
 to her so quick. I ran over; they told me  
 she was thrown against a tree and she  
 fainted away. My wife is not in Court today  
 she does not feel well; Mr. Shalek told me  
 she was sitting in an arm chair; she  
 did not hardly know me; about half an  
 hour after this the prisoner made a disturb-  
 ance in the street right next to the store

with a groceryman. She passed right to our house again. Then she came I asked her why did she throw my wife against the tree. I had not the word out when she took the knife out of her sleeve, I suppose, and wanted to stab me in here; (pointing to the heart) she says, "I Kill everybody. I had not seen her before; she ran across the street; it took about 20 minutes to take the knife away from her. She says, "I Kill every one who comes near me." Of course I went to the station house, ~~in~~ the ambulance came and the doctor wanted to take me along. I did not do it, I got my own doctor and he attended me every day for nineteen days. I guess the prisoner had liquor in her. Then I asked the prisoner why she threw my wife against the tree, she did not say a word but took the knife out. I lifted my arm when I saw the knife and she cut me right down. Then she ran across the street. There was about two hundred people came; it took two men to get the knife out of her hand. Cross Examined. I never saw the woman before in my life, no ill feeling between her and me or no trouble between my wife and her. Then they tried to take the knife away from her she said she wanted to Kill everybody.

When she went to the station house she said she had been married but was not living with her husband; she said she thought I was a dentist and that her husband sent me to trouble her. I am not a dentist.

Marcus Schalek sworn. I live in the same house with Mr. Mann. I stood in front of my store with my wife, two or three doors from where I live. I saw the wife of the complainant come out of the house and the prisoner grabbed her and threw her against a tree. I said to my wife, "somebody knocked Mrs. Mann down." There was a man passing by; he lifted her up. She fainted. I took her in the store with my wife, and we washed her off with water. I said to the prisoner, "what has that woman done to you?" She jumped up against me; I ran off. They all laughed because I ran off. I called Mr. Mann at the stable and told him he must come over, that his wife was sick. He came over and they sat a little while in the store. I closed up. The prisoner went about a block from there and there was a whole crowd round her. About 10 minutes after the prisoner came back again and my wife halloed, "Here is that woman. Mr. Mann went down and said to her, 'what did you lick my wife

for? It did not last a second, I looked at my wife, he halloed, "I am stabbed." The blood came out; we ran after her, and lots of boys came right away; we halloed that she got the knife in her pocket. I ran over to the station house, it is only a few blocks, I got a policeman and he took her from the boys. Maria M. Engelhardt sworn and examined in her own behalf. On Tuesday the 16<sup>th</sup> of August I came home from the shop and was going to my supper. Then I passed First St. there was a crowd of young men and they were looking at me and a couple of boys stood in my way that I could not advance. Then I went to Mr. Aberhardt's in Houston St. to get my supper. I was then going home to work and when I came to the spot where the crowd was the complainant talked to me and detained me. I said, "Let me go my way;" he got hold of my dress and pushed me against the ground and I ran away to the lamp post. A couple of young fellows caught me and gave me a licking and they took me to the station house. Cross Examined. I am a cigar maker at 35 Bowery. I had one drink of bourbon this day, (so much (showing by a glass of water) I paid 5 cents for it. I was not drunk, the boys plagued me in the street.

Officer John Wagan testified he was in the station house when Mr. Mann came in and said he was stabbed by a woman. Witness went into Third St. and got her; two young men had hold of her and had taken the knife from her; she had been drinking; she told me she had a few glasses of schnapps at a distillery.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of an assault with intent to do bodily harm.

Testimony in the case  
Maria M. Engelhardt  
filed Sept. 1887.

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, { ss.

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

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—

*Maria Margareh Englehardt*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

*Thirty nine years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

*Germany*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

*86 Fush Avenue*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

*Segar maker*

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

Answer.—

*I have nothing to say*

*M. M. Engelhardt.*

Taken before me, this

day of

1887

Police Justice.

