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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Daley, Peter

DATE:

09/25/91



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Witnesses:

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Stephen Calcutis

Counsel,
Filed 23rd day of April 1891
Plends, 1/11/91

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Sever Dacey

Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLI,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Lacey
Foreman.
Sever Dacey
Per 1 month

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Police Court—2 District.

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

of No. 551 West 26 Street, aged 15 years,

occupation Paper factory being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 27 day of August 1899 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Peter

Daley, (now here), who cut and
stabbed a deponent twice in the
hand with a knife, which he
deposited then and there held
in his hand.

Deponent further says that
such assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 28 day }
of August 1899, }

Stephen Collins
man
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Peter Daly 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. *Peter Daly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *Jersey N.J.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
Peter Daly
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Taken before me this

day of

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Justice

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 Aug 28 18 91 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- District. 11-34

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Stephen Ballins
387 vs. 11-26
Peter Dalry

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Officer *[Signature]*

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated *Aug 28* 18*91*

St. James Magistrate.

Morrison Officer.

16 Precinct.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. *500* to answer *[Signature]*

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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

Peter Daley

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

Peter Daley

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

The said

Peter Daley

late of the City and County of New York, on the *twenty-seventh* day of *August* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* —, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Stephen Collins

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully did make an assault: and the said

Peter Daley

with a certain

knife

which

he

the said

in

his *Peter Daley*

right hand

then and there had and held, the same being then and there

a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *him*, the said

Stephen Collins then and there feloniously did wilfully and

wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab, bruise and wound, 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.

Alc Lancelotti Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Daly, Michael

DATE:

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Witnesses:

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Arch. Sullivan
S. B. Douglas

Counsel,

Filed

Plends,

10 day of *Sept* 189*1*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Michael Daly

Crime against nature
[Section 303, Penal Code]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. C. Barry

Foreman.

Sept 11/91

Frank D. Kelly

5700 44 St.

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Police Court, 4 District.City and County } ss.
of New York,

Hugh Sinnegan
of No. Bellevue Hospital Street, aged 34 years,
occupation Rest Morgue Keeper being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 24th day of August 1891, at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, Michael Daley (now

here) did carnally know and
have sexual intercourse with a
dead body of a female in
violation of Section 303 of the
Penal Code.

Deposant further says that said
dead body was lying on a table
in the morgue attached to Bellevue
Hospital and deposant found the
door leading thereto locked and
deposant looked through a hole
in said door and saw the
defendant lying upon said dead
body having sexual intercourse
with it.

Sworn to before me }
this 24th day of August, 1891 } Hugh Sinnegan

Wm. M. M. M. M.
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.*Michael Daly*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Michael Daly

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

Bellvue Hospital 3 yrs

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

None Can Drive

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
M. Daly

Taken before me this

24

day of

*Aug**1891**Attest*

Police Justice.

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

defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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.....18 W. T. M. Malone Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18 Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18 Police Justice.

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF,

Hugh Finnegan
Bellevue Hospital
Michael Daly

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Office

Charge against

Nature

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated *August-24* 18*91*

Wm. Mahon Magistrate.

Jeff Morrell Officer.

21st Precinct.

S.A. Douglas S.D.

Bellevue Hospital Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ to answer _____

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Michael Dady

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

Indictment accuse *Michael Dady* -

of the crime of *against nature,*

committed as follows:

The said *Michael Dady*

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

twenty-fourth day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *ninety-one*, at the City and County aforesaid,

deliberately did attempt sexual intercourse
with the dead body of a certain woman
to the great injury of said woman,
and thereby was guilty of the detestable
and abominable crime against nature,
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.

D. Dancy Hill,

Attorney.

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Darling, George

DATE:

09/14/91



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J.A. Warren #72

Counsel,

Filed *1/4* day of *Sept.* 189*1*

Pleads, *Sept. 15*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Darling

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 489.]

DE LANCEY NICOLI,

District Attorney.

Sept. 22. 1891. N. M. D.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. C. Berry

Part 2 - Sept. 28/1891. Foreman.

tried and acquitted.

Witnesses:

James M. Tarlance

Chas. Walling

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Police Court—Fifth District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 1539 Broadway James MacFarlane
 occupation Painter basement of 1539 Broadway Street, aged 58 years,
 deposes and says, that the premises No. 1539 Broadway Street, 22 Ward
 in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Four Story Brick
the basement of Building and which was occupied by deponent as a Store
 and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly raising and
opening a window opening from the yard
in the rear of said premises into the said
basement and entering through said window
into said store
 on the 21st day of August 1891 in the day time, and the
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of Tools, Paints, Varnishes
 etc of the value of about
 Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars
 (\$250.⁰⁰/₁₀₀)

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

George Darling (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of
12 M. deponent securely closed the two
windows in the rear of said basement and store
opening into the yard in the rear of said
premises and the entrance in the front of
said store was securely fastened and locked,
and deponent is informed by Charles Mallin
who is employed by deponent, that he Mallin
found said defendant in said store and said

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Window opening into the yard was open in the manner aforesaid, and ~~and~~ ~~defendant~~ said defendant did thereupon run away followed by said fallen who caused his, defendant's, arrest.

defendant is unknown to deponent and had no business in deponent's store.

Defendant therefore charges said
 George Darling with having committed
 said Burglary and with having attempted
 to commit said Larceny and asks
 that he may be dealt with as the law
 may direct.
 Sworn to before me this { James MacFarlane
 21st day of August 1891

Sworn to before me this 21st day of August 1891 { James MacFarlane

Police Justice

Dated 188 .
Police Justice.

 There being no sufficient cause to believe the witness named

 guilty of the offence mentioned, I order it to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 .

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

Dated _____ 188 .
Police Justice.

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

guiltily thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
 Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

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

Police Court, _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Office—BUREAU.

Dated 199

Manisstral.

Officer.

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Winners.

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street _____

8 to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 21 years, occupation Charles Mallin
Apprentice of No. 936 Third Avenue
Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of James MacFallane
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 21
day of August 1899, } Charles Mallin

Wm. MacFallane
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.4th District Police Court.

George Darling 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. *George Darling*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *40 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *N.D.*

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

Answer. *N^o 345 East 47th Street about 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty**George Darling*

Taken before me this

George Darling

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Police Justice

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

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 August 21 1891 W. W. M. M. M. Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 4th District. 1102

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James MacFarlane
1539 Broadway
George Darling

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Offence

Burglary

Dated August 21 1891

McMalwan Magistrate.

Joseph C. Downey Officer.

22 Precinct.

Witnesses Chas Mallin

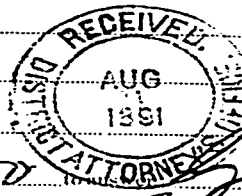
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Residence Street.

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Residence Street.

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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

George Darling

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

George Darling

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

The said

George Darling

late of the 22nd Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
21st day of August in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-one in the day-time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the store of
one

James MacFarlane

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some
crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *James*
MacFarlane in the said store
then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York and their dignity.

De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Davis, William

DATE:

09/11/91



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Stevens, William

DATE:

09/11/91



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Witness;

Off Sweeney
H. H. H. H.

after a personal
interview with
with officer
Sweeney to present
a convincing
fact that the
prisoners have
been in the Tomb
for over a month
& would ask that
prisoners be dis-
charged in their
own recognizance

Sept 25th 1891
L. J. H.
10-3-91

Counsel,

Filed

11th Sept 1891

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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William Davis

and I

William Stevens

Assault in the Second Degree
(Resisting Arrest)
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

DeSancey, Trust
JOHN R. HILLIARD

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. Berry

Sept 2 - Sept 24th 1891 Foreman.

