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Witnesses:

Mr. Howe
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Counsel,
Filed *22* day of *Nov* 188*8*
Pleads, *M. J. M. J. M. J.*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Sa One
22 Nov 13. 1889
Ind. & sequent.

Grand Larceny *second degree*
[Sections 528, 587, 577 Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

W. D. Macclae
Foreman.
off 7th Term '89 DWA

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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, 188 8

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

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 if 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if we ^{have} had an opportunity to make a little further examination the complainants will ask that the charge may be withdrawn.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

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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. 83 St.

New York, Feb. 1 1899.

POOR QUALITY
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Annual Sessions

The People

of

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Eff. done

Ann. J. W. Wriggals

for elect

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Police Court— H District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.

of No. 110 East 47th St Margaret Howe Street, aged 19 years, occupation None being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 1 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 Anabogony 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 Sadu

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 Sept 1888
Sam'l P. Kelly Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 48 years, occupation Inspector of No. 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 1888 } Phillips Rubman

David C. Kelly
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John 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

Nov 19
1888

John J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0026

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

Police Court... District.

2287 1887

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Magate & Co
110 E. 47th St.

John S. ...

Offence Armed Robbery

Dated Nov 19 1888

Edw. ... Magistrate.

Emmanuel ... Officer.

Witness Phillip ... Precinct.

No. 113 Street.

No. 4th Ave Street.

No. 1000 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'l ... Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 18 1888 Sam'l ... 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.

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 knowledge as to whether anything was taken out of these trunks or not.

"8

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 go to 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

Eward Hayes
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

City and County of New York.

-----X
 THE PEOPLE :
 vs. :
 JOHN LADUE. :
 -----X

City and County of New York, ss:

George W. Wingate, 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

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414. Madison Avenue
Jan 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 furrier fire etc, &
has also been generally
useful in laying carpets
& doing other household
work. I have always
found him honest &
trust worthy.

Wm J Kuffell.

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 Ladner has been
employed at my house for
the past few years in making
fire, and doing other work.
We have always found him
trustworthy and reliable.
Wm. Huston

"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. Wrigate

Edward W. Hayes
 Notary Public
W. Hayes

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

City and County of New York.

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 THE PEOPLE :
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 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
 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.

"2

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

Lavinia Ladue

Edward W. Sawyer
Notary Public
NYC

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0037

New York February 1st 1889

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

Dear Sir

I understand an indictment has been returned
against my Ladue for larceny in stealing a
bureau from a flat in which he was janitor.
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

0838

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 eight 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. FELLOYS,
District Attorney.

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Landsman, Bella

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Witnesses:

Ambler Lewis

Officer Brown

Heinz [unclear]
Counsel,

Filed *Nov 1888*
day of *Nov*

Pleads *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Bella Sandsman

Grand Larceny *second degree*
[Sections 528, 53/570, Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

Ward McKeay
Foreman.

Nov 13/88

Wm. B. [unclear]
Pen 3 mis. B.M.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court

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District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No.

333 Amelia Levine
Pleasant W Street, aged 43 years,

occupation

Nursekeeper

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

24 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:
One pair of Gold Bracelets of the value of Forty Dollars (\$40.00)

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

Pellad Landeman (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 25th day of October 1888
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0843

Sec. 108-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Della Landerman

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 Years of Age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Amtry

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

Answer.

716 Second St 2 days

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.

*Am not guilty
Della Landerman
man*

Taken before me this
day of

[Signature]
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0844

BAILABLE

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court... District

8 1903

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Elvin
333 West 10th St
Bell Telephone

James Lawrence

Dated Oct-31 1888

Magistrate

Officer

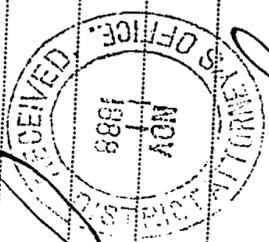
Francis Carter
Precinct 3

Witnesses
5-55 Grand

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. 500
to answer



Deane

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 1888 James Lawrence 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.

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 Landsman

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

Bella Landsman

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

The said

Bella Landsman

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 eight 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 Revine

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**

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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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Lavery, Rose

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Powers, Edward J.

