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Witnesses:

Antonia Fortunato

211. Mott St

Officer John Foley

10: Precinct

Counsel, Beach
Filed 20 day of June 1887
Plead: Guilty

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Williams
Dennis Carey
Edward Kelly

PHILIP B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Speed & Associated of
Rory, Eddy

A True Bill.

July 6.

F. H. ...
W. S. ... Foreman
B. ...
H. ...
J. ...

Sections 498, 506, 528 and 5532
Penalty in the Third Degree.

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The People
John Williams,
Dennis Carey
and Edward Kelly } Court of General Sessions. Part I
Before Judge Gildersleeve.
June 30. 1887. Indictment for
burglary in the third degree.

Antonio Fortunato, sworn and examined
I have a restaurant and a grocery at 211 Mott
St.; on the 7th of June I had more than a thous-
-and dollars worth of property in my place. I fas-
-tened ^{the} windows and doors of my place about
ten or half past ten at night. and I went to
my apartments in the rear where I sleep.
My grocery store is nearly even with the side
walk. They broke the window and then took
out of the show case a box of macaroni,
some cigars, and four or five dollars out
of the till. I found one box of macaroni, but
the other things are missing; the policeman
found the macaroni; the value of it was five
dollars; the value of the whole property taken
was about twenty dollars. Cross Examined
This burglary was discovered about two o'clock in
the morning; a policeman sent an Italian
to tell me of it; the policeman took me to the
station house and asked me if I could
recognize the box of macaroni and I
told him "yes". Michele Marchetti is the
name of the Italian who told me of the burglary.

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Thomas Banks sworn. I am a gas inspector and live at 204 Mott St. and resided there on the evening of the 7th of June. I was going home from a meeting and heard three alarm raps and officer Foley called me and said, "There is a man under the stoop"; and I saw the window of the grocery store broken. There was a man there who had his head down, I could not recognize him; he looked as if he was asleep. The officer was afraid to go in through the window and I went in to wake the owner up in the back part. The officer said the man on the stoop was feigning sleep. I did not go to the station house.

John G. McCarthy sworn and examined. I live at Spring corner of Mott St. I keep a liquor store on the corner and after closing up about one o'clock I heard some footsteps on the opposite side of the street, and looking over I saw officer Foley and I ran across the street and then saw two men apparently half drunk sitting on the stoop. As soon as Foley came up he says, "I have got you." He went down two steps of the basement and found a box resting on a barrel or something else under the stoop. He charged those two men with committing the

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burglary. They both staggered; it was with a little difficulty that Foley got them to get on their feet. Whether they were feigning drunk or not I do not know. I did not smell their breath.

John Foley sworn and examined. I am an officer of the Tenth precinct and was patrolling the streets on the night of the 7th of June. About half past one I was near the premises 211 Mott St.; while patrolling my post I heard a noise under the stoop of 211, and when I got down near the building there was two men got out from under the stoop. Kelly was one of them and he went up to 215, and the second party who was with him, Carey, went into 217. I looked under the stoop and saw the window broke; there was a box of some stuff put out of the window. I went to Spring St. and saw officer White and told him of the burglary on my post and that I would send out a rap and I went back again by the side of the wagon in such a way as not to be seen. In the mean time those two men, Carey and Williams, came from across the street and went over into the basement out of 220 and went down under the stoop. Officer White was following me down. I met them and gave him the two prisoners; the box of

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macaroni had been taken out of the window
Williams and Carey were wide awake enough
to walk from the area to the stoop. Carey
was pretending he was drunk, but they were
not asleep. We looked in the window and
saw four or five parties sleeping in the back
of the store. Officer White volunteered to go in. Mr.
Banks said, "I have got my old clothes on
and I will go in. We called on the man
from up stairs and he recognized the
macaroni by his name and the number
of his residence on it. We searched the
neighborhood and at 220, where Carey lives,
we found three boxes of macaroni with
the man's (the complainant) name and
the number on the box; we found them
in the cellar of the house where Carey lives.
We found them about half an hour after-
wards; the man who owns the stuff
was there and Officer Gray of the 10th precinct
The complainant identified the property as
belonging to him. Cross Examined. I
arrested Kelly the next afternoon at three
o'clock; the complainant identified the ma-
caroni at the stoop and in the station
house too. I heard Mr. Banks say that I
went to the corner to see Officer White.