On motion of Dist. Attorney
defendants discharged on
their own recognizance

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Police Court— 3 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Dennis Sweeney
 of No. 7th Police Precinct Street, aged 31 years,
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the 13 day of August 1891 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York, in Pike Street

he was violently ~~and feloniously~~ ASSAULTED and BEATEN by William Davis
(nowhere) and William Stevens now in here
hospital, and a number of others not
 yet arrested, who struck Deponent (while
 in full uniform as a Police Officer and
 in the discharge of his duty) and attempted
 several violent blows on the Head and
~~by~~ body and attempted to take his club
 away from him

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 14th day
 of August 1891

Dennis Sweeney
Police Justice

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Sec. 198—200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William Stevens 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 Stevens

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

112 Congress St Jersey City 4 yrs

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Painter

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**Wm Stevens*

Taken before me this

15

day of

August 1891

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

3 District Police Court.

William Davis 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, and 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.

Am not guilty
William Davis

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

Defendant
ten ~~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 *Aug 18* 18 *91* *W. H. H. H. H. H.* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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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

James Sweeney
William Davis
William Stevens

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Dated

1891

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witness

John Calhoun
Francis Police
John Lowrey
Premier Police

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to answer

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William Davis and
William Stevens

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

William Davis and William Stevens

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

The said William Davis and William Stevens,
Stevens, both —

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 13th
day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-one, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously made
an assault in and upon one Dennis Sweeney. —

then and there being, a policeman of the Municipal Police of the City of
New York, and as such policeman being then and there engaged in the lawful
apprehension of and detention of the
said William Davis, —

and the said William Davis and William Stevens,
him, the said Dennis Sweeney, —
then and there feloniously did beat, strike, wound and otherwise ill-treat, with intent
then and there and thereby to prevent and resist the lawful apprehension and detention
of the said William Davis — as aforesaid,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of
the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Dawson, Thomas

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Williams, George

DATE:

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Witnesses:
Ed. d. Ramanam
Off. Hewitt
23d Dec

Counsel,
Filed 14 day of Sept 1891
Plends *Pr. v. Property N*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Thomas Dawson
and
George Williams

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
Sept 18, 1891 District Attorney.
No. 2. Tried and Acquitted

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Berry
Foreman.
Sept 15/91
W. J. Berry
Foreman.
Sept 15/91
3 Nov 1891. No. 2. Tried and Acquitted

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 488, of the Penal Code]

0833

Police Court— 4 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York, }

Richard Baumann
of No. 14 Bleecker Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No. 298 Elizabeth Street, 14 Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a dwelling house the
store floor of
and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor store
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the
window in the rear of said store
and entering

on the 21st day of August 1891 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Seven hundred cigars and one
bottle of brandy, valued together
twenty two dollars.

About Eleven dollars lawful money
of the United States.

Valued in all thirty three 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

Thomas Dawson and George Williams
who were in company with each other

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour
of one a.m. on said day deponent
securely locked and fastened
the doors and windows leading into
said ~~premises~~ store and said property
was therein. That on the following
morning deponent found said store
burglarized in the manner aforesaid
and said property missing. Deponent

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is informed by Thomas Hewitt, (now here,
a police officer, 23rd Precinct) that at about
the hour of ten o'clock A.M. he saw the
defendants in company with each other
on East 55th Street, and saw Williams
carrying a bag and Dawson in his
company. Dawson upon seeing the officer
ran away; the officer arrested both defendants
and found the property here shown in
their possession which property deponent
identifies as part of the proceeds of said
burglary.

Deponent further alleges that he has
frequently seen Dawson in said store
and in the neighborhood.

Sworn to before me
this 22nd August, 1891

W. W. Watson

Police Justice

J. H. Brennan

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1891
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1891
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1891
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

et.

Dated

1891

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Hewitt
aged 30 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 238 Bleecker
Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Richard Bammann
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 22
day of Aug 1896 }

William
Police Justice.

Thomas Hewitt

0836

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

District Police Court.

Thomas Dawson 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. *Thomas Dawson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *31 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *West 16th Street; 1 week*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*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*
Thomas Dawson

Taken before me this

22

day

*August 1891**W. M. H. H. H.*

Police Justice.

0837

Sec. 108-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

George William 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.

George William

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

32 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

140 Park Row; 8 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Kitchen helper

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
George William

Taken before me this

August 1891

W. H. Madison
Police Justice.

0030

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

guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of fifteen 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 Aug 22 1899, W.D. McMahon Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

0839

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Police Court--- *St* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Richard Benjamin
14 Bleeker St
Thomas Dawson
George Williams

Offence

Brig Lany

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

3 _____

4 _____

Date *Aug 22^d* 18*91*

McMahon Magistrate.

Henrich Officer.

73 Precinct.

Witnesses *Call the officer*

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$1500 to answer *L. S.*

Com



Aug 23
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1891

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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

Thomas Dawson
and
George Williams

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

Thomas Dawson and George Williams

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

The said *Thomas Dawson and George Williams, both*

late of the *14th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
21st day of *August* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* in the *night*-time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *store* of
one *Richard Bammann*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some
crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Rick*
and Bammann in the said *store*
then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Thomas Dawson and George Williams
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Dawson and George Williams, both*

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

*seven hundred cigars of the
value of three cents each, one bottle
of brandy of the value of one
dollar, and the sum of eleven
dollars in money, lawful money
of the United States of America
and of the value of eleven dol-
lars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Richard Bamman

in the

store

of the said

Richard Bamman

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

THIRD COUNT:

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

Thomas Dawson and George Williams
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Dawson and George Williams*, both

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

*the same goods, chattels and
personal property described in
the second count of this indictment*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

Richard Sammann

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said

Richard Sammann

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

Thomas Dawson and George Williams

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

0843

BOX:

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FOLDER:

4135

DESCRIPTION:

Dazet, Joseph

DATE:

09/17/91



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Witnesses:

John Pickway
J. J. Oppenheim
22 d. Dec

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of

1891

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Joseph Dayer

Grand Larceny,
(From the Person,
Second Degree,
[Sections 323, 324,
Penal Code.]

De LAUNY NICOLI,

Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Berry

Foreman.

W. J. Berry

Dec 17/91

0845

Police Court—4—District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

John Rickover
 of No. 444 West 52nd Street, aged 17 years,
 occupation works in a lead refinery being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the 5th day of Sept 1891 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
 of a person of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

a hat of the value of One
 dollar and fifty cents and in
 the sweatband of which hat was a
 dollar in good and lawful money
 of the United States, all of
 said property, the value of
 Two ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ 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 Joseph Baget (nowhere) for

the reasons following, to wit:

Deponent says—about 4 P.M. of
 said date he was standing on the side-
 walk in front of No. 441 West 52nd Street
 when defendant approached deponent
 and took from deponent's head the hat
 worn by deponent at the time, and in which
 hat underneath the sweatband, was a
 dollar bill, and which dollar deponent
 saw defendant take from said hat and
 place in defendant's pocket and that
 defendant threw said hat to deponent
 who recovered said hat and that de-
 fendant struck deponent a violent

of
 sworn to before me this
 day

is
 Police Justice.

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blow in the mouth with his fist.

Deponent therefore charges defendant with feloniously taking, stealing and carrying away said property from defendant's person and possession
J. J. O'Brien
this 6th day of April 1933 John R. Conway

W. T. McMahon

Police Station.

0847

(1895)

Sec. 198—200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Joseph Dazet

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

364 West 10th St 24 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Labourer

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

Answer.

I have nothing to say at present.

Taken before me this

*6th*day of *March* 1891

Police Justice.

0848

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.....

Charles Anderson
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 *Sept 6* 1891 *Thomas L. ...* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

0849

Police Court--- 1175 4th District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Rickway
Joseph Wazer

Prince
Quincy Thompson

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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Dated

Sept 6th 1891

M. Mahon Magistrate.

Adolph Oppenheimer Officer.

22nd Precinct.

Witnesses

George E. Helme

22nd Ave Street.

Mrs. Rupp

439 West 52nd Street.

No.