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Witnesses,

Mathilde Pearson

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KAK

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

D. C. [Signature]
day of *Nov* 188*8*

Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Rose Lavery

John J. Benson

Edward J. Powers

[Section 211, sub. 2, Penal Code.]
Kidnapping

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Nov 15 1888 District Attorney.

Pr in h. 1888.

All fees requested.

A TRUE BILL.

Edw. J. Powers Foreman.

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BRADLEY & SMITH,
BRUSHES,

251 Pearl Street,

NEAR FULTON STREET.

J. A. BRADLEY,
ISAAC DEALE,
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
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 youngmans 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 youngmans St. James
Roman Catholic I. A. V.
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
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 and ^{now} 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 Keen
Pastor

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0856

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 nine 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 25th 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
Hickey 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*

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that said defendant Benuean acknowledges to her in the presence of witnesses that he was in the company of the defendant Ross then with said child in the evening of the 25th day of October and that he made an arrangement with her to meet her on the afternoon of October 26 on Roswell Green Ferry

Deponent further says that said defendant Power & Benuean told her that no other person than 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. Norman
Justice

Police Court, District

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

AFFIDAVIT

Dated 1888

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

Sworn to before me, this 27 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 Matthew Meersman and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27 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 ~~she~~ is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that ~~her~~ waiver cannot be used
against ~~her~~ on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *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 *9th*
day of *July* 188*8*
John J. McManis
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John 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 Paul 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 *27th*
day of *October* 188*8*
John J. Benson
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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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

day of

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Thomas J. ...
Police Justice.

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Police Court... 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Merriman
167 W 4th St
John J. Power
Edward J. Power

Offence Kidnapping

Dated Oct 27 1888

John J. Power
Justice of the Peace
Precinct 4

Witnesses: John J. Power

No. 108
John J. Power
Street

No. 208
John J. Power
Street

No. 208
John J. Power
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

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* 1888 *John J. Power* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Oct 27* 1888 *John J. Power* 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.

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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

Rose Daverny, John J. Benson, and Edward J. Powers

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

Indictment accuse Rose Daverny, John J. Benson

and Edward J. Powers

of the crime of Kidnapping, -

committed as follows:

The said Rose Daverny, John J. Benson

and Edward J. Powers, 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 and carry away from its mother, Mathilde Messersman, and detain one Norma Messersman, 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 Messersman to the said Mathilde Messersman; do mother, 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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Lee, Yon

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Annie Harris
May Carroll

Counsel,

Filed

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day of

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Pleads,

Chiquely (17)

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.

Foreman.

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March Term 1st Tuesday 1891

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First District
Peace Court

Minnie Hornum
a girl
You See

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

Complamant being sworn 20/10/88
& says case examined by Mr. Kelly

Q. Where did this assault & cutting
take place?

A. In my room 11 Poole Street

Q. Do you live there with a Christian man
Ayes si

Q. What trouble did you have with
this Christian man

A. I had no trouble with him

Q. Did you have any quarrel with him
Ayes si

Q. How long have you known him?

A. 2 1/2 years

Q. How do you know it happened?

What you were assaulted?
 A. This lady friend of mine who
 is staying with me lived with
 his friend & he came in with
 2 other Chimanen & 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 Chimanen
 pushed in the door & I came in
 and this Chimanen came over
 and struck the girl and I
 went over to push this Chimanen
 away from this girl. This Chimanen
 pulled out a knife and cut me
 & did any of the other Chimanen
 have knives?

Q. Yes.

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

Q. Yes.

Q. 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



May I recall being duly sworn
deposed & says

that he says me,

All persons

that day for a living,
A. I am at home

Just state what occurred in your
- way?

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 on the bed and
the first one came in and asked
me if they were down and then
you stepped in to see me and
he cut her down the knife in
his hand.

It was like a sort of general
fight that between you all

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And Sir
I asked did this occur?
A week ago last night
If someone was with him?
As someone as I am to you.
I did not believe her after
then?
Any more Sir

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Stella McEnnath being
- duly sworn deposed & say.

Q where & you live?

A 11th street

Q what is your business?

A None.

Q were you present at the time
- after alleged assault?

A Yes Sir

Q Now what what you know of it?

A When this Chairman came in

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

they forced their way in and one

of the Chairman 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 Chairman

who forced his way ⁱⁿ rushed

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down this girl?

Answer:

Where was the second Chairman
At the door at the door by this one got
Loed after girl as she wanted to
stop the man from beating
the other girl, and Rob had a
knife which he used and he cut
her.

Q Did you see the knife?

Answer:

Q Can you describe the knife?
A It was a large knife

and did Minnie bore head
after the Chairman?

Answer:

Q How close was she to him?
A as close as you are to me

Q Did he bore head after?

Answer: with his hands

Q at the time she got out?

Answer:

Where was the knife at the
time she got out.

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

It was happening in front of her
eyes.

What happened when she got?

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

Defendant James M
Hoye was further examined

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Police Court 1 District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Minnie Harrison
deponent

Sam'l C. Beatty POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Tom 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.

Tom 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

March 188*8*

Samuel J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

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BAILED,
 No. 1, by James L Lee
 Residence 4 West
 Street

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street

Police Court... District...

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Municipal Guardian
James Lee

Offence

Dated Oct 25 188

Officer Magistrate
John J. Brown Officer

Witness

No. 11 Lee
Street

No. 11 Lee
Street

No. 1000 to answer 28
Street



Subscribed

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

Reginald Carr

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 Lee Police Justice.

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

Dated Oct 25 188 James 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.

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 wrongfully 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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DESCRIPTION:

Lehnert, George

DATE:

11/28/88



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321. *[Signature]*

Counsel,
Filed *28* day of *Chou* 188
Pleads,

Witnesses:

Anton Faser

THE PEOPLE
vs.
George Schmitt,
Grand Larceny, First Degree,
(DWELLING HOUSE)
[Sections 528, 530 of the Penal Code].

William
George Schmitt
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JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Walter M. [Signature]

[Signature]
Prosecutor.

[Signature]
House of Reps. B.M.

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Police Court 03 District

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Anton Feser

of No 210 E 3 Street, aged 29 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 apparel of the value of fifty dollars

the property of deponent

Sworn to before me, this 19 day of January 1888

of Manhattan

William J. ...
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 (nicknamed) from the foot of the house of five o'clock of the morning of the above date deponent discovered the said deponent in his local room of Saint premier and he informed deponent that he came there for the purpose of stealing

+ Anton Feser

Anton Feser

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

3 District Police Court.

Geo Lambert 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. *Geo Lambert*

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~~ Workman*

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 Lambert.*

Taken before me this
day of *Nov* 190*8*

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William R. ...
Police Justice.

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BAILLED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

10 21 1819
Police Court
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. *Amos Jones*
2. *Geo. Williams*
3. _____
4. _____
Offence *Larceny*
Robbery

Dated *Nov 19* 188*8*

Harold Magistrate

James Rogers Officer

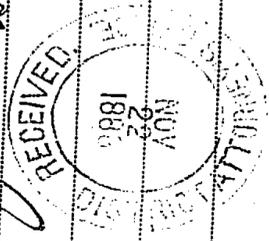
13 Precinct

Witnesses
No. *13* _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
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 *Nov 19* 188*8* *J. M. [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.

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 October 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 weaving 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:

11/02/88



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Witnesses:

J. B. Klecker,
E. 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. Alleen Mc.
Buchanan, filed here-
with.

J. H. Alleen
District Attorney.

JFS

Counsel,

Filed, 2

day of

Nov

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Pleas,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James E. Lentz

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Robert W. Smith 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. Deutsch

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *James E. Deutsch*
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. Deutsch*
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. Deutsch* 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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Levien, Reginald C.

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Counsel, _____
Filed, 14 day of Nov 1888
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POOL SELLING, ETC. [Section 851, Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Reginald C. Sevier

John P. Helms
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District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Walter MacCall
Foreman.

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Walter MacCall

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Counsel,
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William MacCall

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Anthony Coutrich

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 Courtot

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
9th day of October 1886 }

J. 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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Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
_____ day of _____ 188 }

..... *Police Justice.*

*Violation of Sec. 851, P. C.
Offence, Pool Gambling.*

THE PEOPLE,

ON COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Grunfeld.

AGAINST

Ridge Levin

Affidavit of Complaint.

WITNESSES:

Anthony Grunfeld.

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Sec. 151.

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

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 Brant.

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 Ridge Lewis whose real name is unknown but who can be identified by Anthony Brant 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.

