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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Baker, Wm. H.

DATE:

12/22/86



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May 17/87
Counsel,
Filed, 22 day of Dec 1886
Pleads, *Not guilty*

MISDEMEANOR.
[Chap. 188, Laws of 1885, § 2, as amended by
Chap. 677, Laws of 1886, § 2 and § 430, Penal
Code; Chap. 238, Laws of 1882, § 3;
Ibid., § 1; and Chap. 215, Ibid., § 3.]
THE PEOPLE
vs.
B
Wm. H. Baker

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.
Part III April 21/87.
Bail forfeited

A True Bill.
Part III May 13/87.
S. W. P. on order
Guilty
Suspended
Foreman.
May 11/87

Witnesses:
J. R. Wheeler
R. W. Moore

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RUSSELL W. MOORE, A. M. M. Sc.
CHEMIST.

New York, September 27 1886

CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS.

SAMPLE OF BUTTER.

Marked, 775 F No 774 Eighth Ave Sept 13 1886 Ad Clark for Wheeler
Received from Mr B F Van Valkenburg per J. R. Wheeler
on Tuesday Sept 14th 1886.

THE SAMPLE CONTAINS:

WATER,	7.99%
ANIMAL AND BUTTER FAT,	88.47%
CURD,	1.08%
SALT,	2.46%
	100.00

ANALYSIS OF THE FAT:

INSOLUBLE FATTY ACIDS,	94.28%
SOLUBLE " "	6.0%
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF THE FAT	
AT 100° F.,	
REICHERT FIGURE. C. C. $\frac{8}{10}$ Na OH.	1.18

This sample is composed mainly of animal fat, and was not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same. It was not produced from milk or cream alone. It contains coloring matter, whereby it is made to resemble butter, the product of the dairy; and it is in imitation and semblance of butter, produced from pure unadulterated milk or cream from the same.

Respectfully yours,

Russell W Moore

Mr. B F Van Valkenburg
Asst Dairy Comr

State of New York
City and County of New York

SS.

On the 24th day of September in the year
one thousand eight hundred and eighty six
Russell W. Moore to me known, and known to me to be the individual
described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and
acknowledged that he executed the same.

Chas H. Dwyer
Notary Public
in N.Y. Co.

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No. 7758

Sept. 27/86

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STATE OF NEW YORK,
City and County of New York. } ss:

Isidiah R. Wheeler of No. 350 Washington Street,
being duly sworn, says: That he resides at No. 100 East 22d
Street, in the City of New York, County and State of New York, is Sixty two (62)
years of age, and an expert appointed by HON. JOSIAH K. BROWN, the New York Dairy Com-
missioner; That at the times hereinafter mentioned one William H. Baker
~~was the proprietor of a meat market and~~ ^{was a Retail Grocery Dealer}, and had his ^{meat market and butter} Grocery Store
in a room in No. 774 Eighth Avenue Street, in the said City of New
York, and occupied and controlled such room; That on the thirtieth
day of September, 1886, deponent went into said William
H. Baker's meat and store and such room so occupied and controlled by
him, and said to said William H. Baker that he wanted to
buy some butter; That the said William H. Baker in
response thereto then and there sold and delivered to deponent one (1)
pound of the manufactured substance hereinafter mentioned, for which he asked and deponent
then and there paid him twenty five (25) cents per pound; That it was so sold
and delivered to deponent by said William H. Baker
~~and for Butter, the product of the dairy;~~ ^{as} That thereafter and on the fourth (14)
day of September, 1886, deponent delivered a portion of such substance so sold to
him by said William H. Baker to Russell H.
More, a Chemist of No. School of Mines. 49th
Street in said City of New York, and caused the same to be analyzed by such Chemist; That
the certificate thereof made by such Chemist is hereto annexed; That such substance so sold
and delivered to deponent by said William H. Baker
was not Butter, the product of the dairy, and was not made from unadulterated milk or cream;
That it was a manufactured oleaginous substance not produced from milk or cream, and had been
made by mixing, compounding with and adding to natural milk, cream or Butter, some animal
fats or animal or vegetable oils; Not produced from milk or cream, so as to produce an article,
substance and human food in imitation and semblance of natural Butter; That the said substance
had been and was colored with some coloring matter whereby said substance was made to and did
resemble Butter the product of the dairy, and was so colored thereby in semblance of and to re-
semble natural Butter; That on said thirtieth day of
September, 1886, deponent in said
~~store and room occupied and controlled by him saw a quantity of such manufactured substance~~
~~offered for sale as and for Butter made from unadulterated milk or cream, with intent to sell the~~
~~same as and for Butter made from unadulterated milk or cream in the ordinary course of said~~
~~Grocery business.~~

Deponent charges that the said William H. Baker
against the peace and dignity of the people of the State of New York and the statutes in such
case made and provided, unlawfully, wilfully and knowingly so, had such manufactured substance
in his possession with intent to sell the same ~~as and for Butter made from unadulterated milk or~~
~~cream~~, and so offered the same for sale with such intent, and so sold the said portion thereof to
this deponent, ~~as and for Butter the product of the dairy~~, and caused, procured, and suffered the
same to be so offered for sale and sold, and was thereby guilty of a misdemeanor.

Sworn to before me this 8th
day of Dec 1886.

Isidiah R. Wheeler
G. H. H. H. H.

Justice.

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Police Court
Court of Second District

County of Norfolk

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.

William H. Parker

Affiant:

Geordiah R. Whelan
358 Washington St.

Witnesses:

Archibald D. Clark

Residence 358 Washington St.
Maurice H. Warr

Residence School of Mines
49 St & 4th Ave.

Residence

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William H. Baker

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty-eight years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

774-8 Ave. Two years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Butcher

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 and demand a trial by jury
W. H. Baker

Taken before me this

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day of *November*

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County
OF NEW YORK, } of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by Jedediah R. Wheeler

of No. 110 E. 22nd Street, that on the 13th day of September

1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at premises no 774
5th Avenue. William H. Baker did unlawfully
sell defendant one pound of oleomargarine
in violation of Chapter 577 Laws of
1886.

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to
answer the said complaint.

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant, and bring
forthwith before me, at the 2 District Police Court, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 8 day of Dec 1886
J. H. Campbell POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jedediah R. Wheeler

William H. Baker

Warrant-General.

Dated December 8, 1886

J. Young Street Magistrate.

J. H. Campbell Officer.

The Defendant William H. Baker
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

J. H. Campbell Officer.

Dated December 10 1886

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 2:15 P.M. Dec. 10.

Naive of Ch. 13

Age, 32

Sex, Male

Complexion, _____

Color, White

Profession, Cook

Married, Yes

Single, _____

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

724. 8 Avenue

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BAILED,
No. 1, by Wm. H. Campbell
Residence 442 West 67 Street
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street

Police Court 21890 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William H. Campbell

vs.

William H. Campbell

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence Adulteration of Food

Dated September 10 1886

Wm. H. Campbell Magistrate.

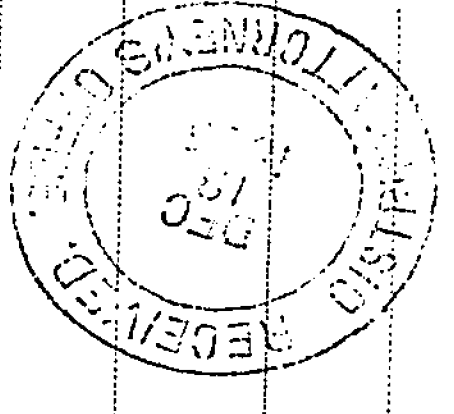
William H. Campbell Officer.

Wm. H. Campbell Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.



No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

Wm. H. Campbell District.

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

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

Dated Dec 11 1886 J. H. H. H. H. Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 11 1886 J. H. H. H. H. 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 _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

my General Sessions
People
agst-
William H. Baker

City and County of New York

William H.

Baker being duly sworn says I am the
defendant above named. I am the
father, maintainer and support of my
wife and ten children. I have no
dollar in the world, the children
ages vary from 18 years to six months.
I do not know that I am guilty of the
charge whereof I stand convicted, except
from the verdict of the jury. I have
made every effort among my friends
to raise the fine imposed upon me
and have failed to raise a dollar
thereof. I am at work as a clerk
earning \$10 per week, it barely serves
to keep the family in the necessities
of life. I humbly submit these facts
to this honorable court.

Sworn to before me W. H. Baker
this 8th day of June 1873

Andrew T. Quirkle
(Notary Public (33))
N.Y.C.

City and County of New York ss.

Eliza Baker

being duly sworn deposes and says.

I am the wife of William M. Baker
and the mother of his children ten
in number ranging in age from
six months to fifteen years of age
I reside with my husband at no
538 West 55th Street, where I have
four rooms at two dollars and a
half per month, I know that my
husband is absolutely penniless
and I humbly beg and pray of
the Honorable Court having the matter
in charge that my husband's sins be
remitted, and he set free to the end
that we do not starve.

Sworn to before me.

this 13th day of May 1887.

Eliza Baker

Jerry Bischoff
Notary Public
N.Y. Co (72)

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Records of Geo. J. Rogers
of the Peace.

The People's

William H. Baker.

P. B. Ketchum
atty for P. B. Ketchum
280 Broadway

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OFFICE OF
B. F. VAN VALKENBURGH,
ASSISTANT NEW YORK STATE DAIRY COMMISSIONER,
288 GREENWICH STREET.

New York, May 21 "1887

Charles Sears State Expert being
duly sworn deposes and says
that on the day of the trial of
Wm H Baker and after he was found
guilty said Baker told deponent that
it made no difference to him Baker
as he was backed up

Charles Sears

Sworn to before me
this 21st day of May 1887

Wm H Baker
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

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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

William H. Baker

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

- William H. Baker -

(6430,
Penal Code) of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *William H. Baker,*

on the 13th day of September in the year 1884,
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at
the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold, to one

Jedediah A. Wheeler,
as an article of food, *one pound* of a certain substance in imitation of a certain article
of food, to wit: butter, without disclosing such imitation by a suitable and plainly visible mark or
brand; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and
dignity of the said people.

