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LaDue, John

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POOR QUALITY
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Witnesses:

M. Howe

P. Hanham

Off. Evanhoe

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1880

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John La Due

22 Dec. 13. 1889

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JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

Wm. Macclae

Forfeited

Off. J. M. '89

Grand Larceny Second degree
[Sections 528, 529, 530 Penal Code]

POOR QUALITY
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OFFICE OF
WINGATE & CULLEN,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS,

Rooms 61 to 66,
20 Nassau Street,

GEORGE W. WINGATE,
HENRY J. CULLEN, Jr.,

New York, November 22nd, 1888

Dear Colonel:--

I would esteem it as a personal favor if you would suspend further proceedings for a few days in the matter of the People against John Ladue for whom I gave bail last Sunday before Judge O'Reilly upon a complaint for larceny in stealing a bureau, and whose case I understand has been before the Grand Jury this week.

Ladue was my servant for a number of years and I am under obligations to him for the care which he took of my children when they had Scarlet Fever. He is ^a thoroughly honest fellow and I am satisfied ~~is~~ innocent of the charge. I had him down here to-day and he made a full explanation of the whole matter to Mr. Welling who is the attorney for the claimants who own the bureau and the latter expressed himself satisfied that a mistake had been made.

I think if we ^{have} had an opportunity to make a little further examination the complainants will ask that the charge may be withdrawn. Of course if it is necessary I will see that bail is provided for John, but I don't want to be bothered about it any more than I can help, as it is purely a labor of love.

Col. John R. Fellows, Yours very truly,
~~Post office Building,~~
New York City.

Geo. W. Wingate

*P. S. Since writing this I have read notes for
Ladue to be in Court in Brooklyn
I have to be in Court in Brooklyn*

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0021

Mr. John La Dine -
has been in my employ
for some time, and
can recommend him
as being honest and
reliable.

Wm. J. Wickhamer
45 E. 13th

New York, Feb. 1 1899.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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General Sessions

the People

ag-

Taken de place

Left hands

Rev. J. W. Wriggater

for left

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—

H District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No.

110 East 47th Street, aged 19 years,

occupation

None

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

1st day of

September

1888 at the City of New

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

of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One Mahogany Bureau of
the value of thirty dollars
(\$30.00)

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 John Ladner

from the fact that deponent
was absent from the city on the above
date and the said property was
located in the cellar of the above
numbered premises, and that said
deponent was at said time the
janitor of said premises. That
deponent is informed by Phillip
Shechman of No 112 East 47th St
that he saw said deponent take
from said premises at about noon time
on or about said date the said property
herein described.

Margaret Howe

Sworn to before me, this 19 day of September, 1888

Samuel M. Kelly, Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 48 years, occupation Janitor of No. 112

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

Sworn to before me, this 17

day of Nov

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Phillip D. Rubman

Daniel C. Reilly
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0025

Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Ladue*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *48 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *No 220 East 58th St. 15 days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Servant*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

John S Ladue

Taken before me this

day of

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Samuel J. McClellan Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0026

BAILED,
No. 1, by Sam Magate
Residence 21 Nassau
Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street.

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Police Court... District.
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Magistrate
110 E. 47
John A. Smith
Offence Carrying
Gun
Dated Nov 17 1888
Magistrate.
Emmett Smith Officer.
Witness Philip Jackson
No. 113 Street.
Frank B. Smith
No. 4th Avenue 12th St
Street.
No. 1000 to answer 11/2
Street.
COMMITTED.
Boadice

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

defendant
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 17 1888 Sam Magate Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 18 1888 Sam Magate 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.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

City and County of New York.

-----X
THE PEOPLE

vs.

J O H N L A D U E.
-----X

City and County of New York, ss:

J o h n L a d u e, being duly sworn says:

I reside at No. 220 East Fifty-sixth street, in the City of New York. The charge made against me of larceny for stealing the bureau for which I am indicted, is entirely without foundation.

"2

I was appointed janitor of the flats No. 110 East Forty-seventh street in New York City and went there June 2nd, 1888. At that time, Mrs. Howe, the complainant in this case was away and her rooms were occupied by a Mr. Smith. As janitor, I occupied the four rear rooms in the cellar, in one of which there was an old bureau, a baby house, and some chairs which I was told belonged to Mrs. Howe. In October, Mrs. Brenton Welling, a relative of Mrs. Howe's came there for some table leaves which belonged to the latter and saw my wife and myself. I spoke to her about the bureau and the baby house. She told me my little girl might have the baby house, saying "I had it when I was a little girl." I asked her what I should do with the bureau and she said "Oh, do anything you like with it".

"3

I understood from that she meant to give it to me and so did my wife.

It was an old mahogany bureau, split in the back and sides and with the two rear legs gone and I supposed it to be of no value. Mr. Bowles, who occupied the top flat and who is a dealer in furniture, came in my rooms to ask about his wood house some time after, saw the bureau and offered me three dollars for it, which I accepted. He sent an expressman in broad daylight the next day and I helped the man carry it out and put it on the wagon, without the slightest concealment. I never attempted to deny to any one what I had done with the bureau. I would have been worse than foolish to have stolen it, as it was directly in my custody.

"4

I am informed by Mr. Bowles that the bureau was not worth more than five dollars, as besides its being split, a number of the handles were gone and also the rear legs. Mr. Bowles supplied these missing legs and also the brass ornaments, and replaced the defective parts, patching it up as he tells me, by using another one he had, at an expense for labor and material amounting to some fifteen dollars or more and then sold it to Mr. Camacho for twenty five dollars.

"5

I remained in the flats until November 2nd, 1888, when I left, as I could not spare from my other occupation the time required for my duties, receiving a recommendation from Mr. Riley, the owner and leaving the address of the place to which I had gone and where I have since resided.

"8 Before I left I notified Mrs. Hyer, Mrs. Bowles and Mrs. Cruger, the tenants, to see if everything was all right which was stored in the lower floor and belonged to them, and they so found them.

It is possible that my wife and myself misunderstood the intention of Mrs. Welling in regard to the bureau, but we have acted in perfect good faith in the matter.

In regard to the claim that Mrs. Howe lost articles out of her trunk, that is something which I have nothing whatever to do with and I know nothing at all about it.

"7 By directions of the owner of the flat, Mr. Riley, after I had been there some two weeks, I put some trunks and packages which had previously been in the passage way leading to the elevator and which was used by the trades people coming to the tenants, inside a grating a place which was provided for the tenants to put their things into. This was done in order that I might whitewash the passage. I reported to the owner that the trunks were in the passage way and that I would not be responsible for them and I never was. I was away two weeks in July fitting up Mr. McCafferty's place in Rockaway. I have no
"8 knowledge as to whether anything was taken out of these trunks or not.

I have worked in a number of places in New York and Brooklyn. For several years was a servant in the family of Gen. George W. Wingate and had sole charge of his house when the family were in the country. For two years after I left him I worked for the Hon. Hugh McCulloch and also for Mr. William Man and a number of other prominent

"9

people. I also worked for three seasons on the steamer "Drew", having charge of twenty-five rooms in the upper saloon. Since I left the "Drew", my business has been taking charge of empty houses for the owners and I have also had a number of houses for the Beekman estate and others where I goto take care of the furnaces and do general work; among these is Mrs. Mary R. Griffiths, of No. 414 Madison Avenue, Mrs. W. Husted 413 Madison Avenue, Mrs. Sellisberg 1063 Madison Avenue and others by whom I am still employed, and who, notwithstanding this charge still believe me to be honest.

"10

I have never been arrested or charged with theft before this occurrence.

Sworn to before me this
13th day of February 1889.

John Smith LaDue
Edward W. Hayes
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

Cityn and County of New York.

-----X
THE PEOPLE

vs.

J O H N L A D U E.
-----X

City and County of New York, ss:

G e o r g e W. W i n g a t e, being duly sworn
says:

"2 I have known John Ladue, the defendant in the above case, I should think for nearly fifteen years. For a number of years he was a servant in my house, and at one time my wife's health was so poor that I depended upon him very largely in regard to the management of the house. When my familt were in the country he and his wife had charge of my house for weeks at a time. He had my complete confidence and I have never had a more faithful servant. He left my regular employment some years since, but at intervals since, whenever my wife wanted any extra work done we have sent for John to do it. During this period he has had unlimited opportunities for theft if he had been so disposed, and I have never known or suspected him of taking a single thing. I recommended him to the Hon. Hugh McCulloch when he was residing in New York, also to Mr. William Man, and a number of others and have never heard of any accusations against him.