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I told him I needed his assistance. McCarthy might have seen me and I did not see him. I did not hear his testimony; if he testified that he heard me rap and there were two men on the stoop in front of me it is not correct. I identify Carey and Williams as two of the three men who crossed the street first, went under the areaway and two minutes afterwards after hearing the noise went up on the stoop. That very morning three boxes of macaroni were found in the cellar of Carey's premises. There was no lock or hasp on the door. I cannot be mistaken when I say that I saw Kelly. I have seen them before.

The case for the Defence.

Minnie Gregory sworn. I live at 215 Holt St. with my mother who keeps a saloon. I know the prisoner Edward Kelly, I remember the day he was arrested; the day before that he was in my mother's place breaking wood in the cellar and cleaning out the pipes in the ice box; he came in about ten minutes past eleven and we closed up at half past eleven. On the evening of the 7th of June when my mother closed the place Kelly was there and two of our boarders - James Johnson and a little Italian fellow Jap; they slept in the bed room which is

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adjoining the store I saw Kelly about half past eight the next morning. Cross Examined. I have known Kelly about two years; the only name I know him by is Edward Kelly; he used to live across the street. I never heard him called Killen. Kelly used often sleep with the other boarders; the bed was large enough for three or four. My mother and I slept in the front room. She locked the store up at half past eleven and that was the last I saw of Kelly till half past eight the next morning.

James Johnson sworn. I remember the day when Kelly was arrested, I know him; the night before he was arrested he slept with me in Mary Gregory's saloon. I know him by the name of Killen as well as Kelly. I went to bed at half past eleven and slept with him all night long. I got up in the morning at half past seven and he was still in bed. I saw the doors locked on the evening before and I put the bolt on. Little Jap, an Italian boy also slept with us. Cross Examined. I peddle stationery goods for Wm. Moore but am going down to Staten Island for sixteen weeks. The way he came to sleep with me that night was, that he had no place to go that night and I asked him if he would not come in with us; he

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slept there every night from the Saturday previous - he slept with me four or five nights, I could not exactly say. I could not tell you the width of the bed we slept in, I never measured it, but three sleep in it very comfortably. I slept on the outside and Kelly in the middle. I know Kelly from boyhood, I went to school with him. I never slept with him until Saturday the 4th and then I slept with him from Saturday till Wednesday. He lost his mother about a year and a half ago, his father is dead four or five years, his mother left him money enough to keep him. During the last five years I have not seen him every day; there was three months that I did not see him. How long have you known him? I could not say, I know him fifteen years. During the last five years have you constantly seen him? No, not every day. As much as once a week or once a month? Yes sir, very nearly. You swear positively for the last five years you have seen him once a month or once a week? O, no, I could not say once a month; the man was out of the city, so I could not see him.

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Jacqueline Deffenie sworn and examined.
Do you know Edward Kelly? Yes. Do you know
the day he was arrested? I could not remember
the day, but he was sleeping, in the night with
us; the night that they was arrested he was
sleeping with us and the next morning I
found out he was cleaning up in the liquor
store cleaning the ice box and the police
man came in and arrested him. Did
he sleep with you the night before he was
arrested? Yes sir and with Johnson, the last
witness. The place was closed up about half
past eleven. I will swear Kelly was in bed
all night. I got up in the morning about
half past eight and when I got up I waked
him up. Cross examined. How many
nights have you slept with Johnson? A good
many nights. When did you commence
to sleep with him? About three months ago
I never missed a night in sleeping with
him in three months. I generally go to bed
about ten o'clock. I did not go to bed on
this particular night till 11/2 o'clock. It was
too warm to go to bed; the next day after
that Kelly was arrested.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty
of burglary in the third degree.

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Testimony in the
case of
J. Williams, J. Carey
and
E. Kelly.

filed June
1887.

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OFFICE OF

NEW YORK CARRIAGE CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF

JAY F. BUTLER, PROPRIETOR.

CHILDREN'S GARRIAGES, VELOGIPEDES, &C.