1000 to answer *11th St.*

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Com

G. H. H.

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 Dazet

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

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

The said

Joseph Dazet

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifth*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*one*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, *one hat of the value of one dollar and fifty cents,*

\$1. And one promissory note for the payment of money, of the kind commonly called United
States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *one* dollar; *one*
promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the de-
nomination and value of *one* dollar; *one* United States Gold Certificate,
of the denomination and value of *one* dollar; *one* United States
Silver Certificate, of the denomination and value of *one* dollar

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

Wm. Lancelotti
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Decle, Adolph

DATE:

09/24/91



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Witnesses:

James Hoffman

Counsel,

Filed *1st* day of *Sept* 189*1*

Pleas, *August 20*

THE PEOPLE

60 *Lawrence*
195 *vs* *1*

Adolph Decker

Grand Larceny,
Section 128, 134, 135 Penal Code.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Berry

Foreman.

Page 3, October 13/91

*Pleaded Guilty, criminally
Receiving stolen goods*

Pen one yr

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(1905)

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 47 Beutland Street, aged 28 years,
 occupation Jeweler being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 28 day of August 189 / 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 bar of gold of the value of Four hundred
 and Eighty three ^{dollars} and fifty one cents \$483⁵¹/₁₀₀

and plated badges and several pieces
 of metal of the value of Ten dollars all
 of the value of Four hundred ^{and} ninety three ^{and} 51 ^{dollars}
 the property of Charles G. Bremer 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 Adolph Deche (now here)

Deponent says that said bar of gold was in his
 work bench in the work shop in No 47 Beutland
 Street where defendant was employed

Deponent says that he saw said defendant
 standing alongside of said bench where said
 property was contained and immediately thereafter
 he missed said property. Deponent says that
 said defendant was the only person near said
 property from the time he saw the same until
 it was missed. Deponent says that in the following
 morning after said defendant received his wages
 he left said place and did not return
 to his employment said defendant not

Subscribed before me this
 18th

Police Justice.

notifying him that he would not return to his room. Depew is informed by Michael J. Reap that said defendant stated that he sold a quantity of gold for the sum of \$460 to a man named L. B. Darling at No 34 Balins Street Providence R. I and he said

Depew says that he went to the boarding house at No 195 Greenwich Street to learn of the whereabouts of said defendant and he was informed by the lady who keeps the same that said defendant had not been there in five days and had not notified her that he ~~did not~~ gave up his room. Depew says that he went to said defendant's room and found other described property in the same which had been feloniously stolen as aforesaid.

Jack J. Hoffmann

Brought before me this

11 day of September 1891

To J. C. Hall, Police Justice

0855

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Adolph Beale 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.

Adolph Beale

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

50 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Trinidad

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

Answer.

195 Greenwich St. - Thomas

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Jeweler

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.

The gold belonged to me that I sold in Providence I took the other property to copy design with intention of taking ^{it} the back.

A. Beale

Taken before me this

day of

1891

Joseph A. H. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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

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 Sept 11th 1897 J. C. R. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph J. Hoffmann
44 Crutcher St.
Adolph Decker

Officer

Lawrence

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated Sept 11 1891

Daniel O'Reilly Magistrate.

Michael J. Reap Officer.

C-0 Precinct.

Witnesses Officer

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$15.00 to answer G. E.

Conrad Thompson 9-12

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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

Adolph Deele

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

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

The said

Adolph Deele

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *28th*
day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety- *one*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one bar of gold of the value
of four hundred and eighty-three
dollars and fifty-one cents, five badges
of the value of one dollar each and
five pieces of metal of the value
of one dollar each piece*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Charles G. Draxman

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Adolph Deele
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

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

one bar of gold of the value of four hundred and eighty-three dollars and fifty-one cents, five badges of the value of one dollar each and five pieces of metal of the value of one dollar each piece

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Charles G. Proxman
by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Charles G. Proxman
unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4135

DESCRIPTION:

DeGrey, Clara

DATE:

09/21/91



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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R. J. Hunt 154

Counsel,
Filed
Plends

day of

THE PEOPLE

advised by
Sept 19 1891

Clara De Grey

Grand Larceny,
[Sections 222, 224,
Second Degree]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Sept 19 1891

A TRUE BILL.

M. J. Berry

Foreman.

Part 2 - October 9, 1891.
Trial and Convicted of
Petit Larceny

Per 1 of 12

Witnesses:

Georgina De Grey

0862

Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,of No. 28 West 18th Street, aged 35 years,occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 22 day of August 1891 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 Piano Cover ^{1st} Crazy Work of the value of Fifty dollars. One Black Silk Dress of the value of Twenty five dollars. One Blue Cashmere Dress of the value of Twenty five dollars. One Brown Poplin and Plush Dress of the value of Thirty dollars. A quantity of Underclothing of the value of Eighteen dollars. A quantity of Crochery and Traces. Piece Red Plush and Vatin of the value of Twelve dollars. and one Brown Silk waist. and a quantity of remnants, in all of the amount and value of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) Family Bibles.

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 Clara De Gray (now here) from the

following facts to wit: That about the 3rd day of July 1891, deponent left the aforesaid premises and that on the said date the aforesaid property was in two trunks which were securely locked and fastened by deponent, in a store room on the third floor of said premises and that deponent returned to said premises about the 28th day of August 1891 and immediately discovered that said trunks had been opened and the aforesaid property missing and deponent further says that about the 3rd day of September 1891 she saw the aforesaid Black Silk Dress on the person of the defendant and that deponent is further informed by Officer Edward F. Brett of the

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Police Justice

19th Precinct Police - that he found the aforesaid piece of Red Plush and Satin - and the Brown Silk Waist - and towels and remnants in the room occupied by the defendant at No 244 West 19th Street - And deponent further says that she has seen the said piece of Red Plush and satin, Brown Silk Waist - Towels and remnants found in the room occupied by the defendant - and recognizes the same as her property - and as part of the property taken stolen and carried away from the said Trunks on the aforesaid Date - Deponent therefore charges the defendant with having committed a Larceny and asks that she may be held and dealt with as the Law may direct -

Sworn to before me this } Georgie Duke
11th day of September 1891

John S. Kelly
Police Justice

0864

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation Police Officer of No. _____

19th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Gerardine Duke

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

Sworn to before me, this _____

day of September 1890.

Edward J. Brett

John S. Keefe
Police Justice.

0865

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Clara De Gray

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Venice

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

Answer.

274 West 19th Street - 5 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Journalist

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
Clara De Gray

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

Agenda 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 Sept 11 1894 John E. Keely Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named.....

..... guilty of the offence within mentioned. I order he to be discharged.

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

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Police Court---

1210
District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Georgiana Dyke
vs.
Clara De Gray

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Jelamy

Dated

September 11 1891
Relief
Brett & Hays
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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$1.000

Handwritten signature and initials, including "G.H." and "Mia".

BAILEY

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Clara Mc Grey

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

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

The said

*Clara Mc Grey*late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22nd* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one piano cover of the value of fifty dollars, two dresses of the value of twenty-five dollars each, one other dress of the value of thirty dollars, divers articles of underclothing, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of eighteen dollars, ten towels of the value of one dollar ^{fifty cents} each, a quantity of crochery, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of ten dollars, one piece of plush of the value of five dollars, one piece of satin of the value of six dollars, one waist of the value of ten dollars; and ten pieces of cloth of the value of one dollar each piece

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Georgiana Duke

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Clara De Grey
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

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

the same goods, chattels and personal property described in the first count of this indictment

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

Georgianna Duke
unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Diamond, Solomon

DATE:

09/02/91



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Witnesses:

Anna Abramowitz

Counsel,
Filed *Sept. 1891*

Plends, Tohally in

15 THE PEOPLE

vs.

Solomon Diamond

Grand Larceny,
(From the Person),
[Sections 225, 226,
Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Committed to Special of
Gen.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. L. Berry
Foreman.

Part 3, September 24/91 -
Indict and Committed.
With recommendation to the mercy
of the Court.