While it is possible that he may have misapprehended

414. Madison Avenue
Jan 1 31st 1879.

John Ladue has been
employed in my fam-
ily for the past three
years. For part of that
time he had charge of
the farm and stock, &
has also been generally
useful in laying carpets
& doing other household
work. I have always
found him honest &
trust worthy.

Wm J K Giffitts

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0033

149 Broadway Room 21

N.Y. Sept. 19th 1885

John Ladue has had dwelling house
No. 427 Madison Avenue in his charge
for us, for some months past, and
has kept the same in a neat and
satisfactory condition. I have no
doubt that he has pleased all callers
by his readiness to show the same
to proper applicants for it, and would
have no hesitation in giving him
charge of another house if we had
one vacant.

E. S. Howland

for Beckman Estate

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0034

413 Madison Ave,
New York. Nov 23 1888
John Ladue has been
employed at my house for
the past some years in making
fire, and doing other work.
We have always found him
trustworthy and reliable.
Wm. H. H. H. H.

- "3 what was said to him in regard to the bureau, from what I know of his character during these ^{past} years, I am confident that he did not suspect but what the bureau was given to him, and that he was not guilty of any criminal intent when he sold it. After the charge in question was made against him, having been informed that all Mrs. Howe wanted was her bureau back, and that she would then withdraw the charge, I offered to purchase the bureau from Mr. Camacho, of the American Bank Note Company (who is an acquaintance of mine) and return it to Mrs. Howe, if she would drop the prosecution. This offer, however, she declined to accept.
- "4

Sworn to before me this

13th day of February 1889.

: Geo. H. Wingate

Edward W. Hayes
Notary Public
J. W. Co

Fol.1

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

City and County of New York.

-----x
THE PEOPLE

vs.

J O H N L A D U E.
-----x

City and County of New York, ss:

L a v i n i a L a d u e, being duly sworn says

"2 I am the wife of John Ladue, and was present at the time when Mrs. Welling had the conversation with him in regard to the bureau. I distinctly understood from what she said that she considered the bureau to be of no value and gave it to us. We did not think it was worth anything particularly and were very glad when Mr. Bowles offered us three dollars for it. The bureau was removed in broad daylight and without the slightest attempt at concealment and we never attempted to deny to any one just what we had done in regard to it.

Sworn to before me this :

13th day of February, 1889..

Lavinia Ladue

Edward W. Bowles
Notary Public
sup

New York February 1st 1889

Cole John R. Fellows,
U.S. Dist. Attyr.
Post Office Building
New York City.

Dear Sir

I understand an indictment has been returned
against John Ladue for larceny in stealing a
bureau from a flat in which he was said to
I desire to say that he has been employed
in our family for the last four years in
various matters in regard to our house.
While so employed he has had access to all
parts of it and if dishonest would have had
many opportunities to steal. I have never
missed anything and have no reason to
suspect him. While it is possible that there
may have been some misunderstanding as to
whether or not the bureau in question was
given him I am satisfied from my knowledge
of his character that he would not have
over

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0030

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 La Due

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

John La Due

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

The said

John La Due

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

*one bureau of the value of
thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Margaret Howe

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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0039

SECOND COUNT—

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

John La Due
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said

John La Due

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

one bureau of the value of
thirty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Margaret Howe

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

Margaret Howe

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

John La Due

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Landsman, Bella

DATE:

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Amelia Living

Officer Brown

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

day of

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Bella Sandsman

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Grand Larceny Second degree
[Sections 528, 53/530, Penal Code.]

A TRUE BILL

Wm. Mcclary Foreman.

Nov 13/88

Placed in Pen 3 mos. B.M.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0842

Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No.

occupation

deposes and says, that on the

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

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333 Amelia Levine
Pleasant W. Street, aged 43 years,
Housekeeper being duly sworn
or about 24 day of October 1888

the following property viz:

One pair
of Gold Bracelets of the
Value of Forty Dollars
(\$40.)

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

Pella Landerman (now
here, for the reason that said
property was found in the
possession of said deponent
and now deponent charges
said deponent with taking,
stealing and carrying away
said property and prays
that she be dealt with as
the law directs

Amelia Levine

Sworn to before me this
day of
1888

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0843

Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Am not guilty
Della Landroman
mark

Taken before me this
day of

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0844

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

Police Court---
District

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Melvin Levine
333 West 10th St
Bella Landman

Office

Dated *Oct-31* 188*8*

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

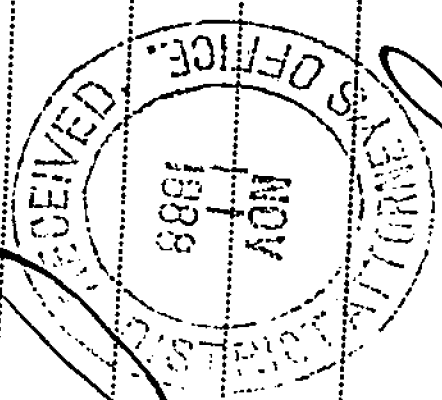
Witnesses

No. *5-55* Grand
Street

No. _____
Street

No. *500* Grand
Street

No. _____
to answer _____



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

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

Dated *Oct-31* 188*8* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0845

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Bella Landsmann

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

Bella Landsmann

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

The said

Bella Landsmann

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

two bracelets of the value of twenty
dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Amelia Levine

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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0846

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

Bella Landsman

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,

*two gold bracelets of the
value of twenty dollars
each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Amelia Levine

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

Amelia Levine

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

Bella Landsman

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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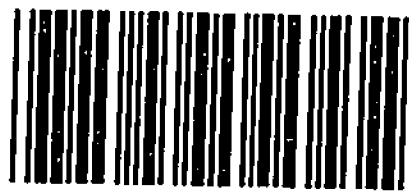
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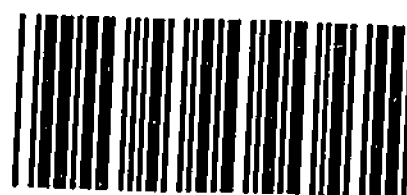
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Benson, John J.

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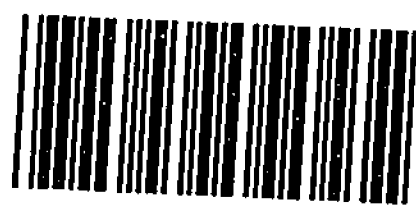
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DESCRIPTION:

Powers, Edward J.

DATE:

11/21/88



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POOR QUALITY
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0050

Witnesses,

Mathilde Pearson

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

Guilty

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Rose Lavery

John J. Benson

Edward J. Powers

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Nov 15 1888 District Attorney.

Pr hr 21. 1888

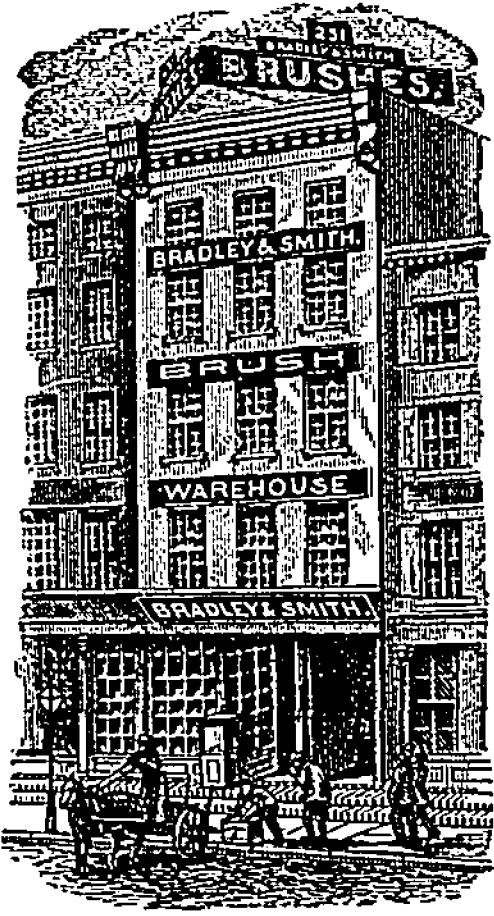
all tried & acquitted.
A True Bill.