Anthony Brant POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, Third DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Brant

Ridge Lewis

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 contained 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 _____

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0095

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*

J. M. Williams
Police Justice.

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BAILIED

No. 1, by *Walter Davis*
Residence *507 Lexington St.*

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court---
District. *1662*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Comstock
Reginald Davis

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Offence *Receiving Stols*

Dated *Oct 10th* 188

William Magistrate
Carson Officer
Precinct _____

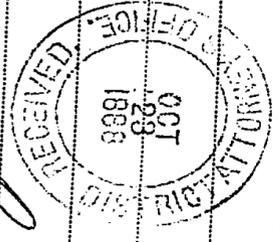
Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____
to answer *S. S. Davis*



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 10th* 188 *J. M. Patton* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Oct 10th* 188 *J. M. Patton* 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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ORIGINAL

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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 Bourtoch 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
10th day to October 1886.

Anthony Bourtoch

J. M. Patterson

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

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*, 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 *occupant* 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. Devine*

of a Misdemeanor, committed as follows:

The said *Reginald R. Devine*

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 *occupant* of a certain *room* in a certain *building* there situate, with force and arms, did unlawfully therein keep, exhibit and employ divers devices and apparatus (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. Helms
Attorney

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Links, Rosa

DATE:

11/23/88



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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

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
Walter 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 Lutz (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 16 day of November 1888
Police Justice.

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0904

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

George Mc Clorky

aged *21* years, occupation

of No.

302 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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George Mc Clorky
P. J. Duffy
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0905

Sec. 193-200.

3rd District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Rosa Luiks

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, Luiks.

Taken before me this

16th

day of

July 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

At Nov 14
1888

Police Court... District...

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martha H. Roman
B 2 Grand St
Rosa Link

Offence Larceny felony

Dated Nov 11 1888

Magistrate

McClary & Wheeler
Officer

Witnesses

P. Brown
C. H. Valley

No. _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. _____
Residence _____ Street.



Handwritten signatures and notes at the bottom left.

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 11 1888 Police Justice.

Large handwritten signature of the 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 Pro.,
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 therefor. The defendant is not known to the Police of our city.

Martin H. Dowman, 72 W. 93 Street, furrier in the employ of Fur 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,

Rowland

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated *Nov 21* 1888.

Edward Gross

Deputy Assistant.

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ORIGINAL

0911

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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J. B.

Counsel,
Filed, *J. B. [Signature]* 1888
Pleas, *Guilty (91)*

THE PEOPLE

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

23
381
shipping marks

Joseph Lochner

Jan 16/1888

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

Pr. Am 1888
Pleas guilty.
S.P. 3 1/2 yrs.
A True Bill.

Wm Macclay
Foreman.

Witnesses:

Officer [Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0915

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

POLICE COURT, / DISTRICT.

William Dunbar

of No. *H^d 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 feloniously register in said Election District. That thereafter and on the 17th day of October 1888, a day of general registration, the said Defendant feloniously 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 Dunbar
1st day of November 1888 }*

J.M. Patterson Police Justice

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0916

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 17 day of October 1888

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent saw
the defendant Joseph Lochner,
New York, 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 deponent
has known said defendant for
a period of ten or 12 years.

John Shea

Sworn to before me, this 17 day

of November 1888

M. B. Patterson
Police Justice,

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0917

Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Joseph 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 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 1st District.

Joseph Lochner
1888

Taken before me this 1st day of November 1888
John P. ...
Police Justice

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court... 1721
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
William Rumbach
vs. Rumbach
Joseph Rumbach

Offence: Fraudulent
Registration

Dated Nov 1 1888
Patton Magistrate.

Member & Clerk
H. Precinct.

Witnesses
John Shear
No. 19 61 Avenue
Street.

1st and 8th Election Dist.
No. 10 Avenue
Street.

Produce Reporting Book
No. 150m
Street.

to answer
\$150m
Street.

Ernst

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.....

Refused answer
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Seventy 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 1 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.

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 ninth day of October, in the year aforesaid, 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 aforesaid, 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. MARTINEZ

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

London, Sidney P.

DATE:

11/16/88



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0921

144.
Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,
16 day of Nov. 1888

Grand Larceny Second degree
[Sections 528, 58, 72, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Sidney P. London

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Wm. M. Mcclellan
Foreman.

Nov. 19 1888

John G. Gray

Elmira P. C.

Nov 21 1888 P.M.

Witnesses:

Wm. Linton
6. P. C.

NOV 21 1888

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* 188*8* 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. Londaun* (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* 188*8*
John W. ...
Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions.

The People

^{vs.}
Dorsey J. Dondoss

Guard Larceny.

James J. Farrell, 356 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, Guard
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 paravertickets 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
ORIGINAL

0925

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

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0926

Court of General Sessions

The People

vs.

Henry J. Gardner

Trial.

REPORT.

For the District Attorney.

Dated Nov. 12 188

General House

John Assistant

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0927

Sidney P London
age 25

Born Salisbury

Capt. _____

Single

Res 184 Cheyette

Mother Living

Res 184 Cheyette

[Signature]

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

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0928

POLICE COURT / DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,
vs.

On Complaint of *John Fitzgerald*
For *Retit Landry*

Sidney P. 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*

Sidney P. Landau

J. M. Clutter Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0929

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Sidney P. Loudau 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. Loudau*

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. Loudau

Taken before me this

29

day of **OCTOBER**

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W. J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0930

Transferred to the Court of Special Sessions for trial and final disposition.
Date: Oct 9, 1888
See House

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

Police Court... District... 39

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Fitzgerald
Edmund P. Hendon

Offence *Petty Larceny*

Dated *Oct 29* 188*8*

Paterson Magistrate.

Murphy Officer.

Witnesses *John S. ...*

No. *Oct 31* Street

No. *...* Street

... Street
... Street
... 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 31* 188*8* *Paterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0931

Police Court— 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. *A Warner* Street, aged *42* years,
occupation *Merchant*

deposes and says, that on the *27th* day of *May* ~~the 27th~~ *27th* ~~1888~~ *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 *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 Landa (now Leo)*

Sworn to before me this 27th day of 1888
Police Justice.

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 deponent (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 deponent take (5) five robes and put them in a paper and walk out of said store with them.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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 and there 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

Paraguet

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

_____ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

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

_____ Hundred Dollars _____

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

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

Police Court, District, _____

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

Dated, _____ 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

\$ _____ to answer _____ Sessions.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0933

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Fitzgerald
aged *25* years, occupation *carver* 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*8* of *John Fitzgerald*

J. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James E. Liston
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*8* of *James E. Liston*

J. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0934

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 33 years, occupation Journist J Murphy
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 of Journist J Murphy

A M O'Brien
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0935

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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 of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Sayrevy*

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

Answer. *184 Chrystie St. last 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 I am informed I waive further explanation
Sidney P. London*

Taken before me this

day of November 1888

Donald Putnam
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0935

1444 / 1454
Police Court / District

THE PEOPLE, Etc.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James P. O'Connell
51 Wall Street
Richard J. Leonard

Offence Larceny
Felony

Dated October 21st 1888

William Patterson Magistrate

Victor J. Murphy Officer

Witness John Johnson

No. 81 Wall Street

No. 6 Wall Street

No. 6 Wall Street

No. 6 Wall Street

\$ 2500 to answer

James P. O'Connell

BAILLED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dep. Nov. 11 10 a.m.
Y. Courthouse
at 2 1/2 P.M. Y. Courthouse

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 Weyandant

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

Dated November 5 1888 Wm 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.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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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

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Witnesses:

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

Nov. 14, 1888.

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

J. R. Fellows
District Attorney.

Counsel,
Filed, 2 day of Nov 1888
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

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

David E. Loreng

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Small J. Foreman

F 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~~ *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 *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 *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 *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. A. Boddhurst

Nov. 14, 1888.

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

J. R. Fellows
District Attorney.

Counsel,
Filed,
Pleads,

2 day of Nov 1888

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John J. Lovell

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. L. Mumby Foreman.

D. C. 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. Dowell

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse *John J. Dowell*
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. Dowell*
late of the City and County aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally
appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *2-12* Election District
of the *2-12* 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. Dowell* 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 ;

Grand Larceny, 5th Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 530 Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John. Lynch

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. M. Macleod
For 20 pp Foreman.
John W. Kelly
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 Street, aged 21 years,
occupation Embroider being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 13th day of November 1888 at the City of New

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

one leather pocket book 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 MacDougal Street looking
at a parade and at that time
deponent had said pocket book in her
hands. When the said deponent who
was walking with the parade stepped
out and snatched said pocket book
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

0948

he still had said pocket book in his hand.