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Police Court—3rd District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 28 Orchard Hannah Abramovitch Street, aged 24 years,
 occupation Married woman being duly sworn
 deposes and says, that on the 4th day of September 1894 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 good and
 lawful money of the United States of
 the amount and value of Two Dollars
 and fifty eight 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 Solomon Diamond (Jeweler)

from the fact that at about the hour of
 Eleven o'clock A.M. on said date while
 deponent was standing in a crowd on West
 Street in the act of purchasing a chicken
 deponent felt the defendant insert his defendant
 hand into deponent's dress pocket worn on
 the person of deponent and abstract the pocket
 book containing said money from deponent's dress
 pocket deponent caught hold of said defendant
 at the time and said defendant had said
 pocket in his defendant's hand he defendant
 broke away from deponent and ran away
 pursued by deponent until he defendant
 was taken into custody by an Officer

Hannah Abramovitch
 Deponent

Sworn to before me, this
 11th day of
 September 1894
 at New York
 City
 Notary Public

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

Solomon Diamond 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. *Solomon Diamond*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *London*

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

Answer. *55 Willet St 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clark*

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*

Solomon Diamond

Subscribed before me this
14th day of
April 1891
John B. Smith
Police Justice.

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

Dependant
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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 17* 18..... *John B. Smith* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court---

3rd 1177 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Hamad Khomovitch
28 Orchard St
Solomon Diamond

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Dated

Sept. 4th 1891

Magistrate.

Adolph Holger

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Call the Officer

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Residence

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No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

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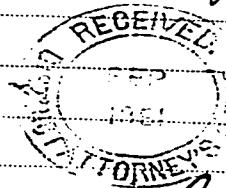
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Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.



COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS,

Part II

T h e P e o p l e

against

Solomon Diamond.

Before

Hon. F. Smyth,
Recorder.

New York, Sep tember 24th, 1891.

A p p e a r a n c e s:

H. H. Stapler, for The People,

James H. McLaughlin for the defendant.

ABSTRACT OF TESTIMONY.

H A N N A H A B R A M O V I T C H, sworn for the People.

DIRECT EXAMINATION by Mr. Stapler:

I live at 28 Orchard Street, and lived there on the 4th of September, 1891. About seven o'clock on the morning of

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that day, I was in Hester Street buying a chicken. While I was buying the chicken I felt somebody pull my pocket, then I saw the prisoner. I got hold of his sleeve and he ran away---walked away---from me. He had the pocket book in his hand when I commenced to holler. That was my pocket-book, a big pocket-book. There was \$2.58 in it. I ran after him, and I hollered, and other people ran after him, too. One man who was standing there on the sidewalk got hold of him, and immediately a policeman came up. The policeman arrested him, and when I came up to the policeman and the boy, the policeman had the pocketbook. That was my pocket-book that was in the policeman's hands. I went to the Station House to make a charge against the prisoner; I told the story there.

CROSS EXAMINATION by Mr. McLaughlin.

Hester Street is very narrow where I was standing; it was crowded; there was a big crowd; it was very much occupied at the sidewalk. I did not notice whether they have any push carts up at the sidewalk that they sell goods on; I did not look around; I did not take any notice; it is always crowded around there; I didn't notice who were standing

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there. There was a considerable crowd all around me. I did not see any man near me, but ladies were standing near me. I did not see any boys ; I did not see the prisoner either, only when I felt a pull at my pocket, then I saw him. I am quite positive that this is the boy. I got hold of his sleeve and he broke away, and then he was caught by another citizen, and then the policeman got up, so he was stopped; I could not hold on to him: he broke away. But I did hold on to him for a little while, got hold of his sleeve.

I know the obligation of the oath I took. I swore to tell the truth. I am a Russian. I got hold of the prisoner's coat sleeve and I saw then his full face.

RE-DIRECT EXAMINATION by Mr. Stapler:

This was the boy that I saw back of me, and that had his hand on my pocket, because he ran away from me; he broke away, and he was caught after. I saw in his hand my pocket-book.

A D O L P H J. H A L S E R , sworn on behalf of the People.

DIRECT EXAMINATION by Mr. Stapler:

I am an officer of the police court of the City of New York, assigned to duty in the Eleventh precinct. On the 4th

of September I was on Hester Street, about seven o'clock in the morning. I saw the complainant in this case there at that time, and this boy, the prisoner. I was standing on the corner of Hester and Essex Street, and I heard somebody cry, "Stop thief", and I turned round, and I saw the boy coming around down towards me, with a crowd after him. I ran up and somebody put his hand up and held him, and one fellow says, "He stole a pocket-book;" and somebody on the sidewalk says, "Here it is on the sidewalk"; and the woman came up, and I says, "Is this your pocket-book?" and she told me it was hers. She identified this boy as being the one that stole her pocket-book. I took him to the Station-House, and she made a complaint.

CROSS EXAMINATION by Mr. Laughlin:

I talk German. A citizen arrested the boy and turned him over to me. I did not see the larceny committed; I saw the boy running, that is all. He ran right down to where I was, and I arrested him. I did not notice whether there were other boys running towards me as well as the defendant; there were more women down there than anything else.

P E O P L E R E S T.

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S O L O M O N D I A M O N D, defendant, sworn.

DIRECT EXAMINATION by Mr. McLaughlin.

I heard the testimony given by the complainant in regard to my taking her pocket-book. I did not take her pocket-book. I did not touch her in any way or have anything to do with that pocket-book. Here is how I came to be arrested: we were all there together in Hester Street, and the complainant was running along the sidewalk, and she pointed up to me, and all hollered, "Stop thief", and another policeman came and caught hold of me, and another policeman says, "Shall I take him up to the Station-house?" and that policeman said, "Yes", and he took me up to the Station-house. This woman was running along, and I knocked up against her arm.

By the Court:

I have not left school. I lived in London. I came here four months ago. I have been working as a clerk since I have been here with an uncle of mine, named Levi, Meyer Levi. He is an agent for picture frames. his store is at 32 Great Jones Street. He works there; he is agent for them. I went

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around advertising the pictures. I wrote out the receipts in the houses where I went.. I did not sell the pictures; I took the name and address; if they buy very much tea, they get a picture. I was not working that day; I was sick, and I went around to my Grandma in Eldridge Street. I live with my mother and father. My mother is in Court.

LEAH DIAMOND, sworn on behalf of the defendant.

DIRECT EXAMINATION by Mr. McLaughlin:

I live at 55 Eldridge Street. The prisoner is my son. He works for Levi, and has worked about eleven weeks, I believe. He has always been a hard-working and industrious boy. I do not know other people that know my son here; we only came from London three months ago. I do know other people that know my son, I suppose, friends. His reputation among those friends for honesty was very good. He has never done anything in his life.

Mr. McLaughlin sums up for the defendant, the Recorder charged the Jury, and the Jury retired.

Case closed.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Solomon Diamond

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

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

The said

Solomon Diamond
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms.

one promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called United States Treasury Notes, of the denomination and value of *two* dollars; *one* promissory note for the payment of money of the kind commonly called Bank Notes, of the denomination and value of *two* dollars; *one* United States Gold Certificate, of the denomination and value of *two* dollars; *one* United States Silver Certificate, of the denomination and value of *two* dollars.

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

divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *two* dollars and *fifty-eight* cents, and *one* pocketbook of the value of *twenty-five* cents.

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

De Rancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Dier, Sabina

DATE:

09/23/91



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Witnesses:

Mary Bear

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Henry A

Counsel,

1891

Filed

23rd day of Sept.

Pleas,

Aggault &c.

THE PEOPLE

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345 1136 vs.

3000 1136

Sabine Dier

Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Berry

Part 3. Sept 29/91. Foreman.

Pleas Assault - 3^d degree

14th Pen 311
(11th 1100 2-91)

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Police Court—2nd District.City and County } ss.:
of New York, }of No. 115- W 25th Street, aged 50 years,occupation Housekeeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 1st day of Sept 1889 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

He was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Sabina Kier
(now here) who cut and stabbed deponent
once on the arm with some sharp instrument
which she then and there held in her hand
thereby cutting deponent's arm severely.
Deponent further says that such
assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 1st dayof Sept 1889

John S. Kelly Police Justice.
Mary Kier
mark

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Sec. 198-200.