Second

FIFTH COUNT: (Chap. 238, Laws of 1882, § 3.)

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

- William H. Baker -

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *William H. Baker,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at
the City and County aforesaid, a certain parcel containing *one pound*
of a certain article and substance in semblance of butter, not the legitimate product of the dairy,

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and not made exclusively of milk or cream, but into which divers oils and fats not produced from milk or cream, entered as component parts (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), the same being then and there an article and substance required by law, in case of retail sales in parcels, to be sold from a tub, firkin, box or package, distinctly and durably stamped, branded or marked upon the top and side with the words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, where it could be plainly seen, in Roman letters, burned in or painted thereon with permanent black paint, in a straight line, and not less than one-half inch in length, and wherewith the seller was then and there required by law in such case, to deliver to the purchaser thereof, a printed label, bearing the plainly printed words "Oleomargarine Butter" only, in Roman letters not less than one-half inch in length, in a straight line, unlawfully did then and there sell and cause and procure to be sold at retail, to one

Federick A. W. Meader,
from a certain *tub and box* which was not then and there stamped, branded or marked as aforesaid, and unlawfully did not then and there deliver therewith to the said

Federick A. W. Meader,
such purchaser as aforesaid, a label of the kind and description aforesaid, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

Sixth
SIXTH COUNT: (Chap. 215, Laws 1892, § 2.)

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

- William H. Baker -

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *William H. Baker,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Federick A. W. Meader, one pound
of a certain article and substance in semblance of natural butter, and known as oleomargarine or imitation butter, the same not being the legitimate product of the dairy, and not being made exclusively from milk or cream, or both, with salt or rennet, or both, with or without coloring matter or sage, but into which divers oils, and animal and other fats, not produced from milk or cream, had been introduced (a more particular description of which said article and substance is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

Seventh
SEVENTH COUNT: (Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, § 7, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1896, § 2.)

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

- William H. Baker -

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *William H. Baker,*

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

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at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell and cause and procure to be sold to one

Jedediah A. Wheeler, one pound
of a certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of natural butter produced from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same, the said article, substance and compound, so sold as aforesaid, being rendered, manufactured and produced out of divers animal fats and oils not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same, the said article substance and compound not having been manufactured prior to, and not being in process of manufacture, on the first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six, (a more particular description of which said article, substance and compound, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

13th
EIGHTH COUNT: (Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, § 8, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1886, § 3.)

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

William M. Baker
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *William M. Baker*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *13th* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nix*, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold, to one *Jedediah A. Wheeler, one pound* of a certain compound product and manufacture made in whole from animal fats and animal and vegetable oils, not produced from unadulterated milk or cream, which said compound product and manufacture had been before then, and was then and there colored with coloring matter, whereby the same did then and there resemble butter, the product of the dairy (a more particular description of which said compound, product and manufacture, and of the fats and oils from which the same was so made as aforesaid, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

3rd
NINTH COUNT: (Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, § 8, as amended by Chap. 577, Laws of 1886, § 3.)

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

William M. Baker
of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *William M. Baker*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully sell, and cause and procure to be sold to one

Jedediah A. Wheeler, one pound

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DESCRIPTION:

Barber, Joseph H.

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Stella Carroll

John J. Sullivan

It appearing by the within affidavits
that it is impossible to secure the at-
tendance of *Stella Carroll*
material and necessary witnesses for
the People and without whose evidence
a conviction cannot be had. There-
fore respectfully recommending that the

defendant herein *Joseph H. Barber*
be
discharged on his own recognizance.

N. Y. March 1887

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney

Counsel,

Filed

1886

Pleads

Chiquilly (7)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph H. Barber

March 15/87

Discharged under

recognizance

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Feb 21 District Attorney.

A True Bill.

S. M. Bonstetter

Foreman

Dec 23

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RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS

[Section 550, Penal Code].

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PART I.

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To Stella Carroll
of No. 16 West 3 Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you appear in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the 10 day of March instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of March, in the year of our Lord 188 7.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 9th day of March 188 7, I called at 16 West 3rd St.

the alleged Residence of Stella Carroll
the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the

lady of the house, that she had moved to 42 Great Jones St. I went there & the house keeper told me she had lived there for about a week & then moved she don't know where.

Sworn to before me, this

10 day of March 188 7
Rudolph L. Schauf

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

John H. Reilly
Subpoena Server.

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Barber.

County of New York, ss.:

and says: I reside at No.

John W. Reilly
3 Bank

being duly

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 9th day of March 1887, I called at 16 West 3rd St.

the alleged

Residence of Stella Carroll

the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

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lady of the house, that she had moved to 42 Great Jones St. I went there & the house keeper told me she had lived there for about a week & then moved she don't know where.

Sworn to before me, this

day

of

March 10 1887
Rudolph L. Schauf

John W. Reilly
Subpoena Server.

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

being duly sworn, deposes and says he

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon

on the day of

1887, by

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Count of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Eustace Herzog

vs.

Joseph H. Barber

Offense: *Recovering stolen goods*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

John W. Reilly
Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

Occupation Fur-manufacturing Justice Maria Lee 28. 1880

of No. 212 Mercer

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the

day of

1880

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

Joseph A. Barber (was seen)

And receive and have in his possession a quantity
of fur goods, consisting of one light beaver mink,
two beaver collars, six yards of single beaver trimming,
and two beaver collars, which goods had been
stolen from defendant's place of business at the above
address by one Thomas Jackson who was in defendant's
employ as an errand-boy, the said Joseph A. Barber
well knowing the same to have been stolen, and
did dispose of a portion of the same, as defendant is
informed, and for the following reasons:

That defendant is informed by Officer John L. Sullivan
of the 15th Precinct Police, that about the year 1880
on the 29th day of November 1880, he arrested the
said Thomas Jackson in the apartment of the said
Joseph A. Barber on the second floor front of No
212 Mercer and then found in said apartment
the above described light beaver mink, one beaver
collar, and six yards of beaver fur trimming and
one beaver collar in the pocket of the coat then and
then worn by the said Joseph A. Barber. That the
said Joseph A. Barber defendant said to the said
Thomas Jackson at the time of his arrest and in the
presence and hearing of said Officer John L. Sullivan
"tell the officer the truth, that you took these things,
and that will end it."

That defendant has been further informed by Rodie
Williams of No 47 Bait Street, that on the 25 day of
November 1880, the defendant Joseph A. Barber and
Thomas Jackson came to her residence with two beaver
collars and some samples of fur, that the said

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of 1847 and that to whom she saved the dollars
bought one of said dollars and gave her the sum of one
dollar for it, which she paid to the said Thomas Jackson,
and that the other dollar she kept and promised to
pay said Thomas Jackson therefor, but had returned
the same to him.

That defendant is still further informed by a letter dated
of 15th 16th West-8th Street, that on or about the 23rd day
of November 1846. the said defendant probably
porter at Pleasant-Garden No 45th Bayou,
was informed that he had a fur collar (he
wished to sell, that he turned on top a beaver fur
collar out of his pocket; which she purchased and
paid him the sum of one dollar and fifty cents
therefor.

Defendant, who says that he has seen all of the
above described property, and in the possession and
disposal of by the defendant and fully identifies
each and all of the same as property, feloniously
taken, stolen and carried away from the place,
possession of defendant, and that, on charges the said
James A. Slater with receiving the same with knowing
it to be stolen and swears that he may be dealt
with according to law.

James A. Slater

This 30 day of November 1846.

Justice King

James A. Slater
The within named Thomas Jackson has been held to answer
for the larceny of a portion of the above described
property.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Dated

Witness

Disposition

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 18 years, occupation Engineer of No.

47 Ward Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William D. Jones
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 30

day of November 1888

J. H. Thompson

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 20 years, occupation Student of No.

10 West 3rd Street, being duly sworn deposes, and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William H. H. H.
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

1880

Stella Carroll

John S. Sullivan

Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 27 years, occupation Student of No.

10 West 3rd Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William H. H. H.
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

1880

John S. Sullivan

John S. Sullivan

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

District Police Court.

Joseph A. Barber 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.

Taken before me this

day of

1886

Police Justice.

Joseph A. Barber

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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 _____

1780
Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 William J. Price
2 J. J. Price
3
4
Offence *Receiving stolen goods*

Dated *September 20* 188*6*

Joseph L. Price Magistrate.
No. *157* Precinct.
Witnesses *John J. Williams*
No. *157* Street.
No. *157* Street.
No. *157* Street.

John J. Williams
No. *157* Street.
No. *157* Street.
No. *157* Street.
No. *157* 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 _____

Joseph L. Price
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 *Sept 21* 188*6* *J. Kennedy Ford* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions

The People etc

vs

Joseph H Barber

To. Randolph B Martine Esq
District Atty City & County of New York

Dear Sir--

Please take notice that we shall move on Monday the 14th inst or 11 o'clock in the forenoon thereof or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard by us. How Henry A. Litchfield in Part I of the General Sessions for the discharge of Joseph H Barber for want of presentation

Yours etc

Blatt & Sullivan
Counsel for def^t
73 Centre St
N. Y. City

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0 187

Court of General Session

People et al

vs
Joseph H. Barber

Verdict of jury
for defendant

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0 188

PART I.

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

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To Stella Carroll

of No. 16 W. 3 Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you appear in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the 4 day of March instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of March, in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the 10 Precinct,

in the City of New York. On the 4 day of March 1887

I called at No 16 - West 3 Street

the alleged residence of Stella Carroll

the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the landlord that the said Stella left there about one month ago and has not returned, that he does not know where she now resides or where she can be found and has not heard of her since she left.