Wherefore I present charges the said defendant with feloniously 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.

Sworn to before me
this 14th day of November 1888
J. J. Peeples
Police Justice

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

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

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Offence—LARCENY.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

to answer

Sessions.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0949

Sec. 193-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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.

John Lynch

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

15 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

147. Greenwich St.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Crand bar

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

14

day of

Sept 14

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Police Court No. 2 1983
 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph H. Harding
 516 West 125th St
 John Squards
 1 _____
 2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____

Offence Larceny
 felony

Dated Nov 14 188

John A. Duffy Magistrate
 John A. Duffy Officer

Witnesses
 Annie Eckhardt
 No. 116 Prince Street, Precinct _____

Edmund Eckhardt
 No. 116 Prince Street, Precinct _____

No. 1000 _____ Street, Precinct _____
 to answer _____

John A. Duffy
 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 _____ 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

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Lynch

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

John Lynch
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* dollars; *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; *and*

of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury above said unknown, of the value of six dollars and two 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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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Lyndo, George

DATE:

11/28/88



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Witnesses:

W. J. Burke
W. J. Cohen

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W. J. Burke

Counsel,
Filed, *27* day of *Nov* 188*8*
Plends, *Chyally*

THE PEOPLE

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

vs.

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George Lynda
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RANDOLPH D. MARTINE

District Attorney

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W. J. Macclae

Foreman

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Regist. W.D.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

W. Burke
G. Cohen

Counsel,
Filed, *27th* day of *Nov* 188*8*
Pleads, *Chargault*

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W. C. C. C.

THE PEOPLE

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

v.s.

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RANDOLPH B. MICHINE

District Attorney

Left Jan. Jan 59 (Wed)

A True Bill, at *test* as *quod*

W. C. C. C.

Foreman

*Part 2 Mich 27^m - at *test**
request. W. C. C. C.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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STATE OF NEW YORK. CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. POLICE COURT - 3rd DISTRICT.

years. *Manufacturers Agent*
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 Schmitt (nowhere)
did at the *9th* Election District of the *9th* 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 there deposit their 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 ~~of~~ 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 Reynolds and
Joseph Winslow (now known) who
are the two voters named in the
annexed Complaint of deponent,
and who have feloniously received
a bribe from John Schmeider
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. ...
Police Justice,

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

3 District Police Court.

Joseph Winicola

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Joseph Winicola*

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 tenants*

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 Winicola

Taken before me this

day of

March 188*8*

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John J. ...

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

George Lynde 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.

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*

Henry W. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John 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. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0951

Officer Burke
28 Oct
James C. ...

BAILED,
No. 1, by Chas. Deary
Residence 102 Myrtle St.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

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1964
Police Court - 13
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
James Deary
102 Myrtle St., N.Y.C.
1 John Deary
2 Henry Deary
3 Joseph Deary
Offence Legal Retention

Dated Nov 6 188 8
Registrar, Richard Burke
Precinct, 28
Witnesses
Mr. A. Thomas
100 St. ...
No. 33 Borden
Street, Pacific Hotel
No. 137
Street, 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 Thomas Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 6 188 8 John Thomas 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. Forman, a Police Justice of the City of New York. That John Schmidt be held to answer upon a charge of Bribery

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

We John Schmidt Defendant of No. 41 Bowery Street; Occupation Hotel Keeper, and Charles Spangenberg No. 100 Marroe Street; Occupation Merchant

Surety, hereby undertake jointly and severally, that the above named John Schmidt 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 Forman POLICE JUSTICE.

John Schmidt Charles Spangenberg

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss

Sworn to before me this
day of July 1888
John J. Brennan
Police Justice

Charles Szegansky
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 Five 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 Jim Moran
Ch Szegansky

New York Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
ss.

Taken the _____ day of _____ 188

Justice.

Filed _____ day of _____ 188

Undertaking to Answer.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

George S. Sledge

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

accuse George S. Sledge

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on Tuesday, the 15th 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 Sledge, late of the said City and County, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally appear before the Inspectors of Election of the 1st Election District of the 1st 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 unlawfully, willfully and fraudulently vote in the said Election District, without having a lawful right to vote therein, for the reason that the said George Sledge had on the said day offered to receive, and then and there expected to receive a sum of money (to the 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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