*Wm. J. Jones*

## Police Court—Third District.

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

of No.

20 Fish Avenue

on

Tuesday the

16

day of

August

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

in the year 1881 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Maria Margaret Englehardt (now here)  
 who cut and stabbed deponent  
 on the left arm with a knife  
 then and then held in the  
 hand of said Maria Margaret.  
 Deponent charges that said  
 Maria Margaret cut and stabbed  
 him

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended and  
 bound to answer for the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this

of

August 17

1881

day }

Daniel Mann

Manly

Police Justice.

Police Court—Third District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*David Mann*  
20 First Ave

*Margaret Englehardt*

Dated *August 17* 188*1*

*Power* Magistrate.

*Hagan* Officer.

WITNESS:

*Charlie*

*Wm. Lawrence*

*Law*



*Wm. Lawrence*

FELONIOUS.  
David A. & B.

# Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

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

*Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another with a deadly weapon with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said

*Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

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

*Sixteenth* day of *August*

one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of

in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and

with a certain

which the said

*him the said Daniel Mann*  
*Knife*

*Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent

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

## SECOND COUNT.

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

*Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

of the CRIME OF "Assault upon another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with a sharp, dangerous weapon, with intent to do bodily harm," committed as follows:

The said

*Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said

then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and

with a certain

*him the said Daniel Mann*  
*Knife* which the said *Maria Margaret Engelhardt*

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

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

THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Maria Margaret Engelhardt* of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another by such means and force as was likely to produce death with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said *Maria Margaret Engelhardt* afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~ with force and arms, in and upon the body of *the said Daniel Mann* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make another assault and *him* the said *Daniel Mann* with a certain *Knife* which the said *Maria Margaret Engelhardt* in *her* right hand then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death of *him* the said *Daniel Mann* with intent *him* the said *Daniel Mann* then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Maria Margaret Engelhardt* of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another, with a deadly weapon, with intent to maim," committed as follows:

The said *Maria Margaret Engelhardt* afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~ with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Daniel Mann* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make another assault and the said *Daniel Mann* with a certain *Knife* which the said *Maria Margaret Engelhardt* in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent then and there wilfully and feloniously to maim *him* the said *Daniel Mann* against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

BOX:

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FOLDER:

542

DESCRIPTION:

Eull, George

DATE:

09/19/81



542

Witness:  
Jesse R. Hapner

Filed 19 day of Sept 1881  
Plead *Obsequity*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Aug. 10th. J. Hapner*  
*Aug. Dec. 10th. J. Hapner*

*George Ball.*  
*(Exchance)*

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

*W. C. Hapner* Foreman.  
*Sept 29. 1881.*  
*Pleaded R. J. G.*  
*S. P. 5 years.*

Police Court—Second District.

City and County } ss:  
of New York.

Percy R Pyne  
of No. 52 Wall Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. at Riverdale  
Street, 24th Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house,  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house  
were **BURGLARIOUSLY** broken

and entered by means of forcing open and breaking a  
sash and blinds of a window on <sup>the 2nd story</sup> of the South  
side of said house and entering the same with  
the intent to commit a crime ~~as~~  
on the night of the 3d day of May 1881.

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

a quantity of wearing apparel male  
and female consisting of coats vests ladies  
dresses and stockings in all of the value  
of one hundred and fifty dollars

the property of Depnent and his son Percy R Pyne  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen  
and carried away by George Euel (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: Depnent is informed by  
Officer Henry of the Central Office Police  
Station that he arrested said Euel having  
at the time on his foot one of Depnent's stockings  
which he has seen and identified as  
his property and which was in the house  
of Depnent on the 3d day of May 1881.  
at this time the burglary was committed.

