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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

4239

**DESCRIPTION:**

Parry, Evan

**DATE:**

12/09/91



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As charged on her  
for being by consent  
of Statute R.P.C.

Witnesses:

Eleanor Berk Thomas

30 Suffolk St  
Charles L. Payne  
761

Counsel,  
Filed  
Pleads  
9<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1891

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Evan Barry

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

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

*[Handwritten signature]*  
A True Bill.

Samuel W. Downingdale  
Part II Feb 15, 1891  
deposition taken on  
this personal necessity, sworn to  
by me  
W. H. [Signature]

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Police Court— 4<sup>th</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

Elizabeth Thomas

of No. 311 West 86<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 23 years,

occupation Domestic being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 1<sup>st</sup> 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 day time, the following property, viz:

Good and lawful money of the United States of the amount and value of about forty-five or 700 Dollars — (\$45.<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>)

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

Heran Barry (now here) from the fact that at the aforesaid time said deponent owed deponent the aforesaid sum of forty-five Dollars and did under and give to deponent ~~the~~ two checks aggregating the amount of sixty Dollars and represented to deponent that said checks were given to him, the deponent, in payment for salary due him as an attendant on Board's Island and said deponent did on the following morning and took the checks from deponent and

Sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of September 1891  
Police Justice

said that he would have been caught  
and would then give Alperant  
the aforesaid sum of ~~fort~~ five dollars  
which he defendant owed her as aforesaid.  
said defendant did not return give  
Alperant the said sum of money  
as returned, the said check to defendant  
~~and~~ and was converted to the bank  
to his own use and profit.

defendant therefore charges  
said defendant with having  
committed the said Larceny and  
asks that he may be dealt with  
as the law may direct.

Sworn to before me this  
30 day of November 1941

Fizzie Thomas

Justice of the Peace  
Palmer Justice

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District Police Court.

Sec. 188-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Sevan Parry* 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. *Sevan Parry*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *North Wales*

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

Answer. *N<sup>o</sup> 258 West 36<sup>th</sup> Street about 5<sup>weeks</sup> months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *St. Coachman*

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*  
*Sevan Parry.*

Taken before me this

day of

*NY*  
*1891*  
*John J. Brady*  
Police Justice.

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

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 Nov 30 18 91 John A. Brady Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Elizabeth Thomas  
311 G 86th St  
Gerron Perry

Offence: Rape

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated Nov 30 1891  
Magistrate  
Officer  
Precinct

Witnesses Wm J. Jones  
No. Reagle Hotel  
3 Morris St.

No. 523 G 84th St.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 1000 to answer



Handwritten signature

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Sessions  
The People  
v.  
Parry

1891			
Nov. 28	Deft. arrested.		
Dec.	" indicted.		
" 9	Arraigned.		
" 14	Case no. 5.	Part I.	Smyth, J.
" 21	" " 4.	" II.	" "
1892			
Jan. 4	" " 2.	" I.	Fitzgerald, J.
" 6	" " 4.	" II.	Cowing, J.
" 11	" " 7.	" "	" "
" 14	" " 4.	" "	" "
" 15	" " 3.	" "	" "
" 25	" " 6.	" I.	Fitzgerald, J.

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408 E 72 St.  
- 10/28/91

Dear Sir:

Would you be so kind as to let me know whether Coaw Perry that I was formerly an attendant on the Island, has any wages to draw. he has obtained about \$55 from me on two checks one for \$60 and another for \$30 signed ~~by~~ <sup>in name of</sup> Perry master of Island. I believe Asylum. he claims he can't get them cashed and I am really in need of the money as I am out of a situation. If you would reply by return you would confer on me a great favor -

I would be extremely  
obliged.

Yours respectfully  
Elizabeth Thomas  
C/o Mr. Griffiths  
408 East 72 St  
City.

Now: The only money coming to Mr. Parry  
from the city, according to <sup>the</sup> pay-rolls in this  
office, is \$2. (two dollars) for Sept/91.

The students are not paid by check, but in Cash  
and there is no payment on Ward's Island  
RMT.

Yours respectfully  
J.H. Wilmers  
City Registrar

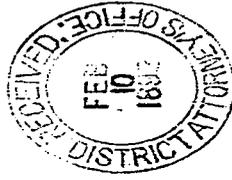


Court of General Sessions

The People of the State  
of New York  
vs  
Evan Barry,  
Defendant.

Notice of Motion.

Charles C. Saffren,  
Atty for def.  
261 Broadway  
New York.



To  
Deaneey Hill, Esq,  
District Attorney.

May 15 1892

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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

*Riand Barry*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse *Riand Barry*

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

The said *Riand Barry*

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

*Two written instruments and evidence of value, to wit: Two certain orders for the payment of money of the kind called bank checks, for the payment of the sum of sixty dollars, (a more particular description of which said bank checks is to be found upon a certain instrument of the value of sixty dollars, and two pieces of paper of the value of thirty dollars each,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Elizabeth Thomas*

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

*De la Cruz*  
*Attorney*

## SECOND 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 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,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

4239

**DESCRIPTION:**

Pearl, Louis

**DATE:**

12/22/91



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184 Osborne

Counsel,

Filed 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec 1897  
Pleads *Whitby vs*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*  
Louis Pearl

Grand Larceny, *second Degree*  
[Sections 528, 529, Penal Code.]

DR LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

*John J. ...*

A TRUE BILL.

*Geo. C. Fisher*

Foreman.

*Robert ...*

*Henry J. ...*

*Amir ...*

Witnesses:

*Samuel Goldstein*

*Mollie Borovitch*

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Police Court

District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No.

34 Jefferson

Samuel Goldstein

occupation

Jeweller

Street, aged 21 years,

deposes and says, that on the

16 day of

Dec

being duly sworn

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:

Forty gold rings six pairs of  
gold earrings two lockets and  
some Jewellers tools together of the value  
of One Hundred and fifty dollars.

the property of

Deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Louis Pearl (No where) and that this deponent

from the fact that the deponent and  
deponent were room mates and on said  
date deponent missed said property from  
a box and tool chest in said room and  
deponent is informed by Mollie Wornitch  
of no 34 Jefferson Street that she saw the  
deponent break open the door leading into  
said apartments on the first floor and  
said Mollie saw the deponent carrying  
said tools and said tools in deponent's  
Coat pocket

Sam Goldstein

Sworn to before me this

day

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 10 years, occupation School girl of No. 34 Jefferson Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Samuel Goldstein and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1890, } Mollie Barnevitck

John H. Ryan  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Louis Pearl* 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. *Louis Pearl*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *34 Jefferson St*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Jeweller*

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*  
*Louis Pearl*  
*sworn*

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

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 Richard

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

Dated Dec 7 1891 John Ryan 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

*Samuel Goldstein*  
*34 Jefferson St*  
*1st Precinct*

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Offence

Dated *Dec 17* 18*91*

*Henry Michaels* Magistrate.  
*Henry Michaels* Officer.

Witnesses *Charles B. Moritz*

No. *34 Jefferson* Street.

No. *34 Jefferson* Street.

No. *1000* Street.



*AM 9/12*

BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

The People of Court of General Sessions, Part First.  
 Louis Pearl (Before Judge Cowing, December 28, 1891.  
 Indictment for grand larceny in second degree.  
 Samuel Goldstein, sworn and examined,  
 testified. Can you speak English? No sir.  
 Where do you live? No. 34 Jefferson street. I  
 am in the jewelry business. Did you reside  
 at No. 34 Jefferson street in this city on the  
 16<sup>th</sup> of December last? Yes sir. Do you know  
 the defendant here, Louis Pearl? Yes sir, I  
 have known him for about five or six  
 weeks. Were you a room mate of his on the  
 16<sup>th</sup> of December last? Yes, he was a room-  
 mate of mine. Slept in the same room  
 or separate beds? Yes sir, slept in the  
 same room but separate beds. Did you own  
 any jewelry on that day the 16<sup>th</sup> of December?  
 I had forty rings, six pair of earrings,  
 two lockets and some jeweller's tools. Were  
 those rings which you had gold or brass,  
 what was the material? Gold about twelve  
 carats. What were those gold rings worth  
 a piece, the forty of them? Different prices,  
 two, three or four dollars a piece. Some  
 of them were worth less than three dollars.  
 There were two rings worth only about  
 two dollars and a half a piece. What were  
 the thirty eight worth? The others were in-  
 creased by half a dollar, three, three

and a half and four dollars. What were the forty rings worth? About one hundred and five or one hundred and ten dollars. What were the two lockets worth? The two lockets ten dollars together. And the ear rings what were they worth? About seven or eight dollars. The ear rings were worth altogether. Where did you keep the jewelry that you have described? In a bureau drawer. The drawer was locked and I kept the key in the drawer. Did the defendant have a key to that drawer? No sir. What kind of a lock was it, was it a lock fastened in the wood or was it fastened with a padlock? It was fastened to the wood, screwed on the wood inside. Were all the jewelry you have mentioned in the bureau drawer on the night of the 16th of December last? They were all locked up in that drawer and I kept the key.

What time did you go to bed that night or was this property taken before you went to bed? At half past eight o'clock. I came home; when I arrived at the door leading into the room, it always used to be locked, but when I came there it was open, and then I saw immediately that my tools were missing from the work

bench. I had them always lying on my work bench; the jewelry tools were missing. Then I went and looked at the drawer and it was open and the jewelry was missing. Did you notice whether the bureau drawer had been broken into or pried open? A chisel was pressed in and the bolt was pushed back. Had you locked that drawer when you went out? Yes. I always kept it locked and had it locked; the door was also forced open and the screws were pushed out. That is the main door into the room? Yes, into the room. Was the defendant there then? When I left the room Pearl was not home and when I came back he was not in there. What time did you leave the room that day, you said you came back at half past eight o'clock? I was away from the room for about half an hour, I went away and at half past eight o'clock I came back. You work as a jeweler in this room? I work home. Does the defendant work at the same business, or what does the defendant do? He works at the same trade, but he does not work home he works in a shop. He is a jeweler, but he comes home in the evening, he is away working during the day.

When did you see the defendant after you missed this property? At three o'clock that same afternoon I saw him, and I asked him, how is it that you come home so early? I said this to him before I missed the jewelry. He (the defendant) replied; "I have no work." He went away. I did not see him any more; he did not come home in the evening. That was the same day? The same day; then later on about four o'clock he came home again, that same afternoon, but in the evening when I discovered that my things were missing he was not at home and I did not see him any more. What was his usual time for getting home? He used to come about six o'clock from his work and then he used to go out and come home about nine, ten, or eleven o'clock. He did not come in that night at six o'clock did he? No, he did not come to sleep in the room that evening. Where did you next see him after you missed this property? I and several of my friends went around looking for him that evening, and at half past one o'clock the same night we met him in a pool room. Where did you meet him? At No. 14 1/2 Brewery, he was

in a pool room. That is, they walked over from Jefferson street? I went around looking in all the places where we thought we would find him; we found him at No. 14 1/2 Bovey in a pool room the same night. What did he say? I went up to him and I said, "Why did you steal my jewelry?" He said, "Well, I am not afraid of you." That was his answer. Did he say anything else after that? Then I left my two friends standing in the pool room to watch him, and I went to Elizabeth street to call a policeman. You got an officer? The detective came along with me. At that time the pool room was all closed and the proprietor ordered them out. My two friends kept him outside, and when I came up he was arrested outside the pool room in the street. I did not talk to him any more only that one time in the pool room he said he took it and "I am not afraid of you." The jewelry was brought back to me. Then did you get the jewelry back? Three days later, half past eleven o'clock night time. A man came up to me and said, "Somebody wants to see you in the street." So I went down stairs. Was this after this defendant had been arrested?

Yes, three days after he was arrested. He  
 The Interpreter: He tells now what another man told  
 him. [Witness:] He gave me the jewelry.  
 Was he a strange man? He was a stranger.  
 I only knew that this young man lodged  
 with that man some time ago, and  
 this man came and gave me the jewelry.  
 Did you get it all back but the tools? The  
 tools, jewelry and everything were returned.  
 Had that man ever been in your room?  
 Never, the other man is a very decent  
 man. Was the other man a jeweler?  
 He is not a jeweler, he is a cigar maker,  
 he lives in Eighty First Street.

Cross Examined. I am making and selling gold  
 rings all the time. The same day that the  
 lockets were stolen I bought them. Did you  
 buy the lockets that same day? The same  
 day a man was sitting in my place  
 and I asked him for lockets - a man who  
 is selling jewelry. Then this man said,  
 "I will go with him and get two lockets  
 for you." So I gave him ten dollars, and  
 he went with the man and bought them  
 for me. I gave the defendant ten dollars  
 and he bought the lockets for me. He said,  
 "I have nothing to do, I will go down  
 and bring you the lockets. He did not

By counsel

give me the receipt now shown to me  
 when he came with the lockets. I gave  
 him ten dollars, but he did not give that  
 receipt to me. I got the lockets and I was  
 satisfied I have receipts for other jewelry.  
 Ask him whether or not he was in partner-  
 ship with this man? I never was in part-  
 nership. Did this man ever work for him  
 Yes, in the evening when he was willing  
 to do something I used to give him a  
 job - sometimes in the evening when  
 he came home. Ask him as matter of  
 fact whether or not all those rings which  
 he claims were stolen were not made by  
 the prisoner at the bar? Yes, he made some  
 of those rings. I cannot tell how many  
 because in the evenings when he was will-  
 ing to work I used to give him a job, he  
 used to make a couple of rings in the  
 evening when he was willing to do it. I  
 used to pay him twenty five cents sometimes  
 for making a ring; the highest price for  
 making a ring was thirty cents. Is it  
 not a fact that although you claim to be  
 a jeweler by occupation, that in fact you  
 are not a jeweler and that you cannot  
 make a ring? You can try me. I can  
 make all the rings. I learned my trade  
 as a jeweler at home. I have been four

a five years in America working at my trade - ten years in all I worked at my trade. I am 22 years old. My principal work is making ladies rings. Did you see anybody open that box or that day or the bureau drawer? No, I was not home, it was done when I was away. All I know is what a girl in the house informed me. Ask him if all the property which was supposed to have been stolen was recovered back by him? He said, yes, brought back.

Had this defendant a key to that room to go in when he wanted to go to bed? I had a key to the door, he had no key to the door. He had to wait till I would be home.

Mollie Bonowitch, ~~sworn~~ <sup>called</sup> and examined.

I am going on twelve years old. I go to school and am a good girl. I always tell the truth. I would be punished if I told a lie. The witness was sworn.

I live with my mother at 34 Jefferson St. in the same house that Goldstein lives. I know the defendant. I saw him this night go into the room and take the jewelry; he broke the lock of the big door.

A juror was withdrawn and the defendant pleaded guilty to grand larceny in the second degree. He was sent to the Elmira Reformatory.

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Testimony in the  
Care of  
Louis Paul  
pled  
Dec. 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  
Louis Pearl

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

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

The said Louis Pearl,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 16<sup>th</sup>  
day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety-one, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

forty rings of the value of  
three dollars each, six pair of earrings  
of the value of three dollars each  
pair, two lockets of the value of  
five dollars each, and divers jeweler's  
tools of a number and description  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,  
of the value of twenty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Samuel Goldstein

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

*Louis Pearl*

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

The said *Louis Pearl*,

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*

*[Large decorative flourish]*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Samuel Goldstein*

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

*Samuel Goldstein*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

*Louis Pearl*

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:**

4239

**DESCRIPTION:**

Petro, John

**DATE:**

12/11/91



4239

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Witnesses:

John Dack  
Off Cohen

75 J. B. Bond

Counsel,

Filed

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M. Dec  
Pleds, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Petro  
N.P.

Grand Larceny, Degree  
(From the Person)  
[Sections 528, B.C. Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

*Quia & sequitur*

A TRUE BILL.

*Quia & sequitur*

*Foreman.*

*W. L.*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 2<sup>nd</sup> DISTRICT.

Morris Cohen

of No. 8<sup>th</sup> Precinct Street, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
occupation Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,  
that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 1891  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested

John Pietro (now here) charged  
with Larceny upon the Complaint of  
John Dack. Deponent says that the  
said Dack is a material witness for  
the people and that he has no permanent  
residence in this City wherefore deponent  
prays that the said Dack be committed  
to the House of Detention

Morris Cohen

Sworn before me, this

of [Signature]

1891

(Seal)

Police Justice

[Signature]

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(1905)

Police Court— 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

John Deek

of No. 94 Goerck Street, aged 40 years,  
occupation clerk being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 30 day of November 1897 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the night time, the following property, viz:

Twelve Hundred Gulden Austrian  
currency valued as Four hundred  
and Eighty Dollars lawful money  
of the United States

\$ 480 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

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 Petro (now here)

from the fact that deponent had said money in his coat pocket. That he was lying on a lounge in a room in said premises that defendant was in said room. That deponent fell asleep and when he awoke said money was missing but a package was in deponent's pocket consisting of a number of rags. That deponent called the address of defendant that he is informed by Sarah Weinberg and Benjamin Schorn that they saw the defendant secret something in the lounge. That they told officer Chen of said fact. That said officer did search said lounge and that he found

Sworn to before me, this 1897 day

Police Justice

Several Austrian bank notes concealed  
 in said box were discovered and  
 secreted them wherefore defendant charged  
 the defendant with having stolen said  
 money and prays that he be held to  
 answer

Sworn to before me this } Johan Beck  
 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1891 }  
 C. Hoffman } Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 19 years, occupation Sailor of No. 94  
Marck Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1890, } Sarah Weinberg

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Benjamin Schen

aged 21 years, occupation Clerk of No. 94

Green Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup>  
day of December 1896,

Benjamin Schen

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2<sup>nd</sup> District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*John Petro* 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 Petro*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *50 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Austria*

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

Answer. *94 Linnell Street 1 month*

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  
John Petro*

Taken before me this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *November* 19*21*

*[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.....

*Standaun*

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 *Dec. 27* 1891 *[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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By Decem 4<sup>th</sup> 2:30 pm  
" Dec 6 10 AM  
" Dec 8 3:30 pm

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Dork*  
HOUSE OF DETENTION CASE.

1 *John Pietro*  
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*John Dork*  
Officer

BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

Dated *December 2<sup>nd</sup>* 1891

*Hypm* Magistrate.

*Chen* Officer.

*8<sup>th</sup>* Precinct.

Witnesses *Sarah Wainwright*

No. *94* *housick* Street.

*Benjamin Schorn*

No. *94* *housick* Street.

*Call the Officer*  
*Joseph Volant*

No. *157* *3<sup>rd</sup>* Street.

\$ *1000* to answer

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DEC 11 1891  
CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT  
ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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 Petros

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

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

The said

John Petros

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 30th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, in the night-time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

the sum of twelve hundred gulden in money, lawful money of the Empire of Austria, (a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) of the value of four hundred and eighty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one John Deak on the person of the said John Deak then and there being found, from the person of the said John Deak 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

*John Petros*

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

The said

*John Petros*

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

*the sum of twelve hundred gulden in money, lawful money of the Empire of Austria (a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) of the value of four hundred and eighty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*John Deak*

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 Deak*

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

*John Petros*

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:**

4239

**DESCRIPTION:**

Pfeffer, Norberth

**DATE:**

12/11/91



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66. A.B. Jaworski  
H. H. [unclear]

Counsel,  
Filed, 11 Dec 1891  
Plends, Sept 14

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Robert W. Jeffers

[Section 528, and 531, Penal Code.]  
(False Pretenses)  
~~Francis LARNEY, 2nd Floor~~

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
A TRUE BILL.  
Samuel W. Boonville  
Foreman.

Witnesses:

Max Fullman

Part 3, January 7, 1892  
Insd and Adjntd

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Police Court

District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No. 40 Attorney Max Feltman Street, aged 23 years,  
occupation Attorney being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 5 day of September 1899 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:

Gold and lawful money of the United States of the amount and value of thirty five dollars

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by North Betty Pfeiffer from the fact that on the 4<sup>th</sup> of September 1899 deponent met the defendant on Essex Street in front of the 3<sup>rd</sup> District Police Court. The defendant asked deponent what deponent was doing around the Court and deponent stated to the defendant that he deponent was looking for a lawyer to try a case in New Jersey and that defendant stated to deponent that he defendant was a lawyer and that he defendant would try the case for deponent. That deponent believing the statement made to him by the defendant that he was a lawyer to the true deponent agreed to give the defendant forty five dollars to try said case for deponent and on the

Sworn to before me this 18 day of September 1899  
Police Justice

day that the trial took place the defendant  
 failed to appear and defendant was  
 compelled to employ another lawyer to try  
 said case in New Jersey and defendant is  
 informed by several lawyers that the defendant  
 is not a lawyer and that the defendant  
 made said false and fraudulent representation  
 to defendant with intent to cheat and  
 defraud defendant of said amount of money  
 wherefore defendant prays that said defendant  
 may be apprehended and dealt with  
 according to law

Sworn to before me } M. J. [unclear]  
 this 27 day of Nov 1891 }  
 John Ryan }  
 Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Norberth Pfeffer

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. Norbeth Pfeffer

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Austria

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

Answer. 151 Broome St 5 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Law clerk

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 complainant knows me for the last 9 or 10 months and knows that I am no Lawyer. He also knows that I keep a collection office. I did not take the money from him. I did not take the thirty five dollars from him.  
e Norberth Pfeffer

Taken before me this

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day of

Handwritten signature and date

Police Justice

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3rd District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the *Police*  
*Justices* for the City of New York, by *Max Seltman*  
of No. *91 Clinton* Street, that on the *2* day *Sept*  
18*88* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

*Good and lawful Money of the United*  
*States of the amount of*  
of the value of *thirty five* Dollars,  
the property of *as*  
w*as* taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and  
believe, by *Northen Pfeffer*

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

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
*Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen*, and every of you, to apprehend the bod*y* of the said Defendant  
and forthwith bring *him* before me, at the *3* DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in  
case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the  
said charge, and to be dealt with according to law

Dated at the City of New York, this *27* day of *Sept* 18*88*  
*John R. Ryan* POLICE JUSTICE

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Police Court 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Max. Delman

vs.

Wolfgang Pfeiffer

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated Nov 27 1889

Ryan Magistrate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

Dated

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Police Justice

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the  
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

Nov 27 1891  
23 pm  
Austria  
Chick  
M  
151. Brown

The within named

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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.....

*Spendant*  
.....  
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 *Nov 27* 18 *91* *John Ryan* Police Justice.

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

*dependant*  
Dated *Nov 28* 18 *91* *John Ryan* 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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66 N 174<sup>th</sup> St (1461)  
Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Max Feltman  
H. Chaturvedi  
Northbrook Peffer

Office  
C. W. ...

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Dated Nov 27 1951  
Ryck Magistrate.

Fay Court Precinct.

Wife Max Kolstein  
No. 15 Suffolk Street.



No. Street.

No. 1000 G.S. Street.  
\$ 1000 to answer

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Dails

BAILED.  
No. 1 by Simon Sturm  
Residence 157 Clinton 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

Northey P. ...

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

Northey P. ...

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

The said Northey P. ...

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 15th 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, with intent to deprive and defraud one Max Falkman

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter mentioned, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use, did then and there feloniously, fraudulently and falsely pretend and represent to the said Max Falkman, who was then desirous of procuring a lawyer to secure the release of some ...

that of one Annie Handman who was then under legal restraint in the City of New York in the State of New York.

That the said Northey P. ... was a lawyer, and was a fit, proper and qualified person to be employed by the said Max Falkman for the purpose of obtaining legal proceedings to secure the release of the said Annie Handman from custody

of the said Annie Handman from custody

and provided,

[Large handwritten scribble]

And the said May Feltman —

then and there believing the said false and fraudulent pretenses and representations so made as aforesaid by the said Robert Pfeffer —

and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of the false and fraudulent pretenses and representations so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said Robert Pfeffer as a retainer fee and for and in payment of the services to be rendered by him as a lawyer for the said company, the sum of thirty five dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of thirty five dollars,

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said May Feltman —

And the said Robert Pfeffer — did then and there feloniously receive and obtain the said proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property, from the possession of the said May Feltman —

by color and by aid of the false and fraudulent pretenses and representations aforesaid, with intent to deprive and defraud the said May Feltman,

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, and to appropriate the same to his own use

**Whereas**, in truth and in fact, the said Robert Pfeffer was not a lawyer, and was not a fit, proper or qualified person to be employed by the said May Feltman for the purpose

of retaining legal proceedings to secure the  
release of the said Annie Langman from  
custody as aforesaid.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the pretenses and representations so made as afore-  
said by the said Andrew Pepper  
to the said May Feltman was and were  
then and there in all respects utterly false and untrue, as she the said  
Andrew Pepper  
at the time of making the same then and there well knew ;

And so the Grand Jury Aforesaid, do say that the said  
Andrew Pepper  
in the manner and form aforesaid, by the means aforesaid, the proper moneys, goods, chattels and  
personal property of the said May Feltman  
then and there feloniously did STEAL, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided,  
and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Phelan, William D.

**DATE:**

12/21/91



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Police Court—9 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

of No. 2518 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, aged 20 years,  
occupation Collector being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 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 Bicycle of the Value  
of Fifty dollars.

the property of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen  
and carried away by William S. Shelan (nowhere)  
from the fact that on said date  
deponent missed said property  
from the cellar of said premises and  
that the said Shelan admitted and  
confessed in deponent's presence  
that he did take, steal and carry  
away said property.

AR Graham

Sworn to before me, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of December 1891  
W. H. Mee  
Justice of the Peace

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(1885)

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William D. Phelan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *2576. 8th Avenue. 1 Year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Salesman*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of the Charge*  
*W. D. Phelan*

Taken before me this *14*  
day of *December* 189*1*  
*William D. Phelan*  
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

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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 Dec 14 1891 *W. Mearns* 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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115- Police Court District 1548

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Arthur Stuchman  
2518 vs. William S. Nelson

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Officer [Signature]

Dated Dec 14 1911  
Merrill Magistrate  
McKinnis Officer.

29 Precinct.  
Witnesses William M. McKinnis  
No. 29 Greening Police  
Edmund Duffey  
No. 235 High 1314 Street.  
Paul Griffith  
No. 103 - [Signature] Street.

\$ 1000  
1391  
ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

1000 of Dec 15 1911

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

*William D. Phelan*

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

*William D. Phelan*

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

The said *William D. Phelan*

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

*one bicycle of the value of fifty dollars*

*[Large decorative flourish]*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Arthur R. Strahan*

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

*De Lancey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DATE:**

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Witnesses:

*Morris Levinson*

*Leina Neuffer*

57 *W. H. Hayman*

Counsel,

Filed

*10 Dec*

day of

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Pleads,

*"Agreeably"*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Wm. Raven*

*Engle in the second degree.*  
*Section 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.*

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

*District Attorney.*

A TRUE BILL.

*Emmanuel Bonum*

Foreman.

*Part 2 - Dec. 16, 1891*

*trial and reported*

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Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 33 Willet Street, aged 25 years,  
occupation Porter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 79 Suffolk Street, 10 Ward  
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a four story brick  
building  
and which was occupied in part by deponent as a dwelling place  
and in which there was at the time no human beings by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly Opening a door  
on the top floor part of said premises by means  
of a false key and entering therein  
with intent to commit a felony  
on the 10 day of November 1891 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Ladies Cloak of the  
value of Twelve dollars  
(\$12.00)

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

Thos. Diven (winkler) and Jacob  
Cohen previously arrested and now awaiting  
trial  
for the reasons following, to wit: That on said date said

property was in said premises.  
Deponent is informed by Dina  
Winkler of No 79 Suffolk street  
that at about 12 O'clock noon  
of said date she securely locked  
and fastened the doors leading  
into said premises and went out  
and when she returned at about

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3 P.M. O'clock of same day she  
discovered said door open and upon  
entering said premises saw defendant  
(John previously arrested) and  
defendant Pivon (now here)  
acting in concert together while  
in said premises and saw  
defendant Chen with said property  
in his possession run out of said  
premises and each of said defendant  
made their escape, wherefore  
defendant prays that defendant  
Pivon and Chen, be held to answer  
and be dealt with as the law directs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 3rd day of Nov 1891 } Morris Linn  
Police Justice

\_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1891  
Police Justice

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1891  
Police Justice

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.

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.

Police Court, \_\_\_\_\_ District,

THE PEOPLE, etc.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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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.

*Samuel Steuken*

aged 55 years, occupation Housekeeper of No.

79 Suffolk Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Mavis Lennie

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

Sworn to before me this 30 day of Nov 1890, *Mavis Lennie*

*John Ryan*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 188-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

*Simon Pison* 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. *Simon Pison*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *37 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *99 Divisinet 7 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shoemaker*

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*

*Simon Pison*  
*mas*

Taken before me this  
day of

*John P. [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.....

*Thomas Brown*

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 *Nov 27* 18 *91* *John M. Ryan* 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

*Maria Steiner*  
*29 West 51*  
*Street*  
*Prison*

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offense *Prison*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated *Nov 30* 18*91*

*Ryan* Magistrate.

*Fallen* Officer.

*17* Precinct.

Witness *Simon Meinken*

No. *79* *Stuyvesant* Street.

*Abraham Yankovsky*

No. *37* *Levee* Street.

*Davis*

No. *79* *Ruffin* Street.

*1888* to answer



*[Signature]*

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Froim Piven*

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

*Froim Piven*

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

The said

*Froim Piven*

late of the *10<sup>th</sup>* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth* day of *November* 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, the dwelling house of one *Morris Levine*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there a human being within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Morris Levine*

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

*Morris Levine*  
of the CRIME OF *Retit* LARCENY committed as follows:

The said *Morris Levine*

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

*one cloak of the value  
of twelve dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Morris Levine*

in the dwelling house of the said

*Morris Levine*

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.

*De Launcey Nicoll*  
*District Attorney*

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**DATE:**

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