Wm L. Smith Foreman.

[Section 211, 212, Penal Code.]
Wickhaming.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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BRADLEY & SMITH,
BRUSHES,

251 Pearl Street,

NEAR FULTON STREET.

J. A. BRADLEY,
ISAAC BEALE,
P. F. D. HIBBS,
A. V. HART,
P. G. SNYDER.

NEW YORK, Nov 1, 1888

To whom it may concern

The Bearer John Benson
was in our employ a
number of months
previously to Sept 1st and
we found attentive to his
duties - honest & quite
capable - Should have
continued to employ
him if business had
required his services

Bradley & Smith

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0852

New York Nov 1st 1888
This is to certify that John
Benson is a member of
the Youngmen's St. James
Roman Catholic T.A.B.
Society since March 8th /86
and that he is a true and
worthy member of said
organization and to the best
of our knowledge and
belief is above doing any
thing ~~unlawful~~ contrary
to laws of this State.

Roger Moran
32 Madison St
Secy -

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0853

New York Nov 1st 1888
This is to certify that John
Benson is a member of
the Youngmen's St. James
Roman Catholic I. A. B.
Society since March 8th /86
and that he is a true and
worthy member of said
organization and to the best
of our knowledge and
belief is above doing any
thing ~~unlawful~~ to his contrary
to laws of this State -

Roger Moran
32 Madison St
Secty -

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0854

St James' Church Wy.
Nov 1st 1888.

Hon Judge —

Dear Sir:

In regard to case of
John Benson & Edward Powers
arrested ^{now} and out on bail on
charge of Hackmail (I believe) —
— I cheerfully write at the
request of the Mother of the for-
mer that I know both the
young men and their families
and I feel confident that
their motives were good &
honorable. The Mother of
John Benson has given a
version of the matter, which
I believe without hesitation

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and which if correct ought
I think exonerate them.

Charitable interference in
a business which did not
concern them seems to have
got them into this trouble.

The character of both
young men & their families
has been hitherto irreproach-
able. Such confidence have
I had in them, as to give
them some time ago the trust-
worthy duty of Collectors for
one of the most important works
of this parish. My confidence
in them is still unshaken.

Very respectfully Yrs

John Mear

Pastor

STATE OF NEW YORK, ss. POLICE COURT— 2 DISTRICT.
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

Matilda Meersman

of No. *167 Wooster* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the *23* day of *October* 188 *8*

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

Rose Carey, John Benson and
Edward J. Power, (all now here)
did feloniously and unlawfully take
away keep and conceal from deponent,
the Parent of Norma Meersman a child
under the age of 12 years, to wit: of the
age of three months, with the intent
to extort, or obtain money or reward
from deponent,

That on said 23rd day of October 1888
said defendant Rose was in the employ
of deponent, at the hour of 3 o'clock
in the afternoon said Rose took said
child, and did not return with the same,

That on the 26th day of October 1888
said defendant Benson & Power came
to deponent's residence, and demanded
money from deponent, that they would
find said child,

Deponent is informed by James
Delaney of No 208 Thompson Street
that he met said defendant Rose in
Thompson Street, on the 26th day of October
1888 at the hour of 5³⁰ o'clock P.M.
and she gave him a child with the
request to bring the same to the house
No 167 Wooster Street

Deponent is further informed by
Robert J. Webb of the Central office Police

that said defendant Benuean acknowledged to her in the presence of witnesses that he was in the company of the defendant Rose then with said child in the evening of the 25th day of October and that he made an arrangement with her to meet her in the afternoon of October 26 on Roosevelt Street Ferry

Deponent further says that said defendant Power & Benuean told her that no other person then they can ever get back said child for her, that no Detective will ever find it, that the child is in Greenpoint and deponent can not get the child without money

Deponent therefore charges that said three defendants acted in concert with each other in taking concealment said child from deponent the parent of said child, with the intent to extort money or reward from deponent, in violation of Section 211 of the Penal Code of the State of New York

Sworn to before me this 27th day of October 1888
John J. Morgan Justice of the Peace

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 25 years, occupation Police officer of No.

the Court office

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

October 1888

Robert Webb

John Korman
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 17 years, occupation School boy of No.

208 Thompson

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

October 1888

James Delisa

John Korman
Police Justice.

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2nd District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Rose Lavery*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *Brooklyn 5 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Domestic*

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

Rose Lavery

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John Benson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 40 Race Street

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Brushmaker

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 J. Benson

Taken before me this

day of October

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John J. Benson Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Edward J. Powers*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Chicago*

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

Answer. *13 Madison Street 6 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Clark*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

E. J. Powers

Taken before me this

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Henry J. ...
Police Justice.

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Police Court... 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Merriman
167 West 1st
John J. Pinner
John J. Pinner
Edward J. Pinner

Offence *Kidnaping*

Dated *Oct 27* 188*8*

John J. Pinner
Justice of the Peace
Precinct

Witnesses *John J. Pinner*

No. *John J. Pinner* Street.

No. *John J. Pinner* Street.

No. *John J. Pinner* Street.
John J. Pinner
John J. Pinner

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

Defendants

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Thirty* 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 *Oct 27* 188*8* *John J. Pinner* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Oct 27* 188*8* *John J. Pinner* Police Justice.

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

Dated... 188... Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Rose Davenport, John
J. Benson, and
Edward J. Benson

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

Indictment accuse

Rose Davenport, John J. Benson
and Edward J. Benson
of the crime of **Kidnapping**, -

committed as follows:

The said

Rose Davenport, John J. Benson
and Edward J. Benson, all

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

twenty third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-eight, at the City and County aforesaid,

did feloniously and unlawfully take away
from its mother and mother, Mathilde Merssman,
and detain one Norma Merssman, a
child under the age of twelve years,
to wit: the age of nine months, with
intent to extort and obtain money and
reward for the return of the said Norma
Merssman to the said Mathilde
Merssman; to wit: as aforesaid,
against the form of the Statute in such
case made and provided, and against the
peace and dignity of the said People.

John R. Fellows, District Attorney

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Witnesses:

Ann Harnin
May Carroll

Counsel,

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

You see.

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Small Smith Foreman.
Part III March 3/91
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March Term 1st Tuesday 1891

First District
Police Court

Minnie Hornum
a girl
You See

Arrested with
Solomon's
Assault
Before Hon
Daniel O'Reilly
Police Justice
Oct 25 / 1888

Complaint being sworn to 20/10/88
& says Case Examined by Mr. Kegan
Gathered did this assault & cutting
fore please?

A In my room 11 Police Court
Gathered there with a Chinaman
Ayes si

Gathered trouble did gather with
the Chinaman in

A I had no trouble with him
Gathered any quarrel with him
Ayes si

Gathered how long have you known him?
A 2 1/2 years.

Gathered how does it happen?

That you were assaulted &
A few days friend of mine who
is staying with me lived with
his friend & he came in with
two Chinamen & wanted to come
in. I went to the door & asked who
was there & he said I want to come
in & I said he need not, and
he and the two other Chinamen
pushed in the door & came in
and the Chinaman came over
and stood the girl and I
went over to push the Chinaman
away from the girl. This Chinaman
pulled out a knife and cut me
& I cut any of the other Chinamen
here with a knife.

Q. And then

A. But it was that while you
and the other Chinaman were
fighting he wanted to separate
you and you got cut?

Q. And then

A. How many other girls were

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in the room beside you?
A.S.

Was there not a general fight
between you 3 girls & these Chin
men?

Answer

[Signature]

May I recall being duly sworn
deposes & says

That on or about

All persons

That on or about

At home at home

That state what occurred in your
may?

At about 12 o'clock one of the Chin

men came there and wanted to

get in and she would not let

them in ^{and} refused them admittance

and about 3 o'clock they came

back and wanted to come in ^{and}

she refused them admittance ^{and}

they forced their way in and

I was lying in the bed and

the first one came in and

one of them threw me down and then

they stepped in to force me and

he cut her down the knife in

his hand.

It was there was a sort of general

fight there between you all

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And Sir

When did this occur?

A week ago last night.

How near was she to him?

As near as I am to you.

Did she behave herself after
that?

Yes Sir

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Stella McEnnath being
duly sworn deposes & says.

Q where & you live?

A 11th street

Q What is your business?

A None.

Q Were you present at the time
after the alleged assault?

A Yes Sir

Q State what what you know of it

A When this Chinaman came in

he went to the door & asked who
was there & opened it to see ^{and}

they forced their way in and one

of the Chinaman took one of

the girls ^{and} threw her down ^{and}

commenced to beat her and

this lady went in to save her

Q Did you see him cut her with

this knife?

A Yes I could not help it

Case Examined

Q You say one of the Chinaman
who forced his way ⁱⁿ rushed

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down the girl?

Answer:

Where was the second Chinaman
At the door at the door? This one got
down after girl as she wanted to
stop the man from beating
the other girl, and he had a
knife which he used and beat
her.

Q Did you see the knife?

Answer:

Q Can you describe the knife?

A It was a large knife

Q And did Minnie fore hand
after the Chinaman?

Answer:

Q How close was she to him?

A As close as you are to me

Q Did he have his hands after?

Answer: Yes with his hands

Q At the time she got out?

Answer:

Q Where was the knife at the
time she got out?

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A Indian had her hand after
with one hand and out her
with the knife being in the
other.

I was standing in front of her
eyes in

What happened when she got?

A some children released the
police are coming and they ran
out.

Defendant James M
Hoyer was further examined

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Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Minnie Harrison
of No. *11 Pell* Street,

Keep House being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on *Wednesday* the *17* day of *October*

in the year 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

she was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by *John Lee*

(now here) who cut and stabbed
deponent on both hands with the blade
of a knife which he deponent
held in his 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 *25* day
of *October* 1888

John Lee
Minnie Harrison

Sam'l C. Beatty POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Jon Lee 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.

Jon Lee

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

25 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

China

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

Answer.

11 Myrtle St. Queens

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laundry

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

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Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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BAILED,
No. 1, by James A. Lee
Residence 4 West Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court...

District...

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Munich Harrison

James Lee

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Offence

Dated

Oct 25 188

Officer Magistrate.

John J. Brown Officer.

John J. Brown Precinct.

John J. Brown Street.

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John J. Brown Street.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 Oct 25 188 James A. Lee Police Justice.

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

Dated Oct 25 188 James A. Lee Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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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

Yon Lee

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

The said Yon Lee

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
seventeenth day of October in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Minnie Harrison
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and her the said Minnie Harrison
with a certain knife

which the said Yon Lee
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

with intent her the said Minnie Harrison
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
Yon Lee
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Yon Lee

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 Minnie Harrison
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and her the said
Minnie Harrison
with a certain knife.

which the said Yon Lee
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did
wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, 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.

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THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said Yon Lee

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 said
Minnie Harrison in the peace of the said People then
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and
her the said Minnie Harrison
with a certain knife

which he the said Yon Lee
in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the hands
of her the said Minnie Harrison

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said Minnie Harrison

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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Lehnert, George

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Anton Faser

Counsel,

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day of

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Grand Larceny, First Degree.
(DWELLING HOUSE.)
[Sections 528, 530 of the Penal Code].

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George Schmitt.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Walter M. [Signature]

Indemnan.

Planned by [Signature]

House of Reps. B.M.

Police Court—03 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No 210 E 3 Street, aged 21 years,
occupation Baker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 19 day of January 1888 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

a quantity of Wearing
appears of the value
of fifty dollars

the property of deponent

Sworn to before me, this 19 day of January 1888

John W. [Signature] Police Justice.

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by George Lehman (Nirkin) attempted to be
from the place. That about
the hour of five o'clock of the morning
of the above date deponent discovered
the said deponent in his bed
room of same premises and he
informed deponent that he came
there for the purpose of stealing

+ Anton Feser

Anton Feser

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Geo. Lemert*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *13 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *At home*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Butcher*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of charge*
George Lemert.

Taken before me this
day of *Nov*

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William J. ...
Police Justice.

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

Police Court
District

10/21/1819

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Arthur Jones

Geo. Williams

Offence

Perjury

Dated Nov 19 188

Magistrate

James Rogers

Officer

Witnesses

No. 13

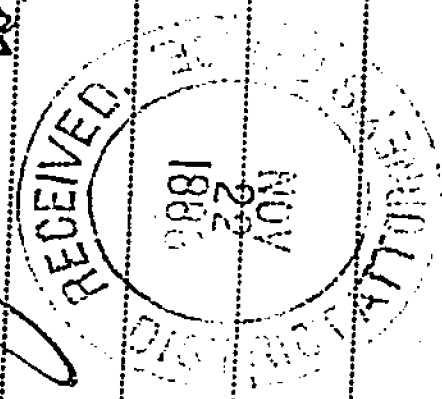
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, 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 19 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

George Lehnert.

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

George Lehnert
crime of attempting to commit the
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said *George Lehnert*

late of the *Ward* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, in the night time of the same day,
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *divers articles*
of clothing and wearing apparel, of a number, kind
and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid un-
known, of the value of *fifty* dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Anton Fiser*

in the dwelling-house of the said *Anton Fiser*

there situate, then and there being found, from the dwelling-house aforesaid, then and there
feloniously did ^{attempt 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.

John R. Fellows,
District Attorney.

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Lentz, James E.

DATE:

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Witnesses:

J. B. Klecker,
J. M. Kingsley,
J. H. Bradburn.

Nov. 14, 1888.

I recommend the
dismissal of this Indictment
for the reasons
stated in the case of
People v. Duncan Mc.
Buchanan, filed here-
with.

J. R. Fellows
District Attorney.

Counsel,

Filed, 2

Pleads,

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

James E. Lentz

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. R. Fellows
Foreman.

P. 2. Nov 16. 1888.

Indictment dismissed

FRAUDULENT REGISTRATION.
[Chap. 410, Laws of 1882, § 1903.]

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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 E. Santy

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *James E. Santy*
of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the *9th* day of
October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~and~~ the
same being a day duly appointed by law as a day for the general registration of the
qualified voters of the said City and County, the said *James E. Santy*
late of the City and County aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally
appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *21st* Election District
of the *21st* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting
of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held for the purpose of the general
registration of the male residents of the said Election District as then were, or would be
on the day of election next following the said day of registration, (to wit: on the *ninth*
day of November, in the year aforesaid, being the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in
the said month of November, and being the day duly appointed by law for the holding of
a general election throughout the said State, and in the City and County aforesaid), entitled
to vote therein, at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and did
then and there, at the said general registration of voters, feloniously and fraudulently
register in the said Election District, not having a lawful right to register therein, in this,
to wit: that the said *James E. Santy* was not then a male resident
of the said Election District as then was, or on the said day of election next following the
said day of registration would be entitled to vote therein, for the reason that he was not
then, nor would he on the said day of election have been, an inhabitant of the said State
one year next preceding such election, and the last four months a resident of the said
County of New York, and for the last thirty days a resident of the said Election District,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and
dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS. District Attorney.

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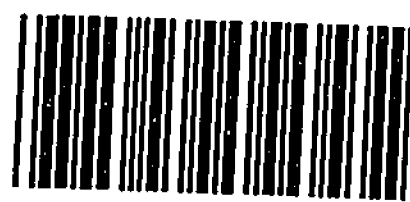
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Levien, Reginald C.

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Counsel, _____
Filed, 14 day of Nov 1888
Plends, C. Whizgully-15

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Reginald C. Sevier

John H. Williams
~~ANDREW B. MARINE~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. D. MacCall
Foreman.

Part IV December 2/88
Pleads Guilty.

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Counsel,
Filed, 1st day of Nov 1888
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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Reginald C. Sevier

John H. Williams
~~JOSEPH B. MARINE~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. D. MacCall
Foreman.

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POOL SELLING, ETC.
[Section 351, Penal Code.]

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

Anthony Bountock
of 150 Nassau Street, New York City, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is more than twenty-one years of age, and is employed as Chief agent of The New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, that Ridge Levin

whose real name is unknown but who can be identified by deponent did, at the City of New York County of New York and State of New York, on or about the 9th day of October 1888 ~~and between date and its 14th day of August~~, 1888, unlawfully keep and occupy a room, shed, tenement, tent, booth, building, or a part thereof, and a place, upon public or private grounds, with books, apparatus and paraphernalia, for the purpose of recording or registering bets or wagers, or of selling pools, and did then and there record or register bets or wagers, or sell pools upon the result of a certain trial or contest of skill, speed or power of endurance of beasts, to wit horses, ~~then and there about to be run in a certain race, upon a certain race-course, known as the~~

~~at the~~ of in the State of New York, and further being the owner, lessee, or occupant of said room, shed, tenement, tent, booth, building or part thereof, the said Ridge Levin

aforesaid did knowingly permit the same to be used and occupied for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and therein did keep, exhibit and employ, certain and divers device, or apparatus, for the purpose of recording or registering bets or wagers, and for selling pools, as hereinbefore set forth, and did further become the custodian or depositary for hire or reward, of certain money, property, and thing of value, stated, wagered or pledged upon said result of said trial or contest of skill, speed or power of endurance, between horses, as is more particularly set forth aforesaid.

Deponent further says, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, his information being based upon personal observation, and from the statements of

J. J. Daly, J. W. Hilliard and others

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that the said

Ridge Levin

aforesaid now have in his possession, at, in and upon certain premises occupied by him
situate and known as 3 Barclay street
in the city County and State aforesaid, with intent to use the same as a means to
commit a public ~~crime~~ offence, divers and sundry device and apparatus, paraphernalia, papers,
books and instruments, for the purpose of recording or registering bets or wagers, and of
selling pools, as aforesaid, and contrary to the provisions of Chapter Nine of the Penal Code
of the State of New York. Wherefore deponent prays that warrants and search warrants
may be issued, and the said persons named aforesaid may be arrested, their unlawful
matters searched for, seized, and taken possession of, and all dealt with according to law.

Anthony Bonaiuto

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
9th day of October 1888 }

M. Patterson Police Justice.

CITY OF _____ COUNTY OF _____ ss.

_____ being further sworn deposes and says, that on
the _____ day of _____ 188____, he personally visited the premises
occupied by the said _____

_____ aforesaid, situate and known as Number _____

_____ aforesaid, and had conversation and dealings with
_____ in substance as follows, to wit:

Deponent

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Police Justice.

Antony Comstock,

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Sec. 151.

CITY OF New York COUNTY OF New York }
AND STATE OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Police Court, Third District.

In the name of the People of the State of New York: To the Sheriff, or any Deputy Sheriff or Peace Officer of the County of New York, or to any Marshal, Constable or Policeman of the City of New York. GREETING:

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

of No. 150 Nassau Street, charging that on the 9th day of October 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

that the crime of keeping, using, and allowing to be used a room, table, device, apparatus & paraphernalia, for the purpose of selling pools, or registering or recording bets or wagers upon the trial or contest of speed between horses

has been committed, and accusing Ridg Levin

whose real name is unknown but who can be identified by Anthony Buntrock thereof.

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, Deputy Sheriffs, Peace Officers, Marshals, Constables and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the Third 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 9th day of October 1888.

AM Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, Third DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Buntrock

Ridg Levin

Warrant-General.

Dated Oct. 9th 1888

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 Oct 9th 1888.

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest.

Native of

Age.

Sex.

Complexion.

Color.

Profession.

Married.

Single.

Read.

Write.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Reginald C. Levine 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. *Reginald C. Levine*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *56 E. 61st St. 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Insurance*

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*

Reginald C. Levine

Taken before me this

10

day of *October* 188*8*

John M. McNamee

Police Justice.

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BAILIED
No. 1, by *Matthew Davis*
Residence *507 Lexington Street*
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Comstock
Reginald Davis
Offence *Recording Feb*

Dated

188

Witnesses

Magistrate.

No.

Officer.

Witnesses

Precinct.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

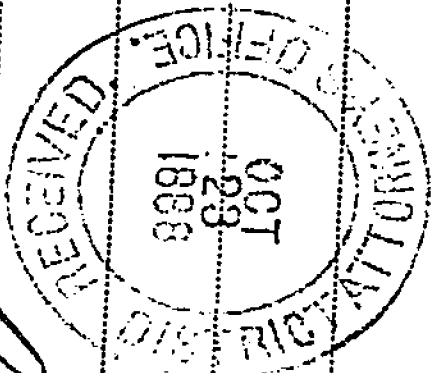
No.

Street.

No.

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 _____

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

Dated *Oct 10* 188 *J. M. O'Brien* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Oct 10* 188 *J. M. O'Brien* 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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C. R. 8076.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
CLERK'S OFFICE.

PEOPLE

vs.

Reginald C. Levien

See

James Jackson
et al. Nov 28,
1888 and Nov-
16, 1888

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

Anthony J. Courtch being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that Reginald L. Levin
here present, is the one known as Ridge Levin
in annexed complaint.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

10 day to October 1886

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

Anthony J. Courtch

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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

Reginald R. Devine

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

Reginald R. Devine

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows :

The said *Reginald R. Devine*,

late of the *Third* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~eight~~ *eight*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, did unlawfully keep a certain *room* in a certain *building* there situate, for the purpose of therein recording and registering bets and wagers, and of selling pools, upon the result of trials and contests of speed and power of endurance of beasts, to wit, horses ; 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 *Reginald R. Devine*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows

The said *Reginald R. Devine*,

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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, being then and there the *sergeant*
of certain *room* in a certain *building* there situate, with force and arms did unlawfully and knowingly permit the said *room*
to be used and occupied for the purpose of therein recording and registering bets and wagers,
and of selling pools upon the result of trials and contests of speed and power of endurance of
beasts, to wit, horses; 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 *Reginald R. Jensen*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Reginald R. Jensen*

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, being then and there the *sergeant*
of a certain *room* in a certain *building* there situate,
with force and arms, did unlawfully therein keep, exhibit and employ divers devices and appa-
ratus (a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) for the
purpose of recording and registering bets and wagers, and selling pools upon the result of trials
and contests of speed and power of endurance of beasts, to wit, horses; against the form of the
statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York, and their dignity.

John R. Fellows
Assistant Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Links, Rosa

DATE:

11/23/88



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Witnesses:

Mathias H. Brown

W. C. Chaskey

Emmett

Dec 7. 1888
I recommend that Defend
be discharged on her own
recognizance. She has been
arrested, is now standing
trial for acquittal.
of the persons
D. H. D. D.

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of Nov 1888

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.

Rosa Simko

Dec 7/88

Discharged on her own

Dec 4/88

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Part 2 Dec. 10

W. J. D.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. D.

Foreman.

Dec 7/88

Spied & jury discharged

Dec 7/88

for acquittal

on recogn. of Dist. Atty.

deft. discharged on her own recogn.

P. B. H.

Grand Larceny Second degree [Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code].

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Police Court—2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County { ss.:
of New York,

Martin H. Brown
of No. 32 West 23d Street, aged 47 years,
occupation Saloon Manager being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 25 day of October 1888 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One seal skin
Wrist clock of the value of
two hundred and fifty five dollars.
\$255

the property of Stern Brothers, and then
in deponent's care.

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 Rosa Links (now here,
for the reason that the said
garment which is here present and
identified by deponent was stolen from
the store of Stern Brothers 32 West
23d Street on said date, and deponent
is informed by Detective George M. Clarke
that the defendant admitted to him
that she had the said property in her
possession at the time of her arrest
on the 6th instant, and she claimed to
have purchased the said property from
a woman whose name she did not know.

Martin H. Brown

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

George Mc Cluskey

aged *21* years, occupation

of No.

907 Mulberry

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Martin H. Brown

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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John M. Cluskey
John M. Cluskey
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Rosa Links being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to
enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him
that his 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.

Rosa Links

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

30 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Chicago, Ill.

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

Answer.

Chicago, Ill. 30 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

House work

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 - &
demand an Examination
Rosa, Links.*

Taken before me this

16th

day of

1888

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 _____

At Nov 14
1888

Police Court--- 2 1802
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William H. Thomas
B2 900 232
Rosa Link

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Offence Larceny
felony

Dated Nov 11 1888

Supp

Magistrate.

McClintock & MacArthur
Officer.

Witnesses

No. 1, by P. Thomas

No. 2, by J. M. H. Valley

No. 3, by J. M. H. Valley

No. 4, by J. M. H. Valley

No. 5, by J. M. H. Valley

No. 6, by J. M. H. Valley

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DISTRICT

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

Rosa Link

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 14 1888 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 h to be discharged.

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions

The People

^{v.}
Rosa Link

Grand Larceny 2^d deg.
Rec. Stolen Goods.

George McCreedy, Detective Sergeant,
Central Office, On the 14th of No-
vember, 1888, I received the de-
fendant at the Grand Central ~~Office~~
Depot. She was delivered to me
by a member of the Police of Cin-
cinnati, O., where she had been
arrested on the charge of having
stolen or having received a seal
skin coat, knowing that the same
had been stolen from Park Bros.,
New York city. I am informed
that the defendant came on to
New York voluntarily, without
an extradition warrant. The
said coat was delivered to me
by said officer, and it is now
in the possession of the property
clerk. The defendant stated to the
present that she had bought
the said coat from a lady whom
she knew by the name of Blanche
and that it was delivered to her in

a parlor of the Norton House.
The defendant claimed that
she did not know that the said
coat was stolen, but that she
bought it in good faith and
paid to said Blanche the sum
of One hundred Dollars there-
for. The defendant is not known
to the Police of our city.

Martin H. Bowman, 72
W. 93 St., furrier in the em-
ploy of Sam Bros., New York City.
I examined the seal skin coat
found in the possession of the
defendant herein and from certain
indelible marks on the skin of
the fur I have identified it as
a coat which on or about the
25th of October, 1888, was found
missing from the store of said
firm. The ~~said~~ loss of said
coat was at once reported to me
by the stock clerk of said firm,
when she had ascertained it.
My examination of said coat
revealed the fact that three pockets
thereof were cut or torn out. These
pockets had some marks from
which the origin of the coat could

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be ascertained. I have not seen
the prisoners before.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs,

Howard

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated *November 28* 1888.

Edward Gross

Deputy Assistant.

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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

Rosa Linkes

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

Rosa Linkes

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

The said

Rosa Linkes

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

*one sealskin cloak of the
value of two hundred and fifty
five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Isaac Stern

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Rosa Links _____

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

The said

Rosa Links

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

*one seal skin cloak of the
value of two hundred and
fifty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Isaac Stern

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

Isaac Stern

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

Rosa Links _____

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Lochmer, Joseph

DATE:

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For example,

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

POLICE COURT, / DISTRICT.

William Dumber
of No. *44* *1st Precinct Police* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *9th* day of *October* 188*8*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *the same being*

a day duly appointed by law as a
day of general registration of the
qualified voters of said City and
County, *Joseph Lochner*, now
here, did personally appear before
the Inspectors of Election of the
First Election District of the 2nd
Assembly District of said City and
County, and then and there did
falsely register in said Election
District. That thereafter and on
the 17th day of October 1888, a day
of general registration, the said
defendant falsely registered
in the Eighth Election District
of the 2nd Assembly District.

Deponent, therefore, charges the
said defendant with having
knowingly and fraudulently
registered as a voter in two
Election Districts in violation of
the statute in such case made
and provided

Sworn to before me this *William Dumber*
1st day of November 1888

J. M. Patterson Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.

of No. 19 Cherry Street, aged 28 years,
occupation Truck driver being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 17th day of October 1888

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Dependent saw
the defendant Joseph Lochner,
now known, registered as a qualified
voter in the Eighth Collection
District of the Second Assembly
District, giving his residence at
125 Rosemead Street which is
in said District. That dependent
has known said Defendant for
a period of ten or 12 years.

John Shear

Sworn to before me, this

of November 1888

day

Police Justice,

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss

1st District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Joseph Lochner.

Question. How old are you?

Answer

23 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York.

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

Answer.

381 Water Street. 6 months.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Boarding house runner.

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.
Joseph X Lochner

*The defendant being further
examined voluntarily says-
I live at 381 Water Street
and I registered in the 1st
Election District of the 2nd
Assembly District, my residence
being in that District
I did not register in the
English District.*

Joseph X Lochner
(M. H.)

Taken before me this

day of November 1885

John P. ... 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.....

Dated. Nov 1st 1888 J. H. Blakeman Police Justice.

Dated.....188.....*Police Justice.*

Dated.....188.....*Police Justice.*

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0919

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph Sochner

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

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the *17th* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight the same being a day duly appointed by law as a day for the general registration of the qualified voters of the said City and County, the said *Joseph Sochner*, late of the City and County afore-said, having theretofore, and on the *17th* day of *October*, in the year afore-said, the same being also a day, duly appointed by law as a day for such registration, registered in one Election District, to wit: in the *1st* Election District of the *2nd* Assembly District, said, at the City and County afore-said, did personally appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *8th* Election District of the said *2nd* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held for the purpose of the general registration of the qualified voters of the said City and County, resident in the said Election District, at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and did then and there, at the said general registration of voters, feloniously and fraudulently register in another, to wit: in the said last mentioned *8th* Election District of the said Assembly District,

against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE~~

District Attorney.

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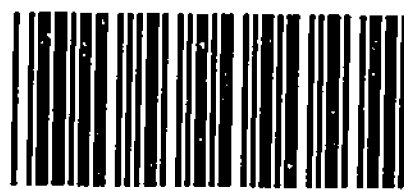
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DESCRIPTION:

London, Sidney P.

DATE:

11/16/88



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Witnesses:

Officer Linton
6.7.1971

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of

16 Nov. 1988

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Sidney P. London

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True BILL

Walter Macleay
Foreman.

Nov. 1971

James G. Green

Elmira P. P.B.M.

Nov 21/88

Grand Larceny Second degree
[Sections 528, 58, 572, Penal Code]

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0922

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 81 Walker John Fitzgerald
Street, aged 25 years,
occupation Book keeper being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 27 day of October 1888 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

Five pieces of cloth of the value
of sixteen dollars

the property of James P. Farrell and in case
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 Sidney P. Lonsdale (now here)
for the reason that deponent saw the
defendant take said property and wrap
the same in paper and was about
leaving the store at the above premises
with the bundle containing said
property in his possession and deponent
caused his arrest.

John Fitzgerald

Sworn to before me, this 29 day
of October 1888

John W. Sullivan Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions.

The People

vs.
Sidney J. London

Guard Larceny.

James J. Farrell, 386 W. 56
Street, Wholesale Dry Goods
Merchant at 81 Walker Street.
On the 31st of October, 1888, I
was called to the Station House
of the 6th precinct and was
shown 98 ladies robes and
2 black shawls. I identified
the same as my property.
I had sold to the defendant
about 90 robes previous to
said date. The goods had our
cards and tickets on.

Jeremiah J. Murphy, Special
Officer, 6th Precinct, On the
27th of October last, at the
instance of John F. Fitzgerald
I and James Linton, arrested
the defendant at 81 Walker
Street. He had in his possession
6 robes which Mr. Fitzgerald

claimed to be the property of Mr. Farrell. On October the 30th last we visited his house on 184 Cherry street. where we discovered 98 ladies robes and 2 black shawls, which on the next day at the station house were identified by Mr. Farrell as his property. The defendant said that he had bought some of said goods. Since then we, the officers, discovered eleven paravankets for similar goods in defendant's house.

John F. Fitzgerald, 419 East 5th Street. Clerk of Mr. James P. Farrell at 81 Walker Street. On the 27th of October last, I saw the defendant carry off from said Farrell's place six robes which he had not bought. When he arrested him thereupon, he offered to pay for the goods. I called for officer

POOR QUALITY
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Murphy and had the de-
fendant brought to the sta-
tion house. I have identified
the 81 robes and 2 shawls
found in defendant's pos-
session as the property of
Mr. Farrell.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0926

Count of General Greene

The People

vs.

William J. Gardner

Trial.

REPORT.

For the District Attorney.

Dated Nov. 12 188
General Greene
J. J. Gardner Assistant

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Sidney P London
age 25

Born Salomy.

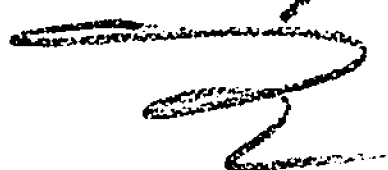
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DEPOSIT YOUR SECURITIES
IN THE
STATE SAFE DEPOSIT VAULT
35 WILLIAM STREET, NEW YORK.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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POLICE COURT / DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of

For

Sidney P. Landau

John Fitzgerald
Robert Landau

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby waive a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and demand a trial at the COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated

Oct 29 188 *8*

J. M. Clutter

Police Justice.

Sidney P. Landau

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0929

Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Sidney P. Loudan

Question How old are you?

Answer

26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Saxony, Germany

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

Answer.

19 East 3rd St. 6 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Peddler

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

Sidney P. Loudan

Taken before me this

29

day of OCTOBER

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John J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

0930

| BAILED, | |
|-----------|--------|
| No. 1, by | |
| Residence | Street |
| No. 2, by | |
| Residence | Street |
| No. 3, by | |
| Residence | Street |
| No. 4, by | |
| Residence | Street |

Police Court --- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
John Fitzgerald

Edmund Bonellin

Dated *Oct 29* 188*8*

Cattaraugus Magistrate.

Murphy Officer.

Witnesses *J. J. S. & J. J. S.* Precinct.

No. *Ex Cor 31* Street.

No. *240 Wm* Street.

No. *1* Street.
William P. G. D. Jones
Conrad

NOV 1 1888 DISTRICT COURT

Dated.....188.....*Police Justice.*

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0931

Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 142 Warren Street, aged 42 years,
occupation Merchant

deposes and says, that on the 27th day of May 1888 at the City of New

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

Twenty eight (28) Robes
Two (2) Shaws

Being together of the value of
Three hundred Dollars

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Sidney P. Landon (now Lee)

for the reasons following to wit: That
on said days said property was in
deponent's premises aforesaid, and on the
27th day of October 1888 deponent was
informed by John Fitzguald a clerk
in deponent's employ that on the 27th
day of October 1888 he caused the said
defendant (who was a peddler and
who was in the habit of coming to
deponent's place of business) to be
arrested, for the reasons that said
Fitzguald saw said defendant take (5)
five robes and put them in a paper and
walk out of said store with them

Sworn to before me this

1888

Police Justice.

That deponent is informed by James
Epstein ^{and} Jeremiah Murphy two
officers of the 6th Precinct Precinct
that they arrested said defendant and
on the 30th day of October 1888, they went
to defendant's premises at 184 Chrystie
Street second floor front where found
the aforesaid property which deponent
fully identifies as being his and
charges said defendant with the
larceny of the property aforesaid

Subscribed before me
this 31st day of October 1888 James P. Hall

J. M. Patterson

Poughkeepsie

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

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

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,

Office—LARCENY.

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|---|--|
| 1 | |
| 2 | |
| 3 | |
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Dated, 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. to answer Sessions.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0933

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 25 years, occupation Room of No.

St. Michael Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of James P. Farrell

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

Sworn to before me, this 3rd

day of October 183

John Fitzgerald
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

6th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of James P. Farrell

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

Sworn to before me, this 3rd

day of October 183

James E. Liston
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0934

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 33 years, occupation Journalist of No. 6th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of James P. Farrell
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 5/1st
day of October 1883 J. J. Murphy

A. M. O'Brien
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0935

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Sidney P. London 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.

Sidney P. London

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

26 years & 4 months

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Savoy

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

Answer.

184 Chrystie St. 6 or 7 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Redder

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 did not steal the robes
but I bought some of them
of a man named Ben.
Meyer who deals with
the complainants. Ben
Meyer is away from here
in camp & am informed
I waive further explanation
*Sidney P. London**

Taken before me this

day of November 1888

Donald P. Williams

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0936

144 1454
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James P. O'Connell
51 Wall Street
Quincy, D. D. Leonard

Offence Larceny
Felony

Dated October 21st 1888

Matthew J. Patterson
Magistrate.

Victor J. Murphy
Officer.

Witness
John J. O'Connell
81 Madison Street.

No. 1
James H. O'Connell
Street.

No. 2
6 2nd Street
Street.

No. 3
James P. O'Connell
Street.

No. 4
25th Street
to answer.

No. 5
James P. O'Connell
Street.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Twenty 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 November 8th 1888 Matthew J. Patterson 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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0937

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Sidney P. London

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

Sidney P. London

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

The said

Sidney P. London

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

ninety-eight robes of the value of three dollars each, and two shawls of the value of five dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James P. Farrell

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

Sidney P. London

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

The said

Sidney P. London

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,

*ninety-eight robes of the value
of three dollars each, and
two shawls of the value of
five dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James P. Farrell

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

James P. Farrell

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

Sidney P. London

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Lorenz, Daniel E.

DATE:

11/02/88



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0940

Witnesses:

J. B. Flecker,
E. M. Kingsley,
J. H. Broadhurst

Nov. 14, 1888.

I recommend the
dismissal of this Indict-
ment for the reasons
stated in the case of
People v. Duncan M.
Buchanan, filed here-
with.

J. R. Fellows
District Attorney.

Counsel,

Filed, 2

Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

FRAUDULENT REGISTRATION.
[Chap. 410, Laws of 1882, § 1903.]

David E. Loreng

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. R. Fellows
Foreman.

P. 2 Nov 16, 1888.

Indictment dismissed

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0941

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, OF THE CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Daniel E. Sorensen

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *Daniel E. Sorensen*
of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the *9th* day of
October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight* the
same being a day duly appointed by law as a day for the general registration of the
qualified voters of the said City and County, the said *Daniel E. Sorensen*
late of the City and County aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally
appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *2nd* Election District
of the *2nd* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting
of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held for the purpose of the general
registration of the male residents of the said Election District as then were, or would be
on the day of election next following the said day of registration, (to wit: on the *10th*
day of November, in the year aforesaid, being the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in
the said month of November, and being the day duly appointed by law for the holding of
a general election throughout the said State, and in the City and County aforesaid), entitled
to vote therein, at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and did
then and there, at the said general registration of voters, feloniously and fraudulently
register in the said Election District, not having a lawful right to register therein, in this,
to wit: that the said *Daniel E. Sorensen* was not then a male resident
of the said Election District as then was, or on the said day of election next following the
said day of registration would be entitled to vote therein, for the reason that he was not
then, nor would he on the said day of election have been, an inhabitant of the said State
one year next preceding such election, and the last four months a resident of the said
County of New York, and for the last thirty days a resident of the said Election District,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and
dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS. District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Lovell, John J.

DATE:

11/02/88



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

J. B. Decker
G. M. Kingsley
J. H. Boldhurst

Nov. 14, 1888.

I recommend the
dismissal of this Indict-
ment for the reasons
stated in the case of
People v. Duncan M.
Buchanan, filed here-
with.

J. H. Decker
District Attorney.

Counsel,
Filed, 2 day of Nov 1888
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John J. Lovell

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. H. Decker Foreman.

D. 2 Nov 16, 1888,
Indictment dismissed

FRAUDULENT REGISTRATION.
[Chap. 410, Laws of 1882, § 1903.]

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0944

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 J. Donnell

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *John J. Donnell*
of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the *9th* day of
October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~eight~~ the
same being a day duly appointed by law as a day for the general registration of the
qualified voters of the said City and County, the said *John J. Donnell*
late of the City and County aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally
appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *2-2* Election District
of the *2-2* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting
of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held for the purpose of the general
registration of the male residents of the said Election District as then were, or would be
on the day of election next following the said day of registration, (to wit: on the *12th*
day of November, in the year aforesaid, being the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in
the said month of November, and being the day duly appointed by law for the holding of
a general election throughout the said State, and in the City and County aforesaid), entitled
to vote therein, at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and did
then and there, at the said general registration of voters, feloniously and fraudulently
register in the said Election District, not having a lawful right to register therein, in this,
to wit: that the said *John J. Donnell* was not then a male resident
of the said Election District as then was, or on the said day of election next following the
said day of registration would be entitled to vote therein, for the reason that he was not
then, nor would he on the said day of election have been, an inhabitant of the said State
one year next preceding such election, and the last four months a resident of the said
County of New York, and for the last thirty days a resident of the said Election District,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and
dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS. District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Lynch, John

DATE:

11/19/88



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Counsel,
Filed 19 May of 188
Pleads,

Witnesses;

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John. Lynch
Grand Larceny, 5th Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 530 Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. M. Macleod
For 20th Foreman.
J. H. Macleod
City Prison - 60 days P.M.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0947

Police Court—

2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No.

Lizzie Harding
56 Macdonough

Street, aged 21 years,

occupation

Embroider

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

13th

day of November

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at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

and

Permanently of deponent, in the

Night

time, the following property viz:

All leather pocketbook containing
gold and lawful money of the
United States to the amount and
of the value of Six + 10/100 dollars

(\$6.10)

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 Lynch (New York)

from the fact that at about the hour
of 9.30 O'clock P.M. said date
deponent was standing on the corner of
Spring and Macdonough Street looking
at a parade and at that time
deponent had said pocketbook in her
hands. When the said defendant who
was walking with the parade stepped
out and snatched said pocketbook
from deponent's hands. and stepping
again into the parade attempted to
make his escape. deponent followed him
and never lost sight of him until he
was arrested. and at the time of his arrest.

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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he still had said pocket book in his hand.

Wherefore defendant charges the said defendant with felonious taking, stealing and carrying away said pocket book from the person of defendant and prays he may be held and dealt with according to law.

Sown to before me
this 14th day of Nov 1888
J. J. Peck
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1888
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888
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.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

vs.

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Date

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

to answer

Sessions.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0949

Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I took the pocket book but three young men told me to take it.

John Lynch

Taken before me this
day of

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

Police Court 2 1983
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James H. M. D. 1
55 MacDougal St
Larceny
felony

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Offence

Dated Nov 14 188

John A. Duffy Magistrate

Witnesses
No. 106 Prince Street
No. 100 West 2nd Street

No. 1000 to answer

John A. Duffy

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

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 14 188 John A. Duffy Police Justice.

I have admitted named to answer by 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

0951

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 Lynch

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

The said

John Lynch

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*eight*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, *one pocketbook of the value of thirty cents,*

one 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 and value of *five* dollars ; *one*

promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes),
of the denomination and value of *five* dollars ; *one* United States Silver

Certificate of the denomination and value of *five* dollar s ; *one* United States

Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *five* dollars ;

three 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 and value of *two* dollars each ; *three*

promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes),
of the denomination and value of *two* dollars each ; *three* United States Silver

Certificate of the denomination and value of *two* dollars each ; *three* United States

Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *two* dollars each ;

six 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 and value of *one* dollar each ; *six*

promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes),
of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each ; *six* United States Silver

Certificate of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each ; *six* United States

Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each ; *six* United States

of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury above-
said unknown, of the value of six dollars and ten cents

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Lizzie Harding*

on the person of the said *Lizzie Harding*

then and there being found, from the person of the said *Lizzie Harding*

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.

John R. Fellows
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3122

DESCRIPTION:

Lyndo, George

DATE:

11/28/88



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Off Burke

W. J. Cohen

Counsel, *37* day of *Nov* 188*8*
Filed, *at*
Plends, *Chyally*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

39 *Brown*
Printer
George Lynda
P2 Inc 27.1884
Please give
S. P. [unclear] Jan 1 1884

RANDOLPH D. MARTINE

District Attorney

A True Bill. at *Sept 17*

Heed Maccael

Foreman

Part 2 *McKay* *at* *11/16*
regards. W. J.

ILLEGAL VOTING.
[Laws 1882, Chap. 210, § 1904.]

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

W. Burke

W. J. Cohen

Counsel,

Filed, day of

188

Pleads, *Chargally*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

34. Brown

prints

George Lynda

Pr Inc 27.1884

Miss Grier

Lawrence Jan 1 1884

ILLEGAL VOTING.
[Laws, 1882, Chap. 210, S 1904.]

RANDOLPH B. HITCHCOCK

District Attorney

Dec 30/71

By *John Jan 89 (true)*

A True Bill, at *depts* as *presently*

map

W. J. Cohen

Foreman

Part 2. McHenry - at

request. W. J.

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

POLICE COURT—3rd DISTRICT.

years. *James Cohen* aged 28
of No. *659 Lexington Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the *6th* day of *November* 188*8*

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

John Schmidth (nowhere)
did at the *8th* Election District of the
8th assembly district unlawfully and
corruptly bribe two voters of said
Election District under the following
circumstances, Deponent saw said
defendant bring said two voters
to said polling place, and then return
deposits there votes. That after they
voted the said defendant gave said
two voters two Red Tickets.

That about 10 Minutes there after
deponent saw said two ~~def~~ voters
and said defendant in a Saloon
on the Bowery and deponent
saw said defendant give to said
two voters some Money, the
amount of which deponent does
not know.

Deponent believes that said Money
was paid for said votes in
violation of Law

James Cohen -

Sworn to before me this
6 day of November 1888

John German
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

James Cohen
of No. 659 *Lexington Avenue*, aged 28 years,
occupation *Manufacturing Agent*, being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 6 day of *November* 1888

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *he caused the*
arrest of George Rondo and
Joseph Winslow (nowhere), who
are the two voters named in the
annexed Complaint of deponent,
and who have feloniously received
a bribe from John Schmeich
for their votes at a General Election
held in this State in violation
of Law
James Cohen.

Sworn to before me, this

of *November* 1888

day

John W. Munn
Police Justice,

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Joseph Winickow

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

44 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

53 Bowery to the north

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Agent

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Joseph Winickow

Taken before me this

day of March 1888

John J. Winickow

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0959

Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

George Lynde

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

53 Bowery since 3 of October

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Printer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

George Lynde

Taken before me this

day of *November* 188*8*

John J. McNamee
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Schmidt

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Philadelphia

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

Answer.

Newark N.J. since 1864

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Hotel Keeper

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
John Schmidt

Taken before me this

day of *October* 188*8*

John J. Warner
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Officer Buckle
28 Oct
James C. [Signature]

BAILED,
No. 1, by *Chas. Dearymby*
Residence *102 Broadway*
Street,
No. 2, by
Residence
Street,
No. 3, by
Residence
Street,
No. 4, by
Residence
Street,

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1964
Police Court-- 13
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
James C. [Signature]
Joseph M. [Signature]
John [Signature]
Henry [Signature]
Offence *Legal [Signature]*

Dated *Nov 6* 188 *8*
James C. [Signature]
Magistrate,
Richard Buckle
Officer,
No. *28* Precinct,
Witnesses
Mr. A. Thomas
James C. [Signature]
No. *33* Broadway
Street,
Pacific Hotel,
No. *137*
Street,
TO ANSWER
Chas

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

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

Dated *Nov 6* 188 *8* *John Gorman* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *John C. [Signature]*
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *Nov 6* 188 *8* *John Gorman* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec 568.

District Police Court.

UNDERTAKING TO ANSWER SESSIONS.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

An order having been made on the 6th day of Nov 1888 by

John J. Schmitt, a Police Justice of the City of New York. That

be held to answer upon a charge of

upon which he has been duly admitted to bail, in the sum of fifteen Hundred Dollars.

We, John Schmitt, Defendant of No. 41

Boyer, Street; Occupation Hotel Keeper, and

Charles Ferguson, No. 100, Monroe Street; Occupation Merchant

Surety, hereby undertake jointly and severally,

that the above named John Schmitt shall appear and answer the charge above-

mentioned, in whatever Court it may be prosecuted: and shall at all times render himself amenable to the orders

and process of the Court; and if convicted, shall appear for judgment, and render himself in execution thereof,

or if he fail to perform either of these conditions that we will pay to the People of the State of New York, the sum

of fifteen Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 6th

day of November 1888

John J. Schmitt, POLICE JUSTICE.

John Schmitt

Ch. Ferguson

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss

John J. Brennan
Police Justice
1881

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and holder within the said County and State, and is worth Twenty Hundred Dollars, exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities, and that his property consists of One house and

lot of land No. 107 Monroe
north ten thousand and
mortgaged for five thousand
Ch. Szegansky

New York Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to Answer.

vs.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.

Filed day of 188

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0964

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

George Sugden

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

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on Tuesday, the *twelfth* day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *eight*, (the same being the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in the said month of November), there was held a general election throughout the State of New York and in the said City and County of New York; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, and at the said election, the said *George Sugden*, late of the said City and County, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *Third* Election District of the *Twelfth* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and did then and there feloniously *fraudulently, illegally and grandlarcinously* take in the said Election District, without having a lawful right to vote therein, for the reason that the said *George Sugden* had on the said day offered to receive, and then and there expected to receive a sum of money (the said Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) as a compensation and reward for the giving of his vote at the said election, and was then and there for such cause wholly disqualified by the Constitution and Laws of this State from voting at the said election;

against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

John R. Bellows
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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