Percy R Pyne

Sworn to before me this 9th day  
of September 1881  
John J. Smith  
Police Justice

City and County of New York ss-

Thomas Hickey of the Central Office of Police being duly sworn says that on the 6th day of September 1881 he arrested George Cull (now here) having in his possession a stocking and wearing it on his foot the said stocking having been shown to Percy R Pyne and identified by him as his property and which had been stolen from him at his dwelling at Riverdale in the 24th Ward of the City of New York

Thomas Hickey

Sworn to before me  
this 9th day of Sept 1881

Solomon R. Smith

Police Justice

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

*George Eull* 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 Eull*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty five years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *I have no residence at present*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Cigar 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*  
*George Eull*

Taken before me, this

day of

*9*  
*Sept* 188*8*

*John R. Smith*  
Police Justice.

Sept 10. 11 am.

Sec. 308, 309, 210 & 212.

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Police Court - 2<sup>d</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 *Oliver R. Jones*  
2 *554 Wall St*  
3 *George East*

4  
Offence, *Burglary*  
*Just before*

Dated

*Sept 9*

1881

*Smith*

Magistrate.

*Stebbins*

Officer.

*60*

Clerk.

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

BAILED,

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Street, \_\_\_\_\_



*Smith*

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 <sup>*held to answer the same and be*</sup> be admitted to bail in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Hundred Dollars \_\_\_\_\_ and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Sept 10. 11 am.

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

\$64  
Police Court-- 2<sup>d</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Derey R. Pym*  
*52 Wall St*  
*George Euell*  
1  
2  
3  
4  
Offence, *burglary*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *Sept 9* 188*1*  
*Smith* Magistrate.  
*Hickey* Officer. *60*  
Clerk.

Witnesses . \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_



*Carroll*

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 *held to answer the same and he* be admitted to bail in the sum of *Hundred Dollars* and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

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

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

# Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*George Eull*

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

of the CRIME OF

committed as follows:

The said

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

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

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of~~ *by means of* *forcibly breaking open an outer window of said dwelling house.* whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one *Percy R. Payne*

*George Eull* within the said dwelling-house, he, the said

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of *Percy R. Payne*

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

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

of the CRIME OF

committed as follows:

The said

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, about the hour of *twelve* o'clock in the *night* time of said day, the said

*Two vests of the value of ten dollars each.*  
*Two shirts of the value of twenty-five dollars each.*  
*Two undershirts of the value of twenty-five dollars each.*  
*Two waists of the value of ten dollars each.*  
*Twenty stockings of the value of fifty cents each.*  
of the goods, chattels, and personal property of *Percy R. Payne*

*Percy R. Payne* in the said dwelling house of one

*Percy R. Payne* then and there being found in 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.

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

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

The said

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

*Two vests of the value of ten dollars each  
Two skirts of the value of twenty five dollars each  
Two overskirts of the value of twenty five dollars each  
Two waists of the value of ten dollars each  
Twenty stockings of the value of fifty Cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

*Percy R. Payne*  
unlawfully, unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said

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

**DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.**

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Eull, George

DATE:

09/21/81



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Counsel,

Filed *21* day of *Sept.* 188*1*

Pleads *Guilty (29)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*George E. Lee*  
*(2 cases)*  
BURGLARY—First Degree, and  
Grand Larceny.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill, *5 to 15 years.*

*W. H. Lyden* Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

City & Co. of New York, for  
Percy R. Pyne of  
Riverside (whose city  
address is No. 52 Wall  
St.) being duly sworn  
oaths: That he has  
reason to believe and  
does believe that on  
the night - time of the  
8<sup>th</sup> June 1887, at about  
4 o'clock a.m., his  
dwelling-house was  
broken and entered  
by means of breaking  
outer shutters and  
inner shutters of a  
window thereof, by  
one George Eull, (not  
in custody upon a  
similar charge) de-  
fendant being at the  
time in said dwell-  
ing house, and cer-  
tain property, to wit,  
2 prs. Eyeglasses of the  
value of \$28.00  
1 pr. Spectacles of the  
value of \$15.00