27 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Sabina Quier 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.

Sabina Quier

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

36 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New Jersey

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

Answer.

No 127 W 25th St and One Month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laundress

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
Sabina Quier

Taken before me this 1st
day of September 1887
John S. Kelly

Police Justice.

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

Defendant
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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 12* 18*91* *John S. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Police Court--- 2 --- District. 1153

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Dier
115 St. 25 St.
Sabina Dier

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Assault - 7th

Dated Sept 12 1891

Kelly Magistrate.

Scully Officer.

15 Precinct.

Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

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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

Sabina Dier

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

Sabina Dier

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

The said

Sabina Dier

late of the City and County of New York, on the *first* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Mary Dier

in the peace of the said People ~~then~~ and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully did make an assault; and the said

Sabina Dier

with a certain sharp instrument ~~to the Grand Jury~~ which ~~aforesaid~~ the said ~~unknown~~, which she, the said *Sabina Dier* in *her* right hand — then and there had and held, the same being then and there a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *her*; the said *Mary Dier* — then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab, — bruise and wound, 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.

He Lancel Nicoll,
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Donnell, Hugh

DATE:

09/17/91



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Bennett, Edward

DATE:

09/17/91



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Witnesses:

John Donnelly

Counsel,

Filed

day of Sept. 1891

Plends,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Hugh Donnell
and

Edward Bennett

Grand Larceny, (Sections 223, 28, 29, 30 Penal Code.)

Do. Sept. 23/91 DE LANCEY NICOLL,
Pls for his wife & child
All names & initials
Sept 23/91 FN
A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Leary
Foreman.

Post I ~~Sept 23/91~~
Sept 23/91
Sept 23/91

After examining this
particular case I find that
the complainant is unable
to support the charge made
in this return indictment but there
are no other witnesses for the people
who alleged larceny. The complainant
never testifies that the
the division of this indictment
therefore we adjourn the case
Sept 28/91 Wm. J. Leary
Assistant District Attorney

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,of ~~John Donnelly~~ John Donnelly Street, aged 31 years,
occupation Collectordeposes and says, that on the 1 day of September 1891 at the City of New York
in the State of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the night time, the following property, viz: and thereafter brought in to the
City and County of New York—

One gold Watch - with gold Chain
attached. of the value of Ninety-
dollars (90). and one Gold Diamond
Ring of the value of Seventy-five
dollars. 5. all of the amount and value of (165)
the property of Deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and
carried away by John Donnelly and Edward Bennett

(both now here), while acting in concert with
each other, from the following facts to wit:
That on the aforesaid date about the hour
of 7.30 o'clock P.M. deponent was sitting on
the string-piece, at the Scranton Dock
Jersey City. and at that time the said Watch
was in the pocket of the vest then and there
worn on the person of deponent, and said
Watch was attached to said Chain to said
vest, and said Ring was on the finger
of deponents left hand - and that while
deponent was sitting on said String-piece he fell
asleep. and that about the hour of 8.30 o'clock
P.M. deponent woke up and missed the aforesaid

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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Notary Public

property. and that deponent is informed by
 Officer Patrick F. Hunt of the Ninth Precinct
 Police. that said defendant Bennett, admitted
 and confessed to said Officer Hunt in the
 presence of Officer Thomas Burleigh of the 9th
 Precinct Police. that said defendant Donnell
 had taken stolen and carried away the
 aforesaid property - and that he Bennett
 went with and accompanied Donnell to the
 Pawn Office of Mr. Vempin at No 91 Park Row
 where they pawned and pledged said ~~Property~~
 and went with said Donnell to the Pawn Office
 of Mulvihill and Costello at No 4. Bowery
 and there pawned and pledged the aforesaid
 Watch and deponent further says that he has
 seen the said Watch at said Pawn Office
 said Donnell and Bennett and recognizes
 the said property as his and as the property
 which was stolen from him on the aforesaid
 date. Deponent therefore charges the defendants
 while acting in concert with each other in having
 committed a Larceny and asks that they may
 be held and dealt with as the Law may direct &
 sworn to before me this
 4 day of September 1891

John S. Kelly
 Police Judge

James Donnell

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Burleigh
aged _____ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. _____
Police Officer Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this _____

day of _____

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Thomas Burleigh

John S. Kelly
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation _____ of No. _____

9th Precinct Police

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

John Donnelly

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

Sworn to before me, this _____

day of *September* 1890, }

Patrick F. Hunt

John S. Kelly

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Hugh Donnell

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.

Hugh Donnell

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

49 Lane Street - 5 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Longshoreman

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
Hugh Donnell

Taken before me this

day of *March* 191*5*

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John S. Kelly

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

Edward Bennett

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. *Edward Bennett*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *42 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *England*

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

Answer. *484 - Hudson Street - 10 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Mythomaniac*

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 -
E. A. Bennett

Taken before me this
18th day of
Sept 1887
John S. Kece

Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, 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 Sept 10th 1891 John S. Keely Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Donnelly
Hugh Donnell
Edward Bennett

officer from the penitentiary

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Dated Sept 24 1891

Kelly
Hunt & Bunbury
Magistrate.
Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$1,000 each to answer

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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.



New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUSHugh Donnell and
Edward Bennett -

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. On the evening of August 31st 1891. I attended a Pic-nic at the Atlanta Casino and remained there all night. I drank considerable and became intoxicated. On the morning of September 1st 1891. I (without) going to bed went to liquor store No 85 Carmine Street, this city and there met the defendant ~~Donnell~~ Donnell, whom I had known for some time, and invited him to accompany me to Jersey City, which he did. When I left 85 Carmine Street with the defendant Donnell it was about 2 o'clock P. M. - While on our way to Desbrosses Street ferry we had several more drinks, and after crossing the ferry we had several more intoxicating drinks. We were both intoxicated at this time. I endeavored to borrow money on my watch and chain in Jersey City, from a liquor dealer corner of Warren Street and Plymouth Street but was refused. We were both

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,

VERSUS

Hugh Donnell and
Edward Bennett

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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.

Without money at this time. We
went then to Scranton dock, and
I felt badly not having money. I
there fell asleep - when I awoke,
my property was gone - The defendant
Donnell was not with me at this time
and I thought he had taken my
property - The next time I saw the
defendant Donnell was on the morning
of September 3^d on 8th Avenue near
Jane Street this City - I was riding
on an 8th Avenue Car and the defendant
Donnell was walking along 8th Avenue.
I remained on the car until I came
across a Police Officer, to whom I spoke
and asked him to arrest the defendant
Donnell which he did. I made

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PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

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District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert
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to myself.

a charge of Grand Larceny against him
at the Jefferson Market Police Court.

I did not speak to the defendant
Donnell or ask an explanation from
him and at that time thought he
intended to steal my property. I was
not perfectly sober at the time I made
the charge against him. as I had been
drinking heavily for three or four days prior
to making the charge. When I became
perfectly sober I had an indistinct or
faint recollection of giving my property to
the defendant Donnell to pledge for me
and as his reputation has been very good
and also the reputation of the defendant
Edward Bennett. and as I do not wish
to cause any injustice to either of the
defendants I ask the permission of this
Court to withdraw the Complaint against both
defendants. September 23-1891- John Donnelly

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against
Hugh Donnell
and Edward Bennett

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

Hugh Donnell and Edward Bennett
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed
as follows:

The said

Hugh Donnell and Edward Bennett, both

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

*one watch of the value of
sixty dollars, one chain of the
value of thirty dollars, and
one finger-ring of the value of
seventy-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Donnelly

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Hugh Donnell and Edward Bennett
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:
The said *Hugh Donnell and Edward Bennett, both*

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

*one watch of the value of
sixty dollars, one chain of the
value of thirty dollars, and one
finger ring of the value of
seventy-five dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Donnelly

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

John Donnelly

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Donnell and Edward Bennett

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Donovan, John

DATE:

09/22/91



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Witnesses:

Off O'Connor

Carroll

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W. H. Keller

W. H. Keller

Counsel,

Filed *22* day of *Sept* 189*1*

Plends *Sept 23*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Donovan

Grand Larceny, Second Degree
[Sections 228, 234, V. & O. — Penal Code.]