Sworn to before me, this 4 day

of March, 1887
Rudolph L. Schaff

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

John J. Sullivan

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph H. Barber

and County of New York, ss.:

John S. Sullivan

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the ¹⁵ Precinct,

in the City of New York. On the ⁴ day of *March* 1887

I called at *No 16 - West 3 Street*

the alleged *residence* of *Stella Carroll*

the complainant herein, to serve *her* with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by *the* landlord *that the said Stella left there about one month ago and has not returned, that he does not know where she now resides or where she can be found and has not heard of her since she left.*

Sworn to before me, this ⁴ day

of March, 1887
Rudolph L. Schaff

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

John S. Sullivan

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

being duly sworn, deposes and says he

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0190

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

vs.
Joseph H. Barker
Offense:

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of Police Officer

John D. Sullivan
15 Precinct.

Failure to Find Witness.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

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[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To

of No.

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you appear in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the 10 day of March instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of March, in the year of our Lord 1887.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 9th day of March 1887, I called at 47 Bond St.

the alleged Residence of Berdie Williams the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the

house keeper, that she moved from there about three weeks ago, but she does not know where.

Sworn to before me, this

day

of

March 1887

Randolph L. Schauf

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

John W. Reilly
Subpoena Server.

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Barber

County of New York, ss.:

and says: I reside at No.

John W. Reilly
3 Bank St.

being duly

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 9th day of March 1887, I called at 47 Bond St.

the alleged Residence of Berdie Williams the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the

house keeper, that she moved from there about three weeks ago, but she does not know where.

Sworn to before me, this

of March 1887

day

Rudolph L. Schauf

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

John W. Reilly
Subpoena Server.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0 193

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Gustav Herzog

vs.

Joseph H. Barber

Offense: *Receiving stolen goods*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

John W. Peilly

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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PART I.

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

SUBPŒNA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Berdie Williams*

of No. *47 Bond* Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the *4* day of *March* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City-Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *March*, in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the *10* Precinct,

in the City of New York. On the *4* day of *March* 1887,

I called at *No. 47 Bond Street*

the alleged *residence* of *Berdie Williams*

the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by *she* landlady *that the said Berdie has left there some time ago and moved to somewhere on 13th Street but she does not know if East or West nor the number of the house*

Sworn to before me, this *4* day

of *March*, 1887

Rudolph L. Schauf *John S. Sullivan*

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph H. Barber

County of New York, ss.:

John S. Sullivan being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the 15th Precinct,
in the City of New York. On the 4 day of March 1887,
I called at No. 47 Bond Street

the alleged residence of Berdie Williams

the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the
landlady that the said Berdie has
left there some time ago and
moved to somewhere on 13th Street
but she does not know if East
or West nor the number of the
house

Sworn to before me, this 4 day

of March, 1887
Rudolph L. Schaff

John S. Sullivan

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS,
N. Y. CITY & COUNTY.

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

being duly sworn, deposes and says he
Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

vs. *Joseph H. Barber*

Offense

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of Police Officer

John P. Sullivan

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Precinct.

Failure to Find Witness.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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District Attorney's Office.

Part One

PEOPLE

vs.

Joe H. Barber

*Affidavit
Wanted*

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0198

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph M. Barber

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

Joseph M. Barber

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

The said

Joseph M. Barber

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on
the *24th* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-*six*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*Two beaver collars of the value
of six dollars each, one beaver
muff of the value of eight
dollars, and six yards of
beaver trimmings of the value
of four dollars each yard,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Augustus Henry
my one Thomas Jackson, and

by certain other persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately
before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Augustus Henry

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

Joseph M. Barber

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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Baumberg, Alfred

DATE:

12/17/86



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0200

Henry Ho Lerner

Filed, 17 day of Dec 1886

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

U.S.

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Alfred Bamberg

11/10/2010

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 628, 68 + Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

S. M. Conisbee

Foreman,

Dec 20/76

Yours Truly

State Refractory.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0201

Police Court

District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County
of New York, ss.

of No. 107 West 26th Street, aged 35 years,
occupation grocer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 4th day of December 1888 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 :

Forty Dollars Gold and
Lawful Money of the United States

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 Alfred Baumberg now

present from the fact that at
said time the aforesaid property was
in an open safe in deponent's place
of business. That the defendant
was in deponent's employment at the
time and by reason of such employment
had access to the safe. That during
the temporary absence of the clerk who
opened the safe the defendant took
therefrom the money in question and left
the store. That no person was in
the store from the time said clerk left the
store until he returned but the defendant
who now admits & acknowledges in Oath that
he took the money from said safe but that
the amount was only thirty six dollars.

Sworn to before me, this

8th day

of December 1888

John W. Sullivan Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0202

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of having taken forty dollars. There was but thirty-six dollars in the safe. I took that amount and bought clothes and other necessities for it.

Alfred Baumberg

Taken before me this

day of December 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0203

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1887
144th St. 26
Alfred Hofener
Grand Juror
Offence

Date December 13 1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

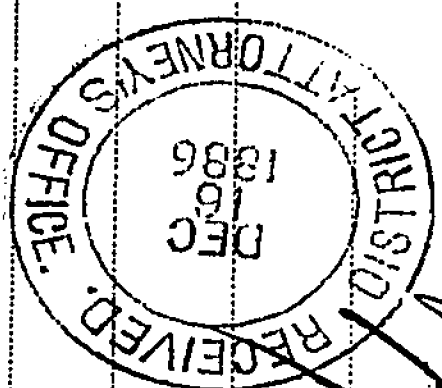
No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

\$ 1000. to answer

Grand Juror



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 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 December 13 1886 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0204

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Alfred Saunders

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

Alfred Saunders

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

The said *Alfred Saunders*

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

the sum of forty dollars in
money, lawful money of
the United States, and of
the value of forty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Henry Stanger,

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.

Randolph Smith

District Attorney.

0205

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Bertola, Giovanni

DATE:

12/24/86



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

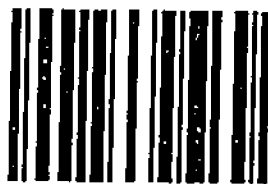
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DESCRIPTION:

Bendennto, Guiseppe

DATE:

12/24/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0207

Apr 1. Has seen
a diamond for sale

Witnesses:

Steffano Belli

Start of the prospecting
we were by Belli

\$160 in gold to Steffano Belli
\$87 " bills to Emil Broche
28# " bills to Andrea di Vito

Counsel, *W. H. Belli*
Filed, 24 day of Dec 1886
Pleads, *Indubitably*

THE PEOPLE
30. *murder* vs. *I*
4 1/2 *cap.*
Guisepe Bendenito
21. *murder* vs. *I*
2 1/2 *honor*
Giovanni Bertola
(2 cases)
A.D.

Grand Larceny second degree
[Sections 528, 58 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Pr Dec 24/86 District Attorney.
Belli plead guilty.

A True Bill.

S. W. Conant
Forman.
Apr 1. 4410 *Mar 1887*
Apr 2. 3. 9. 6 *Mar 1887*

Steffano Bolle, being duly sworn deposes
and says,

I met Giuseppe Berronta first
in my becoming Lucca corner of Houston
and Houston Street, about 1/4 past 12 o'clock
Friday the 16th. I met the other defendant
10 or 15 minutes afterwards. They were
not together before that, I saw Berronta
come in my place several times
and that before that, I saw the other
defendant come before in the sidewalk
there been in this city since last Thursday
and came from California, the
defendant Berronta told me to come
first, he told me to be waiting along
with me to Italy. And after that he took me
out for a drink, then Giovanni Bertoldi
came in. And said he came from California
and that he arrived the same morning
and that he had a brother that died and
left him considerable money, and
he had so much money that he wanted
to give it away for charity. And he passed
out a passage folded in a newspaper
and on the top of which was a ten
dollar bill. And he said I want to make
a present to you and to Giuseppe Berronta
and both the defendants took me to
an Italian bar to have a drink. And Giuseppe
went out. And bought a valise for
the defendants.

money and I carried in the bag and gave the
bag to me to keep for the purpose of
storing some of it, I had \$500 dollars
exactly there were \$25, 30 dollars gold
pieces Giuseppe put my money
in the bag I am sure so put it all
in the bag. this is the bag (showing)
after the money was put in the bag
I was sent out to get some drinks and
the bag remained with the dependants
when I came back Giuseppe told
me that is the bag. Mr. Giovanni kept
the key. Mr. Giuseppe took me out and
told me to go to my boarding house
and in a few minutes when he came
back I kept the bag with
me. Mr. Giovanni kept the key until
I got to the boarding house. I waited
for an hour and a half for them, but
they did not come, I took a knife and
cut the bag open. It appeared it filled
with paper, and a piece of coal. ~~and~~
no body was present until I cut
the bag open, the next time I saw
the dependants was at present ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~place~~ ^{place}
I don't know if Giuseppe was acquainted
with Giovanni before that; the money
was put in a different place from
where I met Giovanni we were in two
rooms before that and in the 3rd place
the money was put in a bag before

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0210

that I want see the record with together.

Sum to before me } Steffan & Co. P.O.
this 21st day of Dec 1886 } miss

P. G. Kuyper
Police Justice

4

James M. Lewis being duly sworn
deposes and says.

I am a detective at Buenos Aires
quarters. Mr Jexesro, Manager has simply
arrested the dependants on December
18th. Friday I searched the dependants
under brought them to Police headquarters.
I took from the dependants, in Buenos
Aires were found 786 dollars.

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three one hundred dollar gold pieces, and a
hundred dollar bill a five dollar bill
and a 10 dollar bill, in the possession
of Bartolo was found 4 50 dollar
gold pieces, a 5 dollar gold piece
and a 10 dollar bill and 2 10 dollar bills
that property is now at public headquarters
and that is all I know about this case

Given to be paid and
the 31st day of December 1886
W. A. B. B.

James M. Agnew

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0212

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny..

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. House of Delia Street, aged 46 years,
occupation labourer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 17th day of December 1888 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 :

Good and lawful money
of the United States consisting
of Gold coins of the denomination of
Twenty dollars each all being of the
number and value of Ten Hundred 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 Giuseppe Benvenuto and
Giuseppe Buetola (both now here)
who were acting in concert for the
reasons following, to wit: on the
above described date the said
Giuseppe brought this deponent to a saloon
and as he knew that deponent was
to return to Italy, told deponent that
he Giuseppe was going also and that
he would accompany him there.
Said Giuseppe came into said
saloon and began to exhibit money
and pretended to find deponent
some of the said money and did
insist on deponent taking some

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0213

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. House of Delation Street, aged 46 years,
occupation laborer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 17th day of December 1888 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 :

Good and lawful money
of the United States Consisting
of Gold coins of the denomination of
Twenty dollars each all being of the
sum and value of Five Hundred 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 Giuseppe Berninette and
Giovanni Buetola (both now here)
who were acting in concert for the
purpose following, to wit: on the
above described date the said
Giuseppe Berninette this deponent to a saloon
and as he knew that deponent was
to return to Italy, told deponent that
the Giuseppe was going also and that
he would secure a party from there.
Said Giovanni came into said
saloon and began to exhibit money
and pretended to find deponent
some of the said money and did
invest on deponent for being some

of the said Money. Dependent upon
the taste any of the Money. Said
Ginsapple may see depression if he
depression had any Money. Dependent
upon yes and or the said Money. Said
the said said Money. Said Ginsapple
then said that he (Ginsapple) also
is in that and attribute some
money among the poor. Said
Said Ginsapple left said said
and return in a good manner with
a small note. Said Ginsapple then
said that will all put my Money
together and all go to that and the
said said. Said depression for
to said Ginsapple the said said
said and said Ginsapple also
said to said Ginsapple he (Ginsapple)
Money. Said Ginsapple then placed
all the Money (the Ginsapple having said
some) in the said said and the
the said said from the key of the said
to said Ginsapple. Said Ginsapple
said to depression a ten dollar bill
and told him to go over to the bar
and order some more money. Said
Ginsapple said to the bar bearing
the said said and in the said said
of said said with the said said
in their possession. Dependent
upon said the said said said said
and return to when the said said
said. Said Ginsapple then said that
depression bring the said said
last change of the said the said
said said the said. Dependent left
said said with a note which
he depression said said was the
said said the said said said
said by said Ginsapple. Said
said said a said the said Ginsapple
said depression to go home and said
that would meet in the said.

Departure when he arrived at the
Hotel thought that the same native
was very likely in receipt and culture
from the same source that the
Swiss native contained a parcel of
coal and some waste material.
Therefore argument changes the
same defendant with following
lastly, stating, and passing away
the above and properly.

Sum to report me then
- Day day of December 1946

1900

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

02 14

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

pm
District Police Court.

Giuseppe Benvenuto 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

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.

day of

Taken before me this

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0216

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

Gerardi Buelto 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

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

Taken before me this
day of *Dec* 188*8*

John J. Duffy
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0217

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Dated

188

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Offence

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

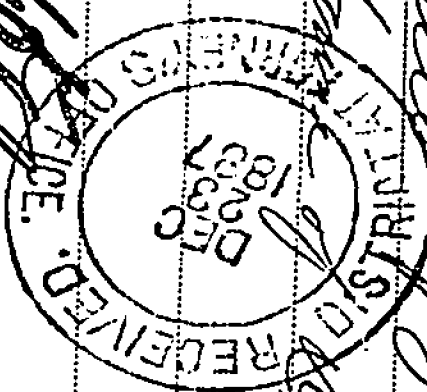
Street.

No.

Street.

\$

TO ANSWER



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

Dated _____ 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 he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0218

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Figueroa Bendante
and
Figueroa Bendante

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

Figueroa Bendante and *Figueroa Bendante*

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

The said *Figueroa Bendante* and
Figueroa Bendante, both —

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

Twenty five gold coins of the
United States of America, of
the kind called double-eagles,
of the value of twenty dollars
each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Stephen Bell,

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.

Donald B. Smith
District Attorney.

State of New York.

City and County of New York ss.

Emil Brocke. of House of
Detention, being duly sworn, says:
I am ~~twenty seven~~ years of age, and
have resided in New York City during
the past three weeks. On the tenth
day of December 1886, Giovanni Bartola
feloniously stole from me the sum
of two hundred and thirty five dollars
in United States Treasury Notes.
No portion of said sum of money
has yet been returned to me.

Emil Brocke

Sworn to before me this
29th day of December 1886

through my hand and seal.

[Signature]
Deputy Clerk of Court

\$235⁷

0220

BOX:

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FOLDER:

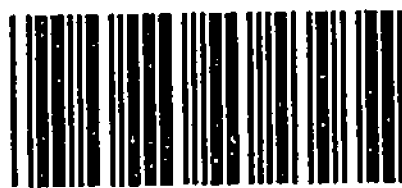
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DESCRIPTION:

Birmingham, John T.

DATE:

12/16/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0221

Witnesses:

Officer Flood

Benjamin
June 19 55

Counsel,
Filed, 16 day of Dec. 1886
Pleads. *Argue July 27*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John S. Birmingham
504 - 30

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1889, Sec. 51.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Per J. J. [Signature]
By [Signature]

A True Bill.

J. W. Leavitt
Dr. Mo. of [Signature]
Intec. Acc. & Bal.
Dec 20
July 27/91
See [Signature]

After consultation with the
District Attorney and in accordance with
instruction received from him
under the following recommendations
this defendant Birmingham was
the subject of the process where
the violation of law charged in the
indictment was committed. He did not
personally do the acts complained of and
has submitted proof to show that he
was absent from the premises at the
time when the acts complained of
were committed and that they were done
in his absence without his knowledge
and against his instruction. He has
long ago given up the business and
has borne a good character for
many years. In view of all these
considerations and the lapse of time
since the indictment was found
it is deemed is respectfully recommended
July 27, 1891 *[Signature]*
being [Signature]

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0222

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK ss.

District Police Court.

John P. Birmingham 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 P. Birmingham

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City.

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

Answer.

166 East 34th Street, 3 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Liquor dealer

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 and demand a trial by jury

John P. Birmingham

Taken before me this

1926

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0223

BAILED,
No. 1, by John L. Buller
Residence 199 East 39 Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court 1863
District 1
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Edmund Black
21 Pres
John J. Birmingham
Offence Violation of the Excise Law
Dated Dec 12 1886
Magistrate, Edw. J. Smith
Officer, 7-1800
Precinct, 11/21
Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
to answer 100 \$
Black

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 J. Birmingham
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of One 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 December 12 1886 Edw. J. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

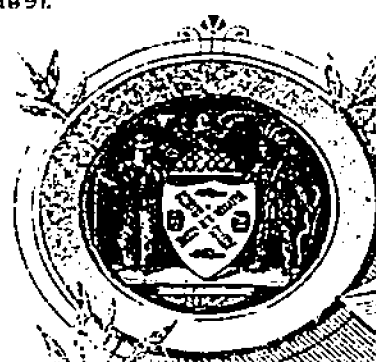
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

NEW COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, County Clerk.

Am Delaney Nicoll.

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0225

Excise Violation-Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 4th DISTRICT,

City and County } ss.
of New York,

Edward Flood
of the 21st Precinct Police Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 12th day
of December 1886 in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

John P. Birmingham (now here)
being then and there in lawful charge of the premises No. 504 Third Avenue
Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of
the statute in such case made and provided.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said John P. Birmingham
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 12th day

of December 1886

Edward Flood

Solomon B. Smith
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0226

TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

Please send me the Papers in the Case of

PEOPLE

vs.

Mumflem-
9 cases

Recommended
for Dismissal
See endorsement -

Henry M. Butler
District Attorney.

To Mr. McHugh

District Attorney's Office,
City & County of
New York.

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The defendant Berenbaum,
was the proprietor of
the premises where the
violation of law ~~was~~
charged and the ~~violation~~
were committed. He ~~was~~
did not personally do the
acts complained of & has
submitted proofs to show
that he was absent from
the premises at the time
when the acts were committed
and that they were done in
his absence without his
knowledge & against his
instructions. He has long
been given up the business

and have been a long
character for many
years. I tried of all
kinds, experiments &
in the hope of time which
what occurred since the
inventions we found
I recommend that they
be made. I am sure
it will be of great
value to the world
and I am sure
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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0229

To him it may Concern
The Prerer Mr John T
Birmingham has been a
Resident around here for
many years & always found
him to be honest and indis-
trous and abeliquing therefor
would recamend him for
any Position of Trust and
capicity

A M Myres
504 Third Ave
City
N Y July 21 1891

State of New York

City and County of New York: ss.

John T. Birmingham

being duly sworn, says that on the 12th day of December 1886, he was one of the proprietors and owner of the Liquor Store known as No 504 - Third Ave in the City of New York. That on said date the bartender one Bernard Murray was arrested for violation of Excise Law, in having the bar exposed, and that deponent was not at or about said store at the time of said violation. Deponent upon information and belief further states that said Bernard Murray was on the point of leaving said store when the arrest was made, he having been previously attending to the furnace in the basement, and that no violation of the Excise Law was committed intentionally, nor did he expose the bar with the intention of disposing of any Liquor, that on the following morning deponent voluntarily appeared in Court, in behalf of said Bernard Murray whereupon Mr Justice Smith dismissed the case against said Bernard Murray and held deponent to Bail.

Deponent further states that if any violation was committed it was so committed without the knowledge or consent of deponent and against his orders, the deponent has retired from the Liquor business about four years.

Given to be for me this

21 day of Decr 1891

John T. Birmingham
James H. Baker
Notary Public.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0231

Mr. Pepler

vs
John W. Demmingham

Applicant of

John W. Demmingham

State of New York

City and County of New York;

John P. Bermingham

being duly sworn says that on the first day of July 1885, he was one of the proprietors and owners of Liquor Store known as No 504-Maid ave in the City of New York. That on said date he requested one William O'Bole to take care of said store and premises for that night as watchman the said O'Bole not being in the employ of deponent as bartender, nor in any other capacity, except as stated and for the time stated, that thereafter and in the month of November 1885, deponent was arrested on a charge of violating the Excise Law on said first of July 1885, and that deponent was not at or about said store at the time of said violation. Deponent further states that if any violation was done or committed by said O'Bole it was so done without the knowledge or consent of deponent but was done and committed in violation of the duty of said O'Bole. Deponent further states that he retired from the business about four years ago.

Sworn to before me

this 21 day July 1891

John P. Bermingham

James M. Mearns

Notary Public
N.Y.C.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0233

The People
re

W
John P. Birmingham

Attendant of
John P. Birmingham

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0234



New York July 20 1891
This is to certify that I have
known John T. Birmingham
for some time in a business
way.

I have found him always meriting
the confidence I have placed
in him

Yours Respectfully
J. Newton Van Ness

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0235

CAVANACH & THOMPSON,

Commission Merchants,

Jobbers of Woodenware, Cordage, Brushes, Brooms, &c. and
Manufacturer's Agents for Earthenware, Glassware, &c.

GOVERNMENT
AND RAILROAD
SUPPLIES.

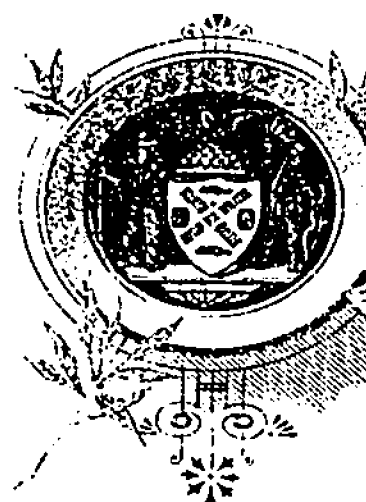
Office, 38 HUDSON STREET,

New York, July 20th 1891

This is to certify that
we have known John
T. Birmingham for several
years, and always found
him upright and honest
& straightforward in all
his dealing & we believe
him worthy of all
confidence
J. Cavanach & Thompson

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0236



COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

NEW COUNTY COURT HOUSE

LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, County Clerk.

New York, July 21 1891.

Hon. Nelson W. Aldrich.

Dear Sir:

Mr. John F. Birmingham.

I have been a deputy collector during a portion of the time that I served as Collector of U.S. Internal Revenue for the 3rd District of New York. and while Mr. Birmingham was serving as such he was always found to be honest, attentive to his duties, polite and discharged his duties with fidelity to the Government. I am

Very truly yours
L. A. Giegerich

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0237

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 S. Birmingham

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment
accuse *John S. Birmingham* —

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND
SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

John S. Birmingham,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty*
day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as
Sunday, being then and there in charge of, and having the control of a certain place there
situate which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors,
wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so
licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said
place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did open, and cause and procure, and suffer and
permit, to be open, and to remain open; against the form of the Statute in such case made and
provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

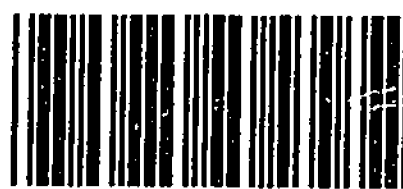
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DESCRIPTION:

Brady, Patrick

DATE:

12/01/86



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Counsel, *Alvahay*
Filed, *1st* day of *Dec* 188*6*
Pleads, *Not Guilty*

Grand Larceny, *first* degree
(FROM THE PERSON)
[Sections 528, 530, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Patrick Brady

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Comptroller and Clerk of Court
June 6/87

A True Bill.

W. J. M. B.
Oct 2 - May 12, 1892
Foreman
on motion of District Attorney
Indictment dismissed

Witnesses:

complainant
can't be found
I have examined
the officer in
this case - He
tells me: do not
behave himself
ever since - in
indictment six years
ago that this
indictment by
dismissed by J. S. B.
May 12 92
W. J. M. B.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County { ss.:
of New York,

of *West 68th Street & Boulevard* Street, aged *28* years,
occupation *Housekeeper* being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the *2* day of *August* 188*6* at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession *and*

Person of deponent, in the *high* time, the following property viz :

*One Pocket Book containing
gold and lawful money of the
United States, value to the
amount and the value of three ⁰⁰/₁₀₀
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 *Patrick Brady (known)*

*from the fact that on or about
the hour of 11:30 P.M. on said date
the said Brady snatched said
property from deponent's right hand
and ran away from deponent
with said property in his possession*

Annie Murphy
Murphy

Sworn to before me, this
day of *August* 188*6*

Wm. J. Burke
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0241

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

Patrick Brady 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

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.

Patrick Brady

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0242

BAILED,
No. 1, by Leet Abel
Residence 103 West 65th Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

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Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Date

188

Offence

Abel Magistrate.
Leet Abel Officer.
26 Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

to answer

Street.

Bailed

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

Leet Abel guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 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 Aug 2 188 Sh. H. H. H. Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0243

PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.

Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

Moved away 3 months ago

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To

of No.

Annie Murphy
West 68th Boulevard

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the *6* day of *January* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *January*, in the year of our Lord 188

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

not found

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0244

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Patricia Brady

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

Patricia Brady

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

The said

Patricia Brady

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

second day of *August*, in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

month time of the same day, with force and arms,

one pocket watch of the value of
fifty cents, one United States Treasury
Note of the denomination and value of
two dollars, one United States Treasury
Note of the denomination and value of
one dollar, one silver coin of the value
of one dollar, three silver coins of the
value of fifty cents each, and divers
other coins, of a number, kind and
denomination to the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, of the value
of three dollars and fifty cents,
of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Annie Murphy*,

on the person of the said *Annie Murphy*, then and there being

found, from the person of the said *Annie Murphy*, then and there

feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made

and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

David J. Smith

District Attorney.

0245

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Brady, Peter

DATE:

12/14/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0246

Witnesses:

Officer Wilson

W. R. K. Kuntz

Counsel,

Filed 14 day of Dec 1836

Pleas, guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Peter Brady

Grand Larceny, second degree
(From the Person)
[Sections 628, 63 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

S. W. Leonard

Foreman.

Glenn O. J.

Per: One year.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0247

Police Court—3 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 107 Madison Street, aged _____ years,
occupation _____ being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8th day of December 1888 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
And person
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

A pocket book containing
sixty six cents lawful money of the
United States

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 Peter Brady now present

from the fact that about five o'clock
A.M. deponent was passing along Grand
Street the pocket book at the time being
in an outside pocket of the coat
then worn by deponent. That the defendant
was seen by Officer Frank Wilson
10th Precinct to approach deponent
from behind, and put his hand
into the pocket containing the pocket
book, and take and abstract the same
from said pocket, and then walk away
as deponent is informed. That the officer further
informs deponent that he followed the defendant
and found the pocket book which deponent identifies
in the defendant's possession & deponent believes
the same to be true.

Mina Bremer

Sworn to before me, this
day of December 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0248

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 40 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

the 10th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Mina Broemer

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

Sworn to before me, this 9th

day of December 1888

Frank Wilson

Sam. Patterson
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0249

Sec. 118-200

B

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of the charge
Peter Brady

Taken before me this

day of *December* 188*8*

John J. Sullivan Police Justice.

0250

Police Court *1860* District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. H. Bennett
1103 Washington St.
Waterbury Conn.

Carrying from
Person

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence _____

Date *December 1860*

Watson Magistrate.

Joseph Wilson Officer.

172 Precinct.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *15.00* to answer *Grand*

Grand

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

Dated September 9 1886 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 he to be discharged.*

Dated 188..... *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,
against

Peter Brady

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

Peter Brady

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

The said

Peter Brady

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

ninth day of *December*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

day time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one pocket watch of the value
of ten cents, one silver coin of
the value of fifty cents, two
silver coins of the value of
twenty five cents each, five
silver coins of the value of ten
cents each, ten nickel coins of
the value of five cents each, and
six coins of the value of one cent each,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Mina Browner*,

on the person of the said *Mina Browner*, then and there being

found, from the person of the said *Mina Browner*, then and there

feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made

and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Handwritten signature

District Attorney.

0252

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Brandt, August

DATE:

12/14/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0253

No 86 J. J. C. C. C. C.

Counsel,
Filed 14 day of Dec 1886
Pleads *M. J. C. C. C.*

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 53, Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

August Brandt

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Witnesses:

Officer C. Leary
Anna Sullivan

J. W. C. C. C. C.
Dec 15/86
Foreman.

I find guilty.
S. P. Three years.

Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 142 Henry Street, aged 49 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 4th day of December 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Two suits of mens clothing,
Consisting of Coats, pants and vests,
three suits of mens under wear,
two pair of double blankets, four
bed Comforters, one silk neck
muffler, one pocket handkerchief
and a composition medal, said
property being in all of the value
of fifty (50) dollars

the property of deponent and of deponents
located and being all in the
care and charge 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 August Brandt, now

here, from the fact that said
deponent occupied or furnished
rooms in said premises where
said property was contained.
that he vacated said rooms and
went away on the afternoon of
said day without giving deponent
any notice and about an hour
after he went away deponent
discovered the larceny aforesaid.
that after the arrest of said
deponent a portion of said
stolen property was found in
his possession by Officer Leary,
here present, viz: the silk neck

of
Subscribed before me this
188- day

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0255

Nick Muppler, the pocket handkerchief
and medal, as said officer informs
deponent. That said property is found
in the possession of said deponent
is a portion of the stolen property
of said.

Sworn to before me this } Ann Sullivan
9th day of November 1886 }

A. M. Patterson

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0256

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation Cornelius Leary
Police Officer of No.

7th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Ann Sullivan

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of November 188

9th } Cornelius Leary

Ann Sullivan
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0257

Sec. 198-200.

J. M.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

August Brandt 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.

August Brandt

Question.

How old are you?

Answer.

31 years of age

Question.

Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

Question.

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

Answer.

94 Park St. one month

Question.

What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bar Keeper

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.

August Brandt

Taken before me this

day of *August* 188*8*

J. J. McNamee

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0258

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court 3 District 1861

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ann Jackson

et al

August Beaman

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

Offence Larceny

Dated December 9 1886

William Magistrate.

Henry Officer

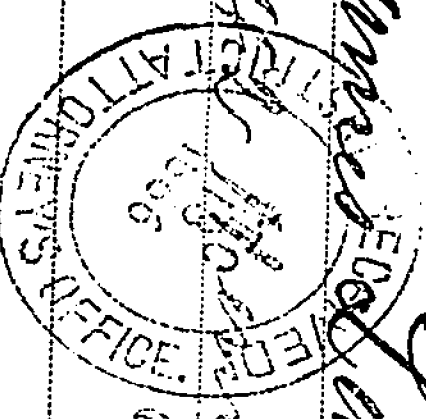
Edw T Precinct.

Witnesses Conrad Henry

T. Mack. Police Street.

James J. Gordon

No. 1434 Street.



No. 1500 Street.

Conrad

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

August Beaman

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of fifty 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 December 9 1886 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ 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 _____ 1886 _____ 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,

against

August Brandt

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

August Brandt —

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

The said

August Brandt,

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

Two coats of the value of seven dollars each, two pairs of trousers of the value of seven dollars each pair, two coats of the value of three dollars each, three pairs of underwear of the value of two dollars each pair, two pairs of blankets of the value of four dollars each pair, four red-comforters of the value of three dollars each, one red-mattress of the value of two dollars, one handkerchief of the value of one dollar, and one medal of the value of one dollar,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Ann Sullivan, —

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.

Handwritten signature
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

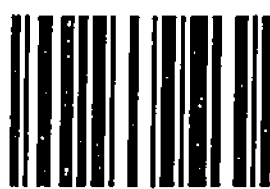
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DESCRIPTION:

Brogan, George

DATE:

12/17/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0261

Witnesses:

Conrad Zolken

Counsel,

Filed, 17 day of Dec 1886

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Bragan

Grand Larceny, second degree
[Sections 628, 581 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. H. Conner

Foreman.

Dec 20/86
W. H. Conner
State Reformatory, Columbia

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0262

Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 471 Greenwich Street, aged 27 years,
occupation Grocer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 7th day of July 1888 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 :

Good and lawful money
of the United States consisting
of bank bills of various
denominations of the amount
and value of Fifty Dollars
the property of

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

for the purpose of following to
the said defendant con-
fessing in open Court
to having taken stolen
and carried away the
aforesaid property and deponent
says the said money was taken
from his premises
by George Joseph

Sworn to before me, this
day

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0263

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss

George Berger 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

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 fully of the
charge
G Berger

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

0264

Residence

.....

Dated 188 *Police Justice.*

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0265

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Rogers & Rogers

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

Rogers & Rogers

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

The said Rogers & Rogers,

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

divers promissory notes for
the payment of money, of a
number, kind and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, for the payment of
and of the value of sixty
dollars, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Ronald Borden, —

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.

Randolph B. Smith

District Attorney.

0266

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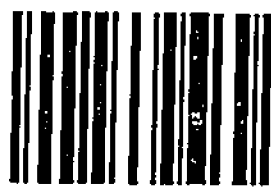
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DESCRIPTION:

Brown, Annie

DATE:

12/01/86



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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Brown, David

DATE:

12/01/86



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ORIGINAL

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#3403 - *Wetjen*

Counsel, _____
Filed *1* day of *Dec* 188*6*
Pleads each *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Annie Brown
vs.
David Brown
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 628, 631 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Dr Dec 24/82 District Attorney,
Book Ind & convicted PR
A True Bill.

H. W. J. J. J.

Foreman.

Call
9 Mrs. J. J. J.

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0269

Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 198 Bridge Street Brooklyn Street, aged 25 years,
occupation addoe being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 26 day of November 1888 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:

And and lawful money of the United States
to the amount of the value of
twenty-one dollars and eighty cents

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Samuel Brown and David Brown
(both negroes), for the reason, that, about the hour
12 P.M. on the above date, the deponent was in a
barber in East Third Street near Lombard, he was
abducted by the defendant, Samuel Brown, to accompany
him for the supposed prostitution, that defendant again brought
the said Samuel Brown to No 109 South 5th Street
where they entered a room on the second floor, and
after defendant had sexually abused the deponent to such
extent, he undressed taking off all his clothes except
his undershirt and drawers, and went to bed; that
on going to bed he placed his vest containing a pocket-
book with forty-four dollars and eighty cents therein
underneath his pillow; that shortly after defendant went
to bed the defendant Samuel Brown came to bed also

Subscribed before me this
day of
1888

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0270

immediately after which defendant left the place, that same time, defendant was surrounded by Charles Schenck, in charge of the furnished room house at No. 109 South 5th St. - who informed him that he was being seized; and informed defendant that he watched the defendant - some woman through a crack at the jam of the door to his room and saw her with defendant's bucket - bag in her hand and saw her take some money out of it.

Defendant further says, that on arriving he found his bag lying on the side of the bed on which the defendant - some woman had been lying, and the store mentioned bucket - bag, also, alongside said vest; and the said some woman standing in the middle of the room with something in her hand; that immediately then after the said some woman passed out of the room with the bag and handed some money which she held in her hand to David Brown defendant; who immediately ran with another room and shortly after came down stairs - that defendant immediately examined his bucket - bag and found the above described money missing. Therefore defendant charged the said some woman and David Brown with larceny and perjury and praying that they may be held to answer

Police Justice. John White
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order him to be discharged.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
Dated 1888
Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888
Police Justice.
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
guilty thereof; I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, District, _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of _____

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence - LARCENY.

Dated 1888 _____

Magistrate _____

Police Officer _____

Clerk _____

Witnesses, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
to answer _____ Sessions.

shown before me on the 27th day of November 1888
John White
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0271

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 20 years, occupation light of rodging house of No.

109 South 5th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John White

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

Sworn to before me, this 27

day of November 1886

Charles Schirrmeeister

A. M. Puccini

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0272

Sec. 198—200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Annie Brown 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 Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Forty years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

New London, Conn

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

Answer.

10 109 South 5th Avenue, East New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Summer-made as Contract-Agent

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

Annie Brown

Taken before me this

27

day of *November* 188*6*

W. H. Sullivan

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0273

Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

David V. Brown 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.

David V. Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Birmingham, Ala.

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

Answer.

No 109 South 5 Ave. About two months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter in restaurant

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

David V. Brown
month

Taken before me this

27

day of

December

188

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0274

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
Residence _____ Street.

*3400
Police Court 1769
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. *James H. Brown*
2. *David Brown*
3. _____
4. _____
Offence *Forgery*

Dated *November 27* 188*6*

James H. Brown
Magistrate.
Precinct.
Witnesses *James H. Brown*
No. *119* *Clark St.* Street,
No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
to answer *B. S.*

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 _____

Ami Brown and David Brown
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 *November 27* 188*6* *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 he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0275

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Annie Brown

and
David Brown

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

Annie Brown and David Brown

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

The said Annie Brown and David
Brown, doth —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid
on the — 26th — day of November, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty- six —, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

The sum of Twenty nine dollars
and eighty cents in money, —
lawful money of the United
States, and of the value of
Twenty nine dollars; and
eighty cents, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John White, —

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.

Randolph B. Smith

District Attorney.

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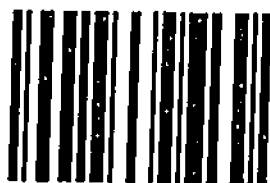
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DESCRIPTION:

Brown, John

DATE:

12/21/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Margaret Reelher
Officer Blum

Counsel,

W. M. Lee
Filed, 21 day of Dec 1886

Pleads, M. M. Lee

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Brown

R.A.P.E.

(Sections 278 and 218, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

S. M. Lee

Foreman

Guilty

S. P. Fifteen Years.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0278

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

POLICE COURT, 2

DISTRICT.

year *Margaret Kelleher. age 30*
of No. *226 West Houston* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the *18* day of *December* 188*6*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *John Brown (murderer)*

did, have sexual connection with deponent,
without deponent's consent and against
her will and did ravish deponent's person.

That at the hour of about 3 o'clock
in the afternoon of said day, said
defendant entered deponent's store
at the aforesaid premises, and
deponent believing he was a customer
to buy Tobacco or Candy, that
deponent was behind the counter
in the store, at the time,

said defendant went behind the
counter seized violent hold of deponent's
throat, and violently struck deponent,
throwing deponent down
that he then held deponent down
and by force had sexual connection
with deponent, that deponent made
an outcry but was prevented by
said defendant, he then violently
pinning deponent's throat with his hand,

Deponent prays that said
defendant be held to answer
and be dealt with as the law
directs.

Sworn to before me this *19* day of *December* 188*6* *Margaret Kelleher*

John J. Murray
Peter J. Foster

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0279

Sec. 198-200.

2,

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

John Brown 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 Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

228 West Houston Street 2 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

I am a 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 was to admit to know
any thing*

John Brown

Taken before me this

19

day of *March* 188*8*

Augustine Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0200

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Homan
John Homan
Rape

Dated *Dec 19* 188

John Homan Magistrate.

John Homan Officer.

John Homan Precinct.

John Homan No. 1, by _____

John Homan No. 2, by _____

John Homan No. 3, by _____

John Homan No. 4, by _____

John Homan to answer _____

John Homan Street _____

John Homan Street _____

John Homan Street _____

John Homan Street _____

John Homan 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 *Defendant*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty 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 *Dec 19* 188 *John Homan* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0281

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 Brown

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

John Brown

of the CRIME OF RAPE, committed as follows:

The said

John Brown,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eighteenth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six* —, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Margaret Kelleher*, then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, and her the said *Margaret Kelleher*, then and there, by force and with violence to her the said *Margaret Kelleher*, against her will and without her consent, did willfully and feloniously ravish and carnally know, 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 Brown

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

John Brown,

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, in and upon her the said *Margaret Kelleher*, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, with intent her the said *Margaret Kelleher*, against her will, and without her consent, by force and violence, to then and there willfully and feloniously ravish and carnally know, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Brown, William C.

DATE:

12/06/86



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ORIGINAL

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No. 7.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

6 Dec 1886

Witnesses:

Michael Gebhardt

74 Delaney St.

Louis Levan

148 Suffolk St.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

William C. Brown

40. Defendant

[Sections 498, 506, 528 and 532.]
Brought in the Third Degree.
and Exit Sentence.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

S. W. Constock

Dec 7/86 Foreman

Charles J. J.

Per Me year

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0284

Police Court—3rd District.

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

Michael Vebharah

of No. 74 Melaney Street, aged 43 years,
occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 74 Melaney Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a five story brick
building the first floor of
and which was occupied by deponent as a Lagerbeer Saloon
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking
up the door leading to said
Saloon

on the 30 day of November 1886 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Silver and Metal Cash of the
value of four dollars and
one box of Cigars of the value
of one dollar
and property being in all of
the value of five dollars

the property of deponent

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

William C. Brown (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That at the hour of 12 1/2
o'clock in the night of the 29 day
of November 1886, deponent securely
locked the door leading to the
above described Saloon when
said money was in the money
drawer behind the bar in said Saloon,
and said Cigars were at the shelf
behind said bar; deponent is

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informed by Louis Levin of No 148 Suffolk Street that at the hour of about 2.30 o'clock in the morning of said 30th day of November 1886 he discovered the defendant in said Saloon, and when detected he ran away that he prevented him, and in his flight he threw something in an Ash barrel. while he was running along Orchard Street that he caught him at the corner of Orchard and Rivington Street and brought him to the Station House.

Deponent is further informed by Charles W. Sands an officer of the 10 Precinct Police that he after receiving the foregoing information went to Orchard Street and Examined the contents of said Ash barrel and found a Box Cigars and the pinny (here shown) therein the Cigars deponent identifies as his property.

Sworn to before me this 2nd Michaelmas Term 30th day of November 1886

John J. [Signature]
Police for [Signature]

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0286

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 34 years, occupation Railroad of No.

148 Suffolk Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Michael Gubharah

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

Sworn to before me, this 30 day of November 1888 John J. Sullivan

John J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 33 years, occupation Police officer of No.

10th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Michael Gubharah,

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

Sworn to before me, this 30 day of November 1888 Charles D. Sands

John J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

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ORIGINAL**

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William C Brown*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *40 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *101. Norfolk Street, 1 month*

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.*

William C. Brown

Taken before me this

day of *April* 188*8*

John J. ...
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0288

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court 3 District 1786

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 *William C. Brown*
2
3
4

Offence *Burglary*

Dated *Nov 30* 188*6*

William C. Brown Magistrate.
James Officer.

Witnesses *Chas. A. Smith* Precinct. *10*

No. *148* Street. *148*

No. *150* Street. *150*

No. *150* Street. *150*

James

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

William C. Brown

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

Dated *Nov 30* 188*6* *John H. Brown* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0289

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William R. Brown

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

William R. Brown

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

The said *William R. Brown*,

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *saloon* of one

Michael R. G. Hardt,

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

Michael R. G. Hardt,

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

William R. Brown —

of the CRIME OF *Q. X. L.* LARCENY. —

committed as follows :

The said *William R. Brown*,

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

*divers sums, of a number, kind
and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the
value of four dollars, and one
box of cigars of the value
of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Michael Fichtelhardt. —

in the *saloon* of the said

Michael Fichtelhardt. —

there situate, then and there being found, *in* the *saloon* 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.

Charles W. Smith

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Buchanan, James

DATE:

12/21/86



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Witnesses:

Lazar Van Bremen
Officer Sheldon

The Complainant rec-

ommends clemency
herein and asks that this
indictment be dismissed
and full restitution
has been made herein.
I doubt if a conviction
could be had herein
and recommend that
that within indictment
be dismissed and ~~after~~
discharged,
Dec 23, 1886

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney.

Counsel, *P. B. Martine*
Filed, *21* day of *Dec* 188*6*
Pleads, *Not guilty* vs

Grand Larceny, *second degree*
[Sections 528, 584 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

James Buchanan

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Pr Dec 23/86

Indict died suspended.

A True Bill.

J. W. Comstock

See on his of ^{Bremen} ~~deputy~~
of Bail also
See memo. ^{from}

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0293

Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Lazar van Rieuman
of No. *406 East 85th* Street, aged *25* years,
occupation *Diamond Polisher* being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the *20th* day of *November* 188*6* 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 Diamond Broche of the value of Sixty dollars
One Diamond Scarf Pin of the value of Twenty five dollars
Two unset diamonds of the value Two hundred ninety dollars
Altogether of the value of Three Hundred
and seventy five dollars

the property of

this deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by *James Buchanan* late of No. 280
Broadway in the City of New York for the reason
that said Buchanan made an appointment with
deponent to call at Room 63 at No 280 Broad-
way on Saturday December 11th and receive
pay for said property, that said deponent
called at said address at said time and
found said office closed and said deponent
has caused search to be made for said Bu-
chanan and cannot find him and is informed
by his Counsel Allan Lee Smith that said
Buchanan has not been at said office
since Friday last (Dec 10) and that said
Buchanan has been engaged since Thurs-
day last (Dec 9) in selling part if not all
of the furniture of said office and further
that the persons to whom said Buchanan

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To an reference
referred on a card which he gave deposed
and which is now in the possession of
Detective Sheldon of the Central office
cannot be found and that the address
given of three of those persons are empty
rooms in the Stewart Building in this
City. That the address of said ~~for~~ Ben-
=Kenian is not in the City Directory and
said Buchanan was at the address given
associated with one Henry D. Garrett
now under arrest and in custody
for swindling

Swores to before me

this 14th day of

December 1886

3 Lazarus Bisma

W. H. Ruffey
Deputy Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0295

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Allan J. Smith

aged *35* years, occupation *Counselor at law* of No.

280 Broadway Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Lazar van Beman*

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

Sworn to before me, this

14

day of

Dec

188*6*

Allan J. Smith

P. J. Duffy

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0296

Sec. 198-200.

152 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
James Buchanan

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0297

Sec. 151.

1st; District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County
of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:

Whereas, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices in and for the said City, by Lazar Van Broman

of No. 406 East 85th Street, that on the 29 day of November
1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

One Diamond Brooch, one Scarf pin
and two unset diamonds; altogether

of the value of Three Hundred and Seventy five Dollars,
the property of Lazar Van Broman
was taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and
believe, by James Buchanan

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to
answer the said complaint.

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith
bring him before me, at the 1st DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 1st day of November 1888

POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate

Officer

The Defendant

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

Officer

Dated

188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest,

Native of

Age,

Sex

Complexion,

Color

Profession,

Married

Single,

Read,

Write,

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1. Ring . f^o 25
1 Ring 1 f^o 14
1 Pin f^o 18
57
Carfe 20
37

4 December

L. van Buena

to Mr.
C. van der
Dijck

W. J.

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Nov 11-20-86
J. Buchanan
Bought of L. von Bied

2 Single Stems	2 90
Brooch	60
Scarf Pin	25
	<hr/>
	3 75
Cash	25
	<hr/>
	3 50

Received Payment
in full
L. von Bied

Dec 1/86

7121

Received

4110

First District
District Court

The People on the
complaint of
Lazar Van Berman
vs
James Buchanan

Charged with
Larceny
November 10th 1886
Before Hon
Pl. Duffy
Presiding Justice

Cases Examined

Where do you reside?
Chestnut East 8th Street

When did you first become acquainted
with the defendants?

At the American institute 8 weeks
ago

When did you sell him those diamonds?
Advised him to him on the 29th of November
of all the same day?

Did you not all the same day?

You swear that there was taken from
you on the 29th of November one diamond
brooch, of the value of \$4 1/2 dollars
one diamond ring of the value
of \$7.50, how much diamonds of the
value of two hundred and twenty dollars
are there?

Did you hand them to him all on the
same day?

Yes sir

On the 29th?

2
Ayee sui

Q How you paid him over goods before?
Ayee sui

Q How you paid?

Ayee sui 10 days later

Q What did you see him then?

A I saw him 5 strips for 10 dollars, and
for 20 dollars, and a pair of a ladies
pair.

Q How many pairs of ladies clothes?

A 10 dollars - together

Q What was paid to you as a result of
the 300 dollars?

A 20 dollars

Q How the first lot?

Ayee sui

Q How much on the second?

A 20 dollars

Q Did you ask him for the payment of
the 300 dollars?

Ayee sui

Q When?

A I asked him on Monday

Q How long after the sale?

A Two weeks, 20 days after the sale.

Q Did you ask him for any money during
that time?

Ayee sui

Q You say you paid them to him on the 20th
of November?

Ayee sui

Q Yesterday you say you asked him for the
pageant?

A No days later.

Q That you asked him on the 30th of 2nd
month?

A Yes Sir

Q Why did you ask him for it on that day?
A Because he said every ten days, he
would pay so much?