Rattan & Reed Chairs, & Children's Carriage Bodies.

385 BROOME STREET,

CORNER MULBERRY,

New York June 13th 1887

*This is to certify that Denis
Carey has been in our employ
& that we find he was a
faithful & honest worker*

NEW YORK CARRIAGE CO.

J. F. Butler

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Police Court— District.

City and County of New York

ss.:

of No.

occupation

deposes and says, that the premises No.

in the City and County aforesaid the said

and which was occupied by deponent as a

shop in which there was at the time

human beings by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

breaking

the front basement and entered therein

on the

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

Seven boxes of Macaroni four boxes

of cigars + good and lawful money of the

United States of the amount and value

of Five Dollars altogether of the value

of Twenty Dollars

the property of

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

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

John Williams + Dennis Carey (both

nowhere), and another man not arrested

for the reasons following, to wit:

deponent securely locked

the doors and fastened the windows of

the basement in said premises at about

the hour of ten o'clock + thirty minutes

P.M. on said date and at about the

hour of one o'clock + thirty minutes A.M.

on the morning of the 5th day of June deponent

was informed by Officer John Foley of

the 10th Precinct Police that the said

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Antonio Fortunato

Street, aged 36 years,

being duly sworn

No. 211 Mott

Street, 44 Ward

a six story brick

Green store + Restaurant

Michael Majorti

Luigi Mesbri + two other men

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the cash and glass in a window in the front basement and entered therein

7th day of June

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in the night time, and the

Seven boxes of Macaroni four boxes of cigars + good and lawful money of the United States of the amount and value of Five Dollars altogether of the value of Twenty Dollars

Deponent

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

John Williams + Dennis Carey (both nowhere), and another man not arrested

for the reasons following, to wit: deponent securely locked the doors and fastened the windows of the basement in said premises at about the hour of ten o'clock + thirty minutes P.M. on said date and at about the hour of one o'clock + thirty minutes A.M. on the morning of the 5th day of June deponent was informed by Officer John Foley of the 10th Precinct Police that the said

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basement the said premises has been burglarized and the defendants Williams & Carey were standing outside of the front basement window with a portion of the property in their possession and said other man not arrested ran away and defendant identified the box of Macassar found in the defendants possession by the name of the maker marked on said box and also the number of defendants residence marked on said box

I swore before me

Two 5th days June 1885

Antonio Fortunato

Solomon Shurick

Police Justice

Dated 1885 Police Justice

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 1885 Police Justice

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

Dated 1885 Police Justice

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

I hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of

committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of vs. Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated 1885

Magistrate

Officer

Clerk

Witnesses

No. Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of June 1888
John F. M. [Signature]
Police Justice.

of No. The 10th Precinct Police Station, aged 34 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says
that on the 1st day of June 1888
at the City of New York, in the County of New York

Department arrested Edward Kelly (now here) as the person mentioned in the within Complaint as the man who was in company with the within named defendants and as the man that department identifies ~~as the~~ man who ran away

Wherefore department prays he may be held according to law
John Foley

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

aged 34 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 10th Precinct Police Station

being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Antonio Fortunato and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of June 1888

John Foley

Solomon [Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

Edward Kelly

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Edward Kelly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *215 West 107th Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Window Shade Maker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
Edward Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June 1938
[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

John Williams 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 Williams

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. 15 Chrystie St - 6 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. I am not guilty

John Williams

Subscribed before me this
1st day of March 1938
Wm. J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 188-200

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Dennis Carey 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. *Dennis Carey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *228 Mott St 3 years*

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*

Dennis Carey

Taken before me this
day of *Jan*
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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 1st District. 856

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Antonio Fortunato
211st Street
John Williams
Dennis Barry
Edward Kelly

Offence Burglary

Dated June 9th 1887
Frank Shurts Magistrate

John Finley Officer.

Witnesses Officer Sigel 10th Precinct.

No. 511 Street, Thomas Vance

No. 202 Street, John J. McCarty

No. 204 Street, John J. McCarty

\$ 1000 to answer John J. McCarty

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime herein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named John Williams Dennis Barry and Edward Kelly guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of Ten 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 June 9 1887 Colon B. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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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 Williams, Dennis Roney and Edward Kelly

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

John Williams, Dennis Roney and Edward Kelly

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

The said *John Williams, Dennis Roney and Edward Kelly*

late of the *X* *Ward* of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *Store* of one

Antoine Xodunato,

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

Antoine Xodunato,

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

John Williams, Dennis Farney, Edward Kelly

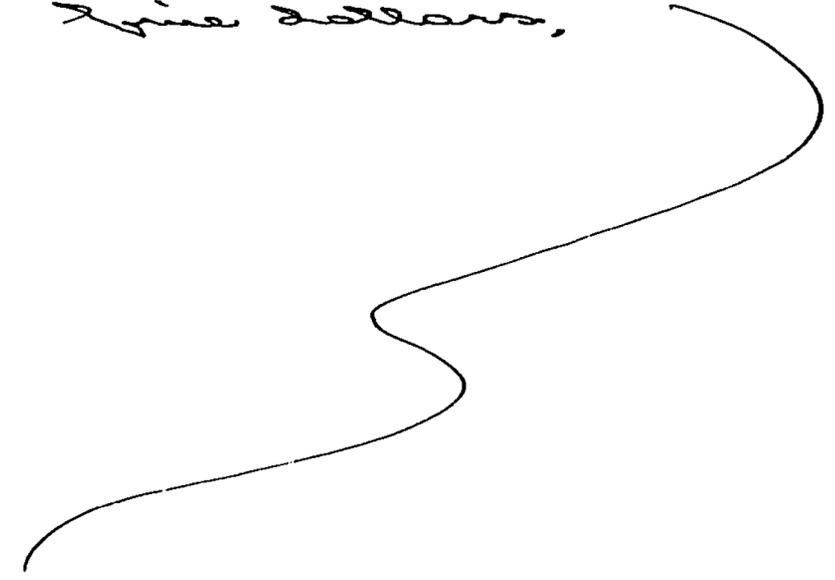
of the CRIME OF *Robbery* LARCENY, —

committed as follows :

The said *John Williams, Dennis Farney and Edward Kelly, all —*

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 *month of* time of the said day, with force and arms,

seven boxes of macaroni of the value of one dollar each box, four boxes of soap of the value of two dollars each box, and the sum of five dollars in money, lawful money of the United States and of the value of five dollars,



of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Antonio Tortondo,*

in the *Store* of the said *Antonio Tortondo, —*

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.

Richard A. Brant

District Attorney.

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Wilson, James

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Counsel,
Filed 21 day of June 1887
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James Wilson
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Mr. Charles
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

F. Gaudin
Foreman
Charles A. Ruyter
S. P. Three years.

Witnesses:
W. H. S. Elling
438. Hudson St
Office
Chas. Thurston
9: Pincinct

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Police Court 21 District.

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

William H. S. Oetting

of No. 438 Hudson Street, aged 58 years,

occupation Hardware dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 438 Hudson Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story and attic

brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling house and hardware store

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name this deponent

William H. S. Oetting
attempted to ^{be} ~~were~~ BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly prying off the
the staple on the door leading from Martin St
into the back yard of said premises. And prying
open the shutter of the rear window on the 1st floor
of said premises by inserting a jimmy under said shutter.
on the 15th day of June 1887 in the Night time, and the
following property feloniously ^{attempted to be} ~~stolen~~, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of hardware Cutlery
revolvers &c of the value of at
least five hundred dollars

the property of Deponent

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

James Wilson ^{alias Robert H. Wilson} ~~(now here)~~ and two other
men whose names are unknown and not yet ascertained.

for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of
9 o'clock P.M. said date deponent locked and
securely fastened the doors and windows of said
premises and shortly thereafter went up stairs
and went to bed. And at about midnight deponent
heard the noise of the shutter breaking. And on
examining the premises deponent found the shutter
of said window broken as aforesaid. And deponent
is informed by Officer Charles Sheridan of the

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9th Precinct Police that he heard the noise of the bolts of the shutters of said window falling and on going into the yard of said premises he found the defendant in said yard standing against the fence trying to conceal himself, and heard the foot steps of two men running down Norton St.

Wherefore defendant charges the said defendant and the said two unknown men not yet arrested with being together and acting in concert with each other and attempting to burglariously enter said premises.

Sworn to before me
this 10th day of June 1887

R. J. Strong

Samuel C. Kelly
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
vs.
Burglary
Degree.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses :

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 25 years, occupation Charles Sheridan
9th Precinct Police Police Officer of No. _____
Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 15
day of June 1887 } Officer Charles Sheridan
Daniel C. Smith
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 27 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 98 Charlton St. 9 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Seaman.

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

Answer.

I am guilty

James Wilson

Taken before me this

day of

June

1887

Samuel W. McCall 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 913

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm H. Stebbins
45 St. Andrews
James Wilson

Offence Attempted Burglary

Dated June 1st 1887

Magistrate

Charles Thurman, Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No. 1 of Charles Thurman
No. 2 of Charles Thurman
No. 3 of Charles Thurman
No. 4 of Charles Thurman

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$1000 TO ANSWER

James Wilson



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

James Wilson

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

Dated June 1st 1887

James Wilson Police Justice

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Wilson

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

James Wilson of the crime of attempting to commit

the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE ~~First~~ DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *James Wilson,*

late of the *ninth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *21st* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, with force and arms, about the hour of *nine* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

William H. S. Edging,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some human being, to wit: *the said William H. S. Edging*

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *William H. S. Edging*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away,

the said James Wilson being then and there armed for a purpose and there actually present, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown

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

Richard W. Brantner

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, John

DATE:

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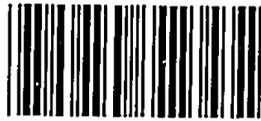
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Counsel, *13* day of *June* 188*7*
Filed *Robt. M. Kelly*
Pleads *14.*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Wilson
Grand Larceny in the *Second* degree.
(MONEY)
(Sec. 598 and 537, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Pr. Am. Co. District Attorney.
Mrs. Macgibbon.

A True Bill.

F. Chandler
Foreman.

Witnesses:

Lizzie Parker
247. E 36 St
Off Dennis McCarthy
21st Precinct

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 247 East 36th Street, aged 24 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 7 day of June 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

one pocket book containing
my gold & lawful money of
the United States to the amount
& value of Forty-four dollars
& fifty cents \$44.⁵⁰/₁₀₀

Sworn to before me this 1887 day

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 Wilson (now here)

from the following facts to wit:— That at the time mentioned defendant went to deponent's apartments in the above premises & represented himself as an insurance agent. That while defendant was in said apartments the above mentioned pocket book & money was on a shelf over a water basin therein. That while in said apartments defendant approached said water basin to obtain a glass of water. That ~~at~~ thence thereafter defendant left

Police Justice

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...apartments. That about an hour after Defendant left said apartments Defendant missed the above mentioned pocket book & money, & found the drinking glass previously used by Defendant on the spot on said shelf, where said pocket book & money had been. That between the times when Defendant entered said apartments, & when Defendant missed said money & pocket book, no person other than Defendant & Deponent entered said apartments, nor had an opportunity to take & steal said pocket book & money.

Police Justice

Lizzie Parks
Sworn to before me
this 7th day of June 1884
A. J. [Signature]
Police Justice

Dated 1884 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 1884 Police Justice

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

Dated 1884 Police Justice

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

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

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Police Court

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Offence—LARCENY.

Dated 1884 District

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,
No. Street,
No. Street,
No. Street,
\$ to answer Sessions.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

✓ District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

54 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

England

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

Answer.

311 East 33 Street. 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Insurance Agent

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

Answer.

I don't know anything about the matter.

John Wilson

Taken before me this

day of *January* 188*8*

[Signature]

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILLED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

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Police Court--
District. 849

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT

By *John M. ...*

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Offence

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John M. ...
Magistrate.
M. ...
Officer.
M. ...
Precinct.

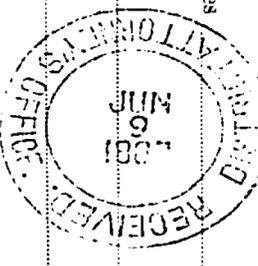
Witnesses

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Street.

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Street.