Ref. 22/91
YANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

Heard

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. O'Brien
Foreman.

Sept 23

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,

Edward L Merrifield

of No. 902 Broadway Street, aged 52 years,
 occupation Hotel Keeper being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 26th day of August 1891 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 Gold watch and one
Gold chain valued at about
Twenty five dollars

the property of Julia H. Carroll is the care
of deponent as a Hotel Proprietor

and that this deponent
 has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and
 carried away by John DeLaurier (Truher)
 from the fact that defendant was in
 the employ of deponent as bell boy.
 That said Julia H. Carroll was a guest at
 deponent's Hotel that she had said
 watch in her room in said Hotel. That she reported
 to deponent that a watch had been stolen
 from her room and then gave deponent a
 description of said watch. Deponent is
 informed by Officer O'Connor that he arrested
 the defendant in a pawn office in this
 City as he was in the act of redeeming a
 watch. Deponent has since identified said
 watch as the property stolen as above said.
 Deponent therefore charges the defendant with
 having stolen said property and prays that
 he be held to answer. Edward L Merrifield

Sworn to before me this

10 day

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.2nd District Police Court.

John Donavan 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 Donavan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *207 E 70th Street 5 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waiter*

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 stealing the watch. I found it in the public parlor of the hotel
John Donavan

Taken before me this 10th

day of September 1891

John S. Lee

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *Sept 10* 1891 *John S. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 2¹²⁰⁵ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ed L. Merrifield
902 Bway
J. W. Donavan

Officer A. J. C. C. C.

Dated Sept 10th 1891

Almoner G. Branch
Cultural Precinct.

Witnesses call the officers

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

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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.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Donovan

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

John Donovan
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *Second* DEGREE, committed
as follows:

The said

John Donovan

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *26th*
day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety- *one*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of
twenty-five dollars and one chain
of the value of ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Julia N. Carroll

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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The said

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

*one watch of the value of
twenty-five dollars, and one
chain of the value of two dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Julia N. Carroll
by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Julia N. Carroll
unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Doody, Jeremiah

DATE:

09/15/91



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Witness:

Patrick King
Off Harnell

Part

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleds,

Sept 11

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Jermiah C. Doody

Grand Larceny, 3rd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 530, Penal Code].

JOHN N. FELLOWS

Paul I. Sept 21, 91 District Attorney.

Wanted also by
Doran & Co. Inc.

A True Bill.

Part

W. J. C. Barry

Foreman

Sept 21/91
Sped. by Acquisition

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First District
Police Court

Patrick King

vs

Jeremiah C. Noody

Charged with
Larceny from

the person.

Sept 3^d 1891.

Complainant being duly sworn
deposes and says as follows examined
what time was this last night
about half past 9 o'clock.

Q Who was with you?
A Peter W. Glone

Q Where does he live?

A The same number 538 E 16th Street

Q Where is he now?

A He is at work now.

Q Why did you not bring him
here with you?

A He was not there at the time

Q Where were you standing

A Next door to Castle garden as
you go in -

Q Did you see this defendant there

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Q He was standing close to me
 Q How many people were around
 you at the time?

A Quite a crowd but he was
 next to me, there was nobody
 as close to me as he was

Q Did you see him take your
 watch?

A I had my hands free this and
 I felt my watch chain drop
 in my hand.

Q Did you see this man take
 your watch?

A No. but he was along side of me

Q How near as he to you?

A Closer than you are.

Q Anybody else the side of you

A No not as near to me as he
 was.

Q You would swear positively
 that he took your watch?

A Yes Sir because there was
 nobody else near me but
 him.

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Q/when the watch was taken when
happened then?

A/The ring and chain came off
the watch and it dropped on
my hand and I looked down
and I saw him pass his hand
around like this (showing)
and the watch was found
behind him

Q/who found the watch?
A/they picked it up
Q/was the lady with him?
A/never saw her as standing
by.

Q/He didn't explain how she got it.
A/She passed the watch to a
policeman

Q/Shouldn't you be able to tell you
who took the watch?

A/I get the chain myself.

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Jeremiah Woody the
 defendant being duly sworn
 deposes and says
 Direct Examination

Q Where do you live?
 A 156 E 1st Street

Q Where were you last night?
 A Down at the Battery at a concert
 Q With whom?
 A Myself.

Q Did you see this complainant
 there?

A Yes Sir

Q When did you see him?

A As soon as he came out me
 of taking his watch

Q What did you say to him when
^{he} accused him of taking
 this watch?

A I said him if he was getting
 crazy.

Q How many people were
 around there at the time?

A There were 25 people in the crowd

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giving with the concert the police
were making a passage way
for the crowd to get in

Q Were there a number of people
near him as near as you were
A yes and the officers were
keeping the crowd back

Q And the first you knew of his
having lost the watch was
when he advised you?

A yes Sir

Q Did you see a lady who was
there who picked the watch up
A No Sir I did not

Q Did you see the watch?

A No Sir

Q Did you ever have it in your
possession or take it from him?

A No Sir

By the Court

Q You didn't have any body with
you you say?

A No Sir there were people who
were standing around that

could see better than I could.
 If there was nobody between
 you and the man he felt
 his chair drop on his hand
 and he saw you pass your
 hand around your back
 and the woman who was
 behind you pick up the watch
 and hand it to the officer.
 The lady was not right behind
 me she was standing on a
 little pile of stones to gain
 the watch. and when the
 man made a halloo that his
 watch was gone all hands
 opened as a crowd began
 looking for it and I looked.
 I didn't see the lady who
 picked the watch up if the
 lady who was standing on
 the pile of stones picked the
 watch up I didn't know it.
 If you don't know the lady or
 all that was there?

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A 710 Sir

Case closed

Defendant had to bail in
sum of \$1000.00 to answer

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Police Court— / District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.of No. 528 East 11th Street, aged 22 years,
occupation Latner being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 2nd day of September 1891 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:One silver watch
of the value of fifteen dollars \$15.

the property of

DeponentSworn to before me, this
of September 1891 }
day

To J. C. Russell, Police Justice.

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 Jeremiah C. Dordy (now here) for the reason that on the 2nd day of September 1891, about 9-30 P. M. Deponent was in the Battery Park and had the above described property in the lower left hand pocket of his vest. Deponent felt a tug at his vest and immediately felt for his watch and it was gone. Deponent at once accused the defendant (who was standing directly in front of him and close to him) with having taken, stolen and carrying away his watch. Defendant passed his hand behind him and a lady in the park picked up deponent's watch at the feet of the defendant. Wherefore Deponent charges the defendant with the larceny of his watch from his person and prays that he may be held to answer.

Patrick King

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Jeremiah C. Duddy 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. *Jeremiah C. Duddy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *31 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Washington D. C.*

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

Answer. *126 E. 81st Street. 5 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Real Estate Broker*

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.*

Jeremiah C. Duddy

Taken before me this

*3rd*day of *September* 1891

J. P. Callahan
Police Justice.

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

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty* 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 3rd* 1891 *Jo J. C. Bell* Police Justice

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

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

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

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

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BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court---

1171 District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick King
528 E. 16th St

1 *Jeremiah C. Drosky*

2 _____

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Offence Larceny from the person

Dated *September 3rd* 189*1*

O. Kelly Magistrate.

Guappner Fenzell Officer.

Park Precinct.

Witnesses *Officer Drosky & 1*

to prove former conviction under

No. *re name John Fall* Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *G. S.*

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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

Jeremiah C. Doody

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

Jeremiah C. Doody
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said

Jeremiah C. Doody

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

*one watch of the
value of fifteen dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

on the person of the said

then and there being found, from the person of the said

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.

Patrick King
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District Attorney

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DATE:

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Witness:

Witnesses: *John Turner*

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Counsel,

Filed

day

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

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Michael Dorman

Burglary in the Third Degree,
[Section 498, N.Y. Penal Code.]