Q How much?

A \$5 dollars.

Q He goes to some place when he has to
payable so much every ten days?

A Yes Sir

Q \$5 dollars every ten days?

A Yes Sir

Q Until the whole was paid?

A Yes Sir

Q How long did you say you had known
him?

A 8 or 9 years

Q You brought the diamonds to him in
the Merchant Building room 168?

A Yes Sir

Q And that was his office at that time?

A Yes Sir

Q And his name was out on the door?

A Yes Sir

Q Have you not received more than forty
five dollars all told upon the
first sale of \$375 dollars?

Ans. vii

Q. Now show me a paper and ask me
if that is your signature?

Ans. vii. That is my name, but
never I signed it the two lines above
my signature, must not I see?

Paper offered in evidence by marked
Dependants Ex. 1

Q. Do that your signature (showing unless
a paper)?

Ans. vii

Q. It is all true in your handwriting?

Ans. vii

Paper offered in evidence by marked
Dependants Exhibit 1.

Direct Examination

Q. You say that the words seemed pay-
ment in full on the enclosed money
but have been written in since you
signed your name then?

Ans. vii

Q. Was a question of fact, you never
received any more money from
him than what you have testified
to?

Ans. vii

Q. When the dependant received from
you the brooch and weight stones
did he say anything to you in
reference to what purpose he was
going to use them for?

Phrases to
By the Court!

Question answered
James E. Fox, Jr.

Q He told me he was married and he
knew that his wife saw them, and
he asked me if I would see them
in good handwriting to make him
to pay for them. He said I would
see his wife and he said I would
know between 10 and 15 dollars.

Q Did he say for what purpose he
wanted his wife to see them?

A He said to me if his wife likes the
stones he would give me the stones
back within 3 days. He said he would
see them set in gold, and that he
would pay me for the gold the
same day.

Q Did he say anything when he would
pay for them if his wife didn't
like them?

Answer

Q When did you last see the respondent
before his arrest?

A A week ago Friday December 10th
where?

A At the office in the Stewart Building
Q What did he say to you in reference
to this matter at that time?

A He told me on Friday if I would

Q

During tomorrow the next day at 2
o'clock he moved from the place
every day.

Q Did you go to the office in the cell at
the Police appointed?
Answer:

Q What did you find?
He took the office.

Q Did you go there after that?
He said he went on Monday morning.

Q What did you find on Monday?
He on Monday he was not there the office
was still closed.

Q Since that time up to the time
of the defendant's arrest, have you
gone to that office?

Answer: Every morning every day.

Q And every evening every day, or
only once?

Answer: Three or four times a day.

Q And you found the office closed?

Answer: Yes.

Q And nobody in?

Q Did he say anything about the names of
his wife and the other?

Answer: Yes.

Q Did he say anything about what
disposition he would make of the
store if his wife didn't like them?
Dragon understood the question.

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Answered:

Q. Then answer it?

A. He told me this if the stone was
under the wheel of pain, and if they were
not good to answer give them back to
me.

Q. Have you seen those stones since you
were taken to the hospital?

Answered:

Q. When was that?

A. About three years ago, coming with
Mr. Simpson on the train.

Q. Did you see the same stones?

Answered:

Q. Did you identify them generally?
Answered:

Q. When you gave the defendant this
paper, did he say you say something
has been written since you signed
it, did he give you a paper at the
same time?

Answered:

Q. From at the paper and see what he
is the same one he gave you?

Answered:

Q. Paper offered in evidence. We moved
Plaintiff's Ex. 1.

Q. Above the signature of Buchanan there
appears 29 November 1900. Was
that on when Buchanan signed
it?

Answering

Your last handwriting is that same as
objected to

I look at Ed. My eye catches your own
everything that is in that paper written
A yes sir

Who wrote that paper

A Mr. Bushman wrote the words 29
November, paid 50.

Who wrote that

A I did, Van Beekman

I did you write that, on the day you
received the paper in afternoon

objected to witness

Where did you write that

A 29th of November

Where did you write in that paper

A A few days before the 29th

I was on the same day that you
signed the paper which Bushman
has put in evidence

Well sir, only this what is there, received
payment in full, was not that

I am to before me (44) } Lajos van Biema
this 18th day of December

P. H. Klaffger
Police Justice

9.

Samuel G. Sheldon being duly
sworn deposes the facts.

Q. You are a police officer connected
with the police department?
A. Yes Sir.

Q. Did you arrest the defendant?
A. Yes Sir.

Q. Did you find on him, a paper which
represented two recent demands?
A. Yes Sir.

Q. Have you that same paper?
A. Yes Sir.

Q. Will you produce it?
A. Yes Sir (producing paper from ^{his pocket}).

Q. Did you go to the prison shop from where
the ticket was issued?
A. Yes Sir.

Q. Who went with you?
A. The complainant.

Q. Did you then see the demands and
did the complainant show identity
show as the recent stores referred
to in this proceeding?
A. Yes Sir it was all as represented.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 18th day of December 1874
Samuel G. Sheldon.

W. H. Coffey

Police Justice

Pease Rect.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Mr. Hallaway,

Superior Court, Wisconsin.

I respectfully advise
the court upon the ground
that the State has failed to make
out a prima facie case.
By the Court.

Motion

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ORIGINAL

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Residence _____ Street _____

Ex. When 18 1/2
to school

Police Court District.

1898

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Buchanan
1706 1/2 St
James Buchanan

Dated Dec 17 1886

Offence Larceny
felony

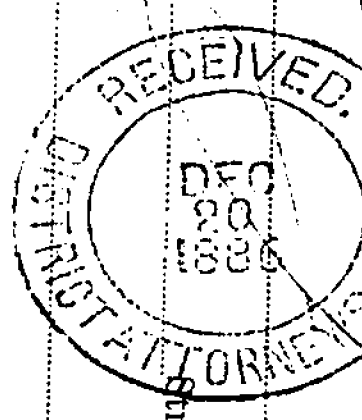
Magistrate
Sheldon H. Head Officer.

Witnesses
Clarence Schmidt
Street.

No. 1
Street.

No. 2
Street.

No. 3
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

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 Dec 17 1886 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1886 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 1886 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0311

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

James Buchanan

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. I have already been fully reimbursed in settlement of a civil action, covering the same subject matter and am advised that the defendant has heretofore borne a good character ~~and~~ and hope that the Complaint herein may be dismissed.

New York City Decr 23^d 1886

Lazar. van. Buena

Witness:
(J. Hathaway.)

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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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 Condruman

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

James Condruman —

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

The said *James Condruman*,

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

one watch of the value of sixty
dollars, one scarf pin of the
value of twenty five dollars, and
two diamonds of the value of
one hundred and forty five dollars
each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Sergeant Dienna, —

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.

Handy B. Smith

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2338

DESCRIPTION:

Burns, Joseph

DATE:

12/22/86



2338

POOR QUALITY
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Witnesses:

Charles Walker

Joseph J. J. J.

Representative

Comm.

PD

Counsel, *L. M. J. J.*

Filed, 22 day of Dec 1886

Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs. H. H. J.

Joseph J. J.

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree

(From the Person)

[Sections 528, 534, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

vs. Dec 23/86 District Attorney.

Placed guilty: P. J. J.

A True Bill.

S. W. J. J.

Foreman.

G. M. J. J.

J. J. J.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—

14th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Charles Walker
of No. 42 East 1st Street, aged 32 years,
occupation Car driver being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8th day of December 1886 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 the day time, the following property viz:

one ten dollar bill good and lawful money of the issue of the Government of the United States of the value of ten dollars — \$10 — and a pocket knife of the value of thirty five cents all of the value of \$10.35

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 Joseph Burns (nowhere)

from the fact that while deponent was in premises 46 6th Avenue in said city which a bar room while standing at the bar drinking he said defendant did feloniously take steal and carry away said property from the Watch Pocket of the vest then and there worn by deponent as a part of his bodily clothing, deponent further says that when the defendant was arrested by officer Charles F. King of the 19th Precinct Police he found the above described property in the possession of him defendant deponent therefor asks that said defendant be held to answer and dealt with according to law.

Charles Walker.

Sworn to before me, this

day

of December 1886
at New York
Notary Public

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0316

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 29 years, occupation Police officer of No. the
19th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles Walker
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 9th
day of December 1888

Charles F. King

Solomon D. Smith
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0317

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

Joseph Burns 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 have nothing to say I took
the property through fooling
we had been drinking all day*

Joseph Burns
Mark

Taken before me this

gth

Joseph Burns
District Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0318

Michael Burns
157 11 St
Wm. Mead
43, 44 St N. E. Ave.
His residence
Leam St, 43 Ave.

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
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Police Court - 1st District
165 Ave

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT of
Charles Marshall

Joseph Burns

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Offence

Dated December 9th 188

John Smith Magistrate.
Krug Officer.

Witnesses
Officer Krug 19th
Street.

No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
\$ _____
No answer

Don

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 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 December 6th 188 Solomon S. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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To see Recorder Smyth

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Wm. Mack*

of No. *6 Ave. ber 43+44* Street,

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the *24* day of *December* instant, at the hour of ten in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *December*, in the year of our Lord 188

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

PART II.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue. Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

To see Recorder Smyth

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Michael Burns*

of No. *151 W. 51* Street,

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the *24* day of *December* instant, at the hour of ten in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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POOR QUALITY
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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

Joseph D. Conner

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

Joseph D. Conner

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

The said *Joseph D. Conner*,

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

eight — day of *December*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

— day time of the same day, with force and arms, *one promissory*
note for the payment of money
of the kind called United States
Treasury Notes, of the denomination
and value of ten dollars, and one
other promissory note for the
payment of money of the kind called
United States Notes, of the denomination
and value of ten dollars, and one
note of the value of twenty-five cents,

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

Charles D. Smith

District Attorney.