\$ 500 to answer

M. ...

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Three* 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 *June 7* 188 *A. J. ...* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0339

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 Wilson

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

John Wilson —

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

The said *John Wilson,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *June*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *day* — time of the same day, *two* —

(\$44.50)

promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *eight* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *two* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *four* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *eight* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; — divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *four dollars*

and fifty cents, and one pocket watch of the value of fifty cents,

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels, and personal property of one _____
on the person of the said *Suzette Denton*, 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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Wood, William

DATE:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wood, William

DATE:

06/13/87



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Witnesses:

George Schaefer

29 Charles St.

Wm George Reigel

15th Precinct

Walter Appender

Comptroller

Quinn

James

Arthur

William

John

Charles

Edward

Robert

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Counsel,

Filed, 19 May of 1887

Pleads, 16 July 1887

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Wood

Grand Larceny, Second degree
(From the Person)
[Sections 628, 581 Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Pr. Sept 30/87
R. B. Martine
District Attorney
15th Precinct
New York

City and County } ss.
of New York }

George Schaar being duly sworn deposes and says that he resides at No 27 Charles Street in the City of New York and is employed at No 218 Sixth Avenue in said City.

Deponent further says that he has known William Wood for the past seven years and has seen said Wood nearly every day during that time. That on the 30th day of May 1887 this deponent met said

Wood in tenth Street in said City, that said Wood in a playful manner took this deponent's watch from ^{his deponent's} deponent's pocket ^{to his knowledge} and put it in his pocket.

cd

This deponent further says that he has no desire to prosecute said Wood and that he does not believe that said Wood took deponent's watch with any intention of committing a theft or in any manner than as a mere joke.

Sworn to before me ~ George Schaar
this 28th day of June 1887

Charles S. Deolin
Notary Public
N. Y. C.

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ORIGINAL

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City & County
of New York

Francis S. Seigel being
sworn says that he is in the business
of livery stable keeper at No 52 West 70th
Street in the City of New York; that he has
been engaged in such business and at
said place for the past two years and
previously for five years at No 182
Chambers Street in said City.

And deponent further says that he has
known Oliver Wood, the father of William
Wood, and his family for the past ten
years and his son for over five years;
that the deponent has seen the said
William Wood many times during the
said five years and knows his general
character in the neighborhood in which
he lives and has lived and that such
character is good and that this deponent
believes the said William Wood to be
truthful and honest.

Sworn to before me
the 21st day of June 1894

F. S. Seigel

Charles S. DeWitt
Notary Public
N. Y. Co.

City & County }
of New York }

John Lawler being sworn
says that he is engaged in the Grocery
business at 402 1/2 Avenue Duane in
the City of New York that he has been
engaged in such business and at said
place for the past 10 years.

And deponent further says that he
has known Oliver Wood, the father of
William Wood, and his family for the
past nine years and has known the
said William Wood during the same
period; that deponent has seen said
William Wood many times during
said nine years and knows his
general character in the neighborhood
in which he lives and has lived and
that such character is good and that
this deponent believes said William
Wood to be truthful and honest

Sworn to before me

the 22nd day of June 1877

John Lawler

Charles S. D'Orlin
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

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**POOR QUALITY
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*District Attorneys Office
City & County of
New York.*

The People
vs
William [unclear]

Copy

New York July 1st, 1887.

John E. Devolin, Esq.

Attorney at Law.

82 Nassau Street.

Dear Sir :

Assistant District Attorney Fitzgerald requests me to inform you that in the above entitled case, he had endorsed upon the indictment a recommendation for the discharge of the defendant on his own recognizance, when it was discovered that there was pending against him in this office, an indictment for robbery in the first degree, filed on the 13th of January ult., on which he is now under bail and waiting trial. Under these circumstances, Mr. Fitzgerald, of course, found it inconsistent for him to make the recommendation of discharge which he had contemplated.

The case will be placed upon the calendar for trial at an early day, of which notice will be given you.

Yours respectfully,

A. J. Barker

Chief Clerk

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People

u

William Wood,

Grand Larceny,

[Faint, illegible handwriting]

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York. } ss.

George Schaefer
of No. 27 Charles Street, aged 15 years;
occupation Clerk being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 30th day of May 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One Double Case silver watch
of the value of twelve dollars

(\$12.00)

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by William Wood. (now here) from the fact that deponent saw the said deponent feloniously take steal and carry away the aforesaid watch from the lower left hand pocket of the vest then and there worn by deponent as a portion of his body clothing; and prays he may be heard and dealt with according to law

George Schaefer

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of June 1887
of New York
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

William Wood 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 Wood*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *59 W. 11th St. About 7 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Butcher*

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

Answer. *I took this watch but had no intention of stealing it*

William Wood

Taken before me this

day of *July* 188*8*

J. W. ...

Police Justice.

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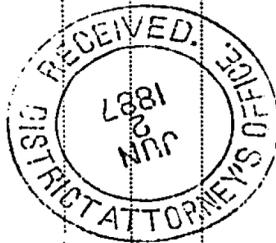
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 Residence Street.

Police Court-- 2820
 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
 George Sherman
 177th Street
 William Wood
 Offence Larceny
 (felony)

Dated May 31 188

Magistrate
 Officer
 Precinct



Witnesses
 No. Street
 No. Street
 No. Street
 to answer
 Street

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

William Wood

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 *May 31* 188 *George Sherman* Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0352

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 Wood

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

- William Wood -

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

The said *William Wood,*

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

thirtieth day of *May* in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

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

one watch of the value of Twelve

dollars,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *George Schaefer,*

on the person of the said *George Schaefer,* then and there being

found, from the person of the said *George Schaefer,* 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.

Richard J. ...

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Wood, William

DATE:

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WITNESSES:

May Winston
257 West 38th St
Officer
John H. Kellan
16th Precinct

D/S
C.S.A.

Counsel,

Filed 27 day of June 1887

Pleas *Not guilty (2P)*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

R
William Wood

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE.
Section 498, 506, 528, 532, 5350

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

F. Howard

Foreman.

July 5th

Frank J. Maguire

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Police Court 2 District.

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

Mary Crustan
of No. 242 West 27th Street, aged 24 years,
occupation Keyp house being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 242, or, 27 Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick
building in part
and which was occupied by deponent as a place of dwelling
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly bursting open
the door leading from the hallway on
the second floor of said premises in
to deponents kitchen by pushing said door
in and breaking off the woodwork
on the 14th day of April 1888 in the _____ time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Six pictures of the value of
twenty five dollars.

(W. D. S. P.)

the property of deponent

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

William Wood (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: that at the hour of 7.50
O'clock PM said date deponent locked
and securely fastened the doors and
windows of her apartment and went
to the theatre with her husband leaving her
apartment alone and in good repair
and condition. And when deponent returned
at about the hour of 11 O'clock PM same
date deponent discovered her door broken

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open as aforesaid, and the aforesaid pictures missing. And deponent was informed by an old lady living in said premises who is too old and feeble to come to Court, that at about the hour of 9 O'clock P.M. on said date she the said old lady saw a man answering the description of the defendant going down stairs of said premises with some pictures in his hands. Deponent notified the police of the 16th Precinct when he the defendant was arrested by Officers Keller and Gill of said Precinct, at his the defendant's house, No 150 West 32nd Street. And deponent is informed by said Officers that they found in his the defendant's apartment six pictures. Deponent has since seen said pictures so found in the defendant's apartment, and fully identifies them as her property.

Wherefore deponent charges the said defendant with burglariously entering said premises as aforesaid and feloniously taking stealing and carrying away said property and praying he may be held and dealt with according to Law.

Mrs Mary Winston

Sworn to before me this 19th day of June 1887

Police Court District _____

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF _____

Degree _____

Burglary _____

Magistrate _____

Dated _____ 188

Officer _____

Clerk _____

Witnesses: _____

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____ Street _____

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation John H. Keller
Police Officer of No. 1st Precinct
Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this _____
day of _____ 188

} John H. Keller

Samuel A. Smith
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged _____ years, occupation George Gill
Police Officer of No. 1st Precinct
Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this _____
day of _____ 188

} George W. Gill

Samuel A. Smith
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

William Wood 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 Wood

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Maryland

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

Answer. 150 W 32nd St 5 Mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Piano Re-voicing

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 Wood

Taken before me this

day of February 1889

Police Justice.

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The Justice proceeding in
this Court will hear and
determine the case by
reason of my absence.

Samuel C. Miller
Police Justice

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

Police Court - 21929
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Quinlan
25th St. N.Y.C.
William Wood

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Offence _____

Dated June 19 188
Miller
Magistrate.



Wm. C. Miller
16 St.
Precinct.

Mrs. F. L. ...
No. 11 ...
Street.

1000 E. 4th St. N.Y.C.
1888 to answer

Mary Quinlan
24 1/2 St. N.Y.C.

(John)

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

William Wood

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated June 19 1888
Samuel C. Miller
Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ 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 _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Wood

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

— William Wood —

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

The said *William Wood,*

late of the *20th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *17th* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, with force and arms, in the
night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the
dwelling house of one *Mary Winston,*

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 *Mary Winston,*

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

SECOND COUNT.

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

William Wood

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, - , committed as follows:

The said *William Wood*,

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 *month* time of said day, with force and arms,

six pictures of the value of

four dollars each,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Mary Winston,

in the dwelling house of the said

Mary Winston,

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

THIRD COUNT.

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

William Wood —

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

The said *William Wood,*

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,

six pictures of the value of

four hundred dollars,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of

Mary Winston

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

Mary Winston, —

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

William Wood, —

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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2571

DESCRIPTION:

Wright, Annie

DATE:

06/20/87



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Albert Hewlett
233 West 28th St
Officer James Elliott
20th Precinct

Counsel,
Filed 20 day of June 1887
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE
June 29th 1887
Speed & W. S. [unclear]
Annie Wright
H.D.

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
R. B. Martine
Foreman.

24th June 1887
John 29th
J.S.A.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court— 2 District.

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

of No. 253 W 28th Street, aged 26 years,
occupation Kalocaniner being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 12 day of June 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Annie Wright (near here) who wilfully and maliciously cut and stabbed deponent on the neck back and thigh with a knife then and there held in her hand

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 13 day }
of June 1887 }

his
Albert Hewlett
mark

Samuel O'Connell Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Annice Wright*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *Savannah*

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

Answer. *253 W 28th St - 3 year*

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 of the charge*

Annice Sher. Wright
X
annice

Taken before me this

13

day of

June 1887

Samuel W. McMillan
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court-- 2 District 887

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Albert Hewlett
Amie Mays

Offence Assault
Telony

Dated June 13 1887

W O Reller Magistrate.

Elcock Officer.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

*Complainant committed to
the House of Detention in
accord of § 100 to appear
and testify*
Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice
N _____ Street _____
\$ 500 TO ANSWER g. s.

COMMITTED.

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 W. J. Enders

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 June 13 1887 Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

James Elliott
of the 20th Precinct Police Street, aged _____ years,
occupation _____ being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the _____ day of _____ 188
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Albert Hewlett

(now here) the within named Complainant
is a necessary and material
witness against Annie Wright
the said defendant.

Deponent says that said Complainant
has no permanent place of abode and
asks that he be required to give
surety for his appearance to testify

James Elliott

Sworn to before me this

of _____
James
1887

day

James P. McNeill
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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June 28/27
The People vs
Annie Wright

Judge Bedford
Dear Sir

Will you kindly
hold the trial of this
case until 12 o'clock,
I must attend
Surrogate's Court at
Brooklyn for a few
minutes and will
return by 12 o'clock
prepared to try the
case. Respectfully

John K. Heigelman
Depts City

**POOR QUALITY
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Judge Bedford
Presents

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

THE PEOPLE OF STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Annie Wright

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
- *Annie Wright* -
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows :

The said *Annie,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty day of *June*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~ with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Albert Wendt*,
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and *John* the said *Albert*,
with a certain *knife* -
which the said *Annie* -
in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did cut, stab and wound,

with intent *John* the said *Albert*, -
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT;

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
Annie Wright -
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows :

The said *Annie,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the
year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and
upon the body of the said *Albert Wendt*,
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and *John* the said
Albert, -

with a certain *knife* -
which the said *Annie* -

in *her* right hand then and there had and held, the same being
an instrument and weapon likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there
feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully cut, stab 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.

Richard W. Bonarrie

District Attorney.