P3 Sept 21/19 DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

Samuel C. Cook

A TRUE BILL

W. C. Barry

P.O. Sept 21, 1891 Foreman.

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King, 3 1/2 dg
with rec. to Perry:

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Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York, }John Furin
of No. 699 10th Avenue Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Laborer being duly sworndeposes and says, that ~~the premises~~ booth erected on the dock front of
near 51st Street in the City and County aforesaid the said being a benign a booth
used as a storage room
and which was occupied by deponent's ^{employer} as a storage room
and in which there was at the time a ~~number of~~ ^{number of} ~~things~~ ^{things} being by naturewere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking and
removing the boards on the floor
of said boothon the 27th day of August 1891 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Eight bottle of soda water and
a quantity of candy valued \$6.⁰⁰the property of deponent's employer and in deponent's care
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 byMichael Donovan (now here)
and two other men not arrestedfor the reasons following, to wit: that said booth was
securely locked and fastened
and said property was therein.
Deponent went to said dock to
see if said booth was secure
and deponent heard voices emanating
therefrom. Deponent saw one of the
unknown men near the booth with
a part of said property and took

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it from him and deponent then
arrested the said Dorman but the
other man escaped. Deponent then
inspected the booth and found the
game broken open in the manner
sagorsan

Sworn to before me } John Finn
this 28th August, 1891 }

Wm. Wade }

Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated _____ 1891
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.
Dated _____ 1891
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated _____ 1891
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

Offence—BURGLARY.

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2.
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Date

1891

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness.

No.

Subst.

No.

Subst.

No.

Subst.

to answer General Sessions.

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(1885)

Sec. 108—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Michael Doonan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *43 E. 45th Street, 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Michael Doonan
H. J. C. H.

Taken before me this *28*
day of *March* 188*5*
Police Justice.

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

defendant
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 7500 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 28 1891 H. A. Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Finic
699 10th Avenue
Michael Doonan

Duffy
Office

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated *Aug 28* 1891

W. C. ... Magistrate.

Duffy Officer.

22 Precinct.

Witnesses *Edward V. Conley*

No. *704 E. 23rd St* Street.

Timothy ...
fort of ... St East River

No. Street.

\$ *500* to answer

Attorney
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Am
Recd

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III.

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 The People of the State of New York, :
 :
 against : Before
 : Hon. Fred'k Smyth
 : and a Jury.
 Michael Doonan. :
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Indictment filed Sept. 15, 1891.

Indicted for burglary in the third degree
and petty larceny.

New York, September 21, 1891.

For the People,

Asst. District-Atty Henry E. Stapler;

For the Defendant,

Louis Steckler, Esq.

JOHN FINN , a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I work for Mr. Collins. I was working for him on the 27th. of August last down at the 50th. St. dock. Mr. Collins is engaged in the business of candies, fruit &c., soda water, lemonade and all that kind of stuff. He has a shanty on the dock at the foot of 50th. Street. On the 27th. of August in the evening between 8 and 9 o'clock I was down on that dock. We had been missing stuff right along and Mr. Collins asked me to watch the stand for about an hour. I got behind some lumber and between half past 8 and 9 o'clock I saw three young fellows coming down and I watched them and I saw the three of them go inside of the shanty. They went back of the shanty and pulled the boards out from underneath the shanty and went in. This defendant was one of the three boys whom I saw

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do this act. When I saw them coming out two of them got away and the third little fellow that came out I held. That was this defendant now at the bar. He had two boxes of caramels in his hand. He begged me to let him go. I did let him go. I brought the box of caramels to Mr. Collins' house and we both came down to the dock together. When we got down we found the same three persons down there. They had taken about 8 bottles of soda water, 2 boxes of lozenges, two boxes of caramels and several other articles. They were sitting on the logs eating and drinking. I ran over and I managed to catch this defendant Michael Doonan, now at the bar.

Cross-examination:

This happened between 8 and 9 o'clock at night. I am positive that I caught the defendant twice on the same night. I have seen him around that dock several times before and I could not be mistaken in my identification of him.

TIMOTHY COLLINS, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am engaged in the confectionary business, having a booth on the 50th. Street dock. The last witness came to my house on the 27th. of August last and told me of the larceny of some of my property. I went down to the dock with him and when we reached there we saw three boys sitting on the logs eating candy and drinking soda water. We chased them and managed to catch this defendant. We turned him over to an officer and he was taken to the Station House. I had securely locked

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my shanty before leaving it at six o'clock that evening.
Cross-examination:

I did not see the defendant or any of the other boys enter my shanty. All I saw was the three boys eating and drinking on the dock. Most of the bottles were empty when we recovered them. When we arrested the defendant he said that two big boys had broken into the place.

JOHN J. GREEN, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am an officer of the Municipal Police attached to the 22d. Precinct. I arrested the defendant on the evening of the 27th. of August at the foot of 49th. Street, East River. The property which was found on the logs was identified by Mr. Collins as belonging to him.

DEFENSE:

MICHAEL DOONAN, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I live at 433 East 45th. St. with my mother and father. I am 15 years of age. I work in the flax mill at 57th. St. and 11th. Avenue for three dollars a week. On the night of the 27th. of August I left my house at 7 o'clock to go down on the dock with some of the boys. I went down to see a chowder party coming in. I met a boy named Mike and another boy whose first name I did not know and we went down together. When we got down there we met two boys sitting on the logs and they were eating candy and drinking soda water. They gave me some and I sat down alongside of them on the logs and began to eat some of the candy and drink some of the soda water.

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The boys who had the stuff were twice as big as I am. I had not seen the witness Finn previously that evening. I did not break into that shanty, nor did I steal anything.

Q Did you ever steal anything in your life ? A I don't know. Yes, sir; I did. I did not steal, but I took things off my mother, five or ten cents.

Q Were you ever arrested before ? A No, sir.

Cross-examination:

Q You found these boys eating this stuff on the logs ?

A Yes, sir.

Q Do you know where they got it from? A I did not know where they got it from.

Q You knew Collins had his place down there ? A Yes, sir.

Q You did not ask these boys where they got the stuff ?

A I asked them where they got it and they said that they got it.

Q You knew Collins, didn't you? A No, sir.

Q You knew he had a place at the 50th. Street Dock? A I knew he kept a candy store down there.

Q You were often down there, as you live in that neighborhood ? A Not very often.

Q Sometimes ? A Yes, sir.

Q You have been down there at night before ? A Yes, sir.

BRIDGET DOONAN, a witness for the defendant, sworn, testified:

The defendant is my son. I never knew him to do anything wrong. He is a good faithful boy. He never slept a night out of my house and has never been arrested

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for anything in his life. He always brought his wages home to me when he was employed.

The Jury returned a verdict of "guilty of burglary in the third degree".

Indictment filed Sept. 15, 1893

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

against

MICHAEL DOONAN

Abstract of testimony on

trial September 21st

1893.

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108 Gold, cor. Frankfort Street,

New York, Dec 9 1891

Hon Fred K. Smyth

Dear Sir

Some old
10th Ward friends of mine are very
anxious to have ^{Michael} Tho. Dorman discharged
and permitted to return to his parents.

One of their neighbors
is willing to employ him and it seems
to me that the lad would be benefitted
by that course.

Yours very truly

Smith & Co
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Court of
General Sessions
The People
vs
Michael Noonan

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23^d STREET,

New York, Sept. 1st 1891

CASE NO. 59167
DATE OF ARREST August 27
CHARGE Burglary

OFFICER Lormley

AGE OF CHILD 14 yrs
RELIGION Catholic
FATHER Thomas
MOTHER Bridget

RESIDENCE 233. St. 45th St.

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

The boy
has not been arrested before he
lives in a poor home with his parents
who neglect him. he has a very
bad reputation from the neighbors
where he lives and also from the
Police

All which is respectfully submitted,

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Court. A

General Sessions

John. Cooper

vs

Michael Noonan

Penal Code.

Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,
NEW YORK CITY.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Michael Doonan

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

Michael Doonan

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

The said

Michael Doonan

late of the 2nd Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty-seventh day of *August* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* in the *night* time of the same day, at the
Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *booth* of
one *John Finn*

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

— Michael Doonan —
 of the CRIME OF *Petty* LARCENY committed as follows:

The said

Michael Doonan

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

*eight bottles of soda water of the
 value of ten cents each bottle,
 and twenty-five pounds of
 candy of the value of twenty
 cents each pound*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Finn

in the

booth

of the said

John Finn

there situate, then and there being found, in the *booth*
 aforesaid, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute
 in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York
 and their dignity.

*De Lancey Nicoll,
 District Attorney*

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THIRD COUNT:

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

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

The said

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

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said

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

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Duffey, Annie

DATE:

09/25/91



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Witnesses:

Anna Cotton

Counsel,

Filed

25th day of Sept.

1891

Plends,

Wm. J. H. H. H.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Annie Duffey

Grand Larceny, Second Degree
[Sections 533, 534, 535 Penal Code]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. H. H. H.

Foreman.

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Police Court 5th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York, }Anna B. Stratton

of No. 249 West 103rd Street, aged 40 years,
 occupation none being duly sworn,
 deposes and says, that on the 10th day of September, 1891 at the City of New
 York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the pos-
 session of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

Four one half yards of Lace of
the value of ten dollars for yarn in use
of the value of forty-five dollars in

the property of deponent and her husband James B. Stratton

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 Annie Saffy, (nee Lee), Jane
the fact that the said Annie Saffy
was in deponent's employ as servant
and deponent caused the arrest of said
defendants on the 14th September, 1891 and
in her possession was found the above
described property which deponent fully
identified as her property, and the said
Annie Saffy admitted to deponent that
she did feloniously take and carry
away the above described property
Anna B. Stratton

Sworn to before me, this 14 dayof September, 1891

W. H. Rice Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

Amie Duffy 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.

Amie Duffy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

577-9th Avenue! 14 days

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Servant

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

Amie Duffy

Taken before me this

1st

day of September, 1891

W. J. O'Brien
Police Justice

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 September 14th 1891 DeCoursey Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court---5---1222 District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anna B. Stratton.
249 W 103

1 Annie Jeffery

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Lacey
Sherry

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated September 14 1891

Meade Magistrate.

William J. McBlain Officer.

26th Precinct.

Witnesses Said Officer.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

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Department of
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,

Office of City Prison, Corner of Franklin and Centre Streets,

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't.,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., } Commissioners.
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, }

CHARLES OSBORNE, Warden.

New York,

Oct 1st 1891

Hon Judge Fitzgerald:-

On examination
of Annie Duffy, I find
she has the physical signs
of being about 4 months
pregnant:-

Respectfully Yours
Charles H. Magee M.D.
City Physician

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127 WEST 93RD STREET

This is to certify that
Annie Duffy is an
excellent "Waitress"
and "Chambermaid".
also can assist
with "laundry" in a
satisfactory manner.

Mrs. E. L. Hanna

May 19, 20

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WEST HAMPTON COUNTRY CLUB,
WEST HAMPTON BEACH,
LONG ISLAND.

Sept 20th 1891.

To the Lawyer
for Annie Duffy.

Dear Sir,

I have just received a letter from a former servant of mine Annie Duffy, saying she has been accused of stealing, and asking me to appear and testify to her good character next Tuesday morning. Unfortunately I am not only out of town, but physically unable to appear in person, and have written you hoping my letter will have some effect in exonerating her from her dreadful

situation. She has lived in my employ for 15 months, and I found her an honest faithful girl, - as my servants have access to every thing in my house, a lock and key on nothing, Annie could have easily stolen valuable things, if she felt inclined, - how ever we missed nothing during her stay in my house, and she discharged her duties faithfully and in a most satisfactory manner, she left me of her own accord as my reference given to her at that time will testify.

My family are honest respectable people, which I am in a position to know not only having had several of her relatives in my employ but at the present time her cousin has been my cook for twenty eight years -

Any more questions you wish to ask I will gladly answer if you will direct same to Oneck House West Hampton Long Island. - Hoping this letter will have the desired effect I am

Very truly Yours -
Mrs E Benedict -

Should you desire my city address,
it is,
61 South Portland Ave Brooklyn.

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Brooklyn

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150 Myrtle Ave

This Is to Certify
that I have
known Annie Duffy
for 6 years during
such time - I have
always known her
to be a good honest
industrious, and
willing girl. And can
prove her as such
as I have had known
her to be

Thomas Henry

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61 South Portland Ave.
Brooklyn.

This is to certify that the
bearer "Annie Duff" has been
in my employ. as chamber
maid, and waitress for
eighteen months. She is
thoroughly competent, and is
honest and willing. She
left me of her own accord

Mrs C. Benedict.

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Oct. 1st 91

This is to certify that I
James Gorman has known
Annie Duffy for over six
years and have known her to
be an honest hard working
girl and can thoroughly testify
to her honesty in every respect
during that period and will
willingly answer in her
behalf if required

Signed James Gorman

577. Ninth Ave. N. Y. City

New York.
 Oct 2/41
 Hon. Judge's of the
 Court of Sessions
 Hon. Sir's

This is to cer-
 tify that I know Miss
 Annie Duffy of 57th-
 9 ave. to be a respec-
 table and honest young
 woman and have never
 known or heard of her
 to commit any dishon-
 est act in the 10 yrs
 I have known her.
 John Coslew
 479 97th St
 N.Y.

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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

Annie Duffey

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

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

The said

Annie Duffey

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

four and one half yards of lace
of the value of ten dollars each
yard

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Byrne T. Stratton

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

Annie Duffey
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

Annie Duffey

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,

*four and one half yards of lace
of the value of ten dollars each
yard*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Sydney F. Stratton

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

Sydney F. Stratton

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Annie Duffey

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Duffy, Frances

DATE:

09/09/91



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Witnesses:

Luise Mollis

Off. McEwan

6th Cir.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

9 day of *Sept.*, 189*1*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Francis Duff

Grand Larceny, *Grand Degree*,
(From the Person.)
[Sections 328, 330, — Penal Code].

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Wm. H. Allen

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. Berry

Foreman

Wm. H. Allen

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Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,of No. 33 Mulberry Street, aged 40 years,
occupation laborer being duly sworn,deposes and says, that on the 14 day of August 1891 at the City of NewYork, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of
person of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:One Silver Watch and plated chain
of the value of Five dollarsthe property of deponentand that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen
from the person of deponent
and carried away by,Francis Kelly (now here) from
the fact that while deponent was standing
at the corner of Baxter and Victor Streets
said defendant came up to deponent and
snatched the aforesaid property from the vest
then and there upon deponent and attempted
to run away when deponent seized said defendant
and held on to said defendant until Officer
Dennis McKeon came to deponent's assistance.
Wherefore deponent charges said defendant
with taking, stealing and carrying away said
property from deponent's person.Aniello Di LorenzoSworn to before me, this
of August 1891 }
dayEdmund Kelly Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

192 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Francis Duffy 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 *his* waiver cannot be used
against h *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Francis Duffy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

227 Mulberry St. 5 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Francis Duffy

Taken before me this
day of *April* 192*1*

P. J. McCall Police Justice

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

Francis Duffy
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 *15 Aug* 1891 *J. C. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, et al
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Giuseppe Di Lorenzo
35 Mulberry St
Francis Duffy

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Office
James Perbon

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street

Dated 15 Aug 1891

O'Reilly Magistrate.

McLachlan Officer.
6 Precinct.

Witnesses Giuseppe Molico

No. 35 Mulberry Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

Committed



Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Francis Duffy

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

The said

Francis Duffy

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourteenth*
day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
~~eighty-ninety-one~~ *eighty* in the *night* - time of the said day, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the
value of four dollars and one
chain of the value of one
dollar*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one
on the person of the said

then and there being found, from the person of the said

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.

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De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney