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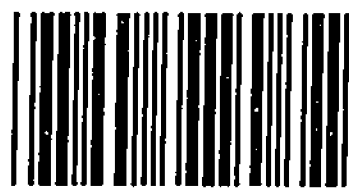
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Hadden, Archibald

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WITNESSES.

174th St. N.Y.C.

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of May 1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Archibald Haebler

LARCENY AND RECEIVING  
STOLEN GOODS.

Attorney JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

S.P. 2 years.

A True Bill

Foreman.

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**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Archibald Hadden*

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

*Archibald Hadden*  
of the CRIME OF LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*Archibald Hadden*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *Eighteenth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms

*one boat of the value of ~~forty~~ fifty five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Edward Monahan*

then and there being found,  
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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Archibald Hadden*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Archibald Hadden*  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One boat of the value of sixty five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

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

*Archibald Hadden*  
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 McKEON, District Attorney.



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Feb 14 11 43 AM  
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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward McManis  
422 E. 1st St.

Richard Hadden  
Larceny Grand

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Office, \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Feb 13 1882

St. John  
Magistrate.  
Richard Kelley  
Officer.  
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Witnesses  
J. and  
Clerk.

Witnesses  
J. and  
Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
214 Green  
Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

RECEIVED  
FEB 17 1882  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE  
Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Richard Hadden guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Feb 13 1882 Edouard St. John Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

*First*  
*Archibald Hadden* 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.

*Archibald Hadden*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*63 Cherry Street & about 3 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge*

Taken before me, this

*13**Archibald Hadden*

day of

*July*

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*John B. Smith*  
Police Justice

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J. M.

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ssof No. *422 E 121 St* *38 years old Boatbuilder*being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *Morning of* *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 188*1*at the *Rowed* City of New York,in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and ~~carried~~ away from the possession of deponent, *from the Key at foot of said street in the night time*the following property, viz:  
*One row boat about  
thirteen feet long and of the  
value of fifty five dollars*the property of *deponent*and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and ~~carried~~ away by *Rowed* *Archibald Hadden* *Rowed*  
*another person acting in concert together*  
*from the fact that the boat was*  
*seen in the possession of the deponent*  
*and said other by Officer Kelly*  
*as deponent is informed and believes**Edward Monaghan**City and County of New York*  
*Francis Kelly of the 24<sup>th</sup> Precinct*

Sworn before me this

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Police Justice.



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being duly sworn, says that at about two o'clock on the morning of the 18 day of July 1888 deponent while acting in the discharge of his duty as a member of the Harbor Police Squad saw the defendant and said other in the boat flowing away. That when questioned concerning the ownership of the boat the defendant said it belonged to one Quigley whose place of business is near the battery. That deponent not believing his statement took them into custody when the defendant while under arrest and on the way to the Police boat jumped overboard and escaped. That the boat was subsequently identified by the Complainant as his property stolen from his place of business foot of 121<sup>st</sup> Street & River

Francis Kelly

Sworn to before me this  
18<sup>th</sup> day of July 1888  
Roll B. Smith  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &amp;c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION



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Hadden, Thomas

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Feb 1 - Monday

Day of Trial,

Counsel

Filed

Pleads

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Sailors' Boarding-house.

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Thomas Madden

15th Nov

DANIEL C. HALLING

DANIEL C. HALLING

John McKeon District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL

Wm. McKeon

Foreman.

Feb 13 - 1882

Expects guilty

Judgment suspended

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace of  
the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

*Thomas Hadden*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse  
*Thomas Hadden of the crime of keeping*  
*conducting and carrying on a sailors' boarding*  
*house without of the crime of a license*

committed as follows:

The said

*Thomas Hadden*

late of the *Fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on  
the *seventh* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
~~eighty one~~ and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the  
filing of this inquisition, not being then and there duly licensed according to law, to keep, conduct,  
and carry on, as owner, proprietor, agent or otherwise, a sailors' boarding-house in the City of New  
York, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep, conduct,  
and carry on as

a sailors' boarding-house in said City of New York, to wit, at Number  
*sixty three Cherry* Street, in the Ward aforesaid, in said City of New York. *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~~ *Grand Jury* aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, do further present: THAT the said  
by this indictment further accuse the said *Thomas Hadden*  
*of the crime of keeping conducting and carrying on a sailors*  
*hotel without a license, committed as follows: The said Thomas*

*Hadden* late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year afore-  
said, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the filing of this  
inquisition, not being then and there duly licensed according to law, to keep, conduct, and carry on,  
as owner, proprietor, agent or otherwise, a sailors' hotel in the City of New York, at the Ward, City  
and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep, conduct, and carry on as

a sailors' hotel in said City of New York, to wit, at Number *sixty three*

*Cherry* Street, in the Ward aforesaid, in said City of New York, 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.

~~DANIEL GREENING~~  
~~BENJ. K. PHELPS~~

*John McKenna*  
District Attorney.

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**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL  
DOCUMENT(S)**



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People as Leatham Madden

LAWS AND REGULATIONS

IN REFERENCE TO

LICENSING

Sailors' Hotels & Boarding Houses

IN THE CITIES OF

NEW

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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,

60 WALL STREET, - - NEW YORK.

N. DANA WELLS, *Secretary.*

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## Board of Commissioners.

*Capt Richard Luce*  
~~THOS. W. WILSON~~, President.

N. DANA WELLS, Sec'y, Treas., and Counsel.

WM. D. MORGAN,  
From the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York.

~~PETER H. WILSON~~,  
From the American Seamen's Friend Society in New York.

*Capt Luce*  
THOMAS W. WILSON,  
From the New York Board of Underwriters.

RICHARD LUCE,  
From the Marine Society of New York.

N. DANA WELLS,  
From the Society for Promoting the Gospel among Seamen in the  
Port of New York.

*John J. Ferris*  
JAMES J. FERRIS,  
From the Ship-Owners' Association of the State of New York.

## AN ACT

*For the better protection of Seamen in the Port and Harbor  
of New York.*

Passed March 21st, 1866,

As Amended June 8th, 1877.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate  
and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1.—It shall not be lawful for any person, except a pilot or public officer, to board, or attempt to board, a vessel arriving in the port or harbor of New York, before such vessel shall have been made fast to the wharf, without first obtaining leave from the master or person having charge of such vessel, or leave in writing from her owners or agents.

SEC. 2. It shall not be lawful for any owner, agent, master, or other person having charge of any vessel arriving or being in the port of New York, to permit or authorize any sailors' hotel or boarding-house keeper not licensed as hereinafter provided, or any agent, runner or employee of any sailors' hotel or boarding-house keeper to board or attempt to board, any vessel arriving in or lying, or being in the harbor or port of New York, before such vessel shall have been made fast to the wharf or anchored, with intent to invite, ask or solicit the boarding of any of the crew employed on such vessel.

SEC. 3. It shall not be lawful for any sailors' hotel or sailors' boarding-house keeper, or the employees of any sailors' hotel or boarding-house keeper, to engage in the business of shipping seamen for any vessel, nor for any such person having boarded any

vessel made fast to any wharf in the port of New York, to neglect or refuse to leave said vessel after having been ordered so to do by the master or person having charge of such vessel.

SEC. 4. It shall not be lawful for any person to keep, conduct or carry on, either as owner, proprietor, agent or otherwise, any sailors' boarding-house or sailors' hotel in the city of New York or city of Brooklyn, without having the license in this act provided.

SEC. 5. It shall not be lawful for any person not having the license in this act provided, or not being the regular agent, runner or employee of a person having such license, to invite, ask or solicit, in the city or harbor of New York or city of Brooklyn, the boarding or lodging of any of the crew employed on any vessel.

SEC. 6. There shall be, and is hereby created, a Board denominated a Board of Commissioners for licensing sailors' hotels or boarding-houses in the cities of New York and Brooklyn, consisting of one person, to be selected by each of the following corporate bodies or associations respectively, to wit: The Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, the American Seamen's Friend Society in New York, the New York Board of Underwriters, the Marine Society of New York, the Society for Promoting the Gospel among Seamen in the port of New York, and the Shipowners' Association of the State of New York.

SEC. 7. Such Board shall organize for the transaction of business as soon as practicable after the passage of this act. They shall take the application of any person applying for a license to keep a sail-

ors' boarding-house, or sailors' hotel in the city of New York, and upon satisfactory evidence to them of the respectability and competency of such applicant, and of the suitability of his accommodations, shall issue to him a license, which shall be good for one year, unless sooner revoked by said Board, to keep a sailors' boarding-house in the city of New York or Brooklyn, and to invite and solicit boarders for the same.

SEC. 8. Such Board may, upon satisfactory evidence of the disorderly character of any sailors' hotel or boarding-house, licensed as hereinbefore provided, or of the keeper or proprietor of any such house, or of any force, fraud, deceit or misrepresentation in inviting or soliciting boarders or lodgers for such house, on the part of such keeper or proprietor, or of any of his agents, runners or employees, or of any attempt to persuade or entice any of the crew to desert from any vessel in the harbor of New York, by such keeper or proprietor, or any of his agents, runners or employees, revoke the license for keeping such house.

SEC. 9. Every person receiving the license hereinbefore provided for, shall pay to the Board of Commissioners aforesaid the sum of twenty dollars, which, after deducting the actual expenses of said Board incurred in the transaction of the business, which expenses shall not exceed the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, shall be by them applied for the relief of shipwrecked and destitute seamen.

Said Board shall file on the second Monday of January of each year, in the Office of the clerk of the city and county of New York, a statement showing the number of licenses issued, the names of per-



sons to whom issued, with name and number of the street of house licensed during the year preceding, the amount of money received therefor, the amount and items of their disbursements, and the amount distributed by them as hereinbefore directed.

SEC. 10. The said Board shall appoint a president and secretary, and shall keep an office in the city of New York, and make such by-laws and regulations as may be needful for the orderly conduct of its business, not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this State.

SEC. 11. The said Board shall furnish to each sailors' hotel or boarding-house keeper licensed by them as aforesaid, one or more badges or shields, on which shall be printed or engraved the name of such hotel or boarding-house keeper, and the number and street of his hotel or boarding-house; and which said badges or shields shall be surrendered to said Board upon the revocation by them or expiration of any license granted by them as herein provided.

SEC. 12. Every sailors' hotel or boarding-house keeper, and every agent, runner or employee of such hotel or boarding-house keepers, when boarding any vessel in the harbor of New York, or when inviting or soliciting the boarding or lodging of any seaman, sailor or person employed on any vessel, shall wear conspicuously displayed the shield or badge referred to in the foregoing section.

SEC. 13. It shall not be lawful for any person, except those named in the preceding section, to have, wear, exhibit or display any such shield or badge to any of the crew employed on any vessel with the intent to invite, ask or solicit the boarding or lodging of any of the crew employed on any vessel being in the harbor of New York.

SEC. 14. Whoever shall offend against any or either of the provisions contained in sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 12 and 13, in this Act, and any Commissioner appointed under this Act who shall directly or indirectly receive any gratuity or reward, other than as herein provided for, or on account of any license under this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon conviction thereof, be punished by imprisonment in a county jail for a term not exceeding one year, and not less than thirty days, or by a fine not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, and not less than one hundred dollars, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 15. The word "vessel," as used in this Act, shall include vessels propelled by steam.

SEC. 16. This Act shall take effect on the first day of May next.

## REGULATIONS.

*First.*—The proprietor must keep a journal, in which shall be entered forthwith the name of each guest, and his vessel and the port from which she came, on his arrival, and the name of his vessel and the port to which she is bound (or his other destination) on his departure. Books of Account must also be kept, in which shall be entered at the time every item charged to each guest. Such books must be open to the inspection of this Board at all times.

*Second.*—Any proprietor proven to have abducted or harbored without just cause, any seaman who, as a guest, is indebted to any other boarding-house, or to have aided in defrauding the proprietor of



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such other boarding-house by inducing any seaman lawfully indebted to him to surreptitiously leave his house, or to leave any vessel about to depart, or proven to have entered into any combination with intent to impede commerce and navigation, shall thereby forfeit his license.

*Third.*—Every proprietor shall forthwith furnish this Board with the name of each runner employed by him, and his residence, as soon as employed, and notify the Board at once of his discharge, and shall compel such runner to wear at all times, when boarding a vessel or engaged in soliciting boarders or lodgers, the badge furnished by this Board; and every proprietor shall be held strictly responsible for the acts of his runner.

*Fourth.*—This Board will regulate the number of seamen to occupy each sleeping room, and it may place on the inside of each bedroom door a notice showing the proper number to sleep in such room, which notice must not be removed or concealed; and the entire house must be at all times open for the inspection of the Board.

*Fifth.*—The License and Regulations of this Board must be posted in a conspicuous position in each house, where they can at all times be seen and read by any person visiting the premises.

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All complaints should be reported immediately to the Secretary, at the Office of the Board, No. 69 Wall Street, New York. Office hours from 3.30 to 5 P. M.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Patrick Farrell

Residence

154 East 32 Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court

1st District

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mathew D. Wells

of 62 West 14th St.

Thomas Hadden

Offence, ~~Misdemeanor~~  
Sailor - Roadway

Dated

Feb 11th 1882

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness

James Henry

of 106 West 14th St.

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

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James Henry

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

be held to answer the same & order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated

Feb 11th 1882

Salou B. Smith

Police Justice.

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

Dated

2 Feb 1882

Thomas Hadden

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

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 1st District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal 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 Nathan D Wells of No. 63 Cherry Street, that on the 7 day of December 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Thomas Hadden did unlawfully keep conduct and carry on in premises 63 Cherry Street as proprietor a certain sailormen boarding house and that said boarding house was conducted & carried on by said Hadden without a license in violation of law

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 1st 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 10th day of February 1882

Nathan D Wells  
Police Justice.

POLICE COURT. 1st DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nathan D Wells

vs.

Thomas Hadden

Warrant-General.

Dated

Feb 10th 1882

Smith

Magistrate

Smith

Officer.

The Defendant Thomas Hadden

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Thomas Hadden  
Municipal Prison Officer.

Dated February 2nd 1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Nathan D Wells  
Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 10<sup>15</sup> AM

February 2nd 1882

Native of Ireland

Age, 65

Sex M

Complexion, "

Color White

Profession, Boarding house

Married M

Single, -

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

63 Cherry St



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Sec. 198-200.

1st DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

*Thomas Hadden* 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 to see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Thomas Hadden*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Sixty five years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*63 Cherry St - 38 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Sailors Boarding House*

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

Answer.

*I have never been notified to pay any license this year*

Taken before me, this

*2*

day of

*Feby*

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*2**Thomas Hadden**Scott Smith*

Police Justice.



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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

of No.

says that on the

day of

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

*Nathan D Wells*  
28 years old Commissioner  
of No. *62 William Street*, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says that on the *seventh* day of *December*  
and up to the present date *Thomas Hadden*  
" did unlawfully keep conduct  
and carry on in premises No  
63 Cherry Street as proprietor  
a certain sailors boarding house  
in which said premises divers  
sailors for a certain consideration  
in money were furnished and  
accommodated with board and  
lodging - That said Thomas does  
so carry on and conduct said  
boarding house without a license  
as required by law & in  
violation of Sec 24 Chap 184  
Laws of 1866. Wherefore deponent  
asks that said Thomas may be apprehended  
and dealt with as the law directs -

*A. Anna Kelly*

*City and County of New York*  
*James Henry* 28 years old and  
at present living at the Manchester Hotel  
in Washington Street being sworn says  
that he on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1887  
he applied for and obtained board and  
lodging at said Hadden's No 63 Cherry Street  
and remained there for about one week  
when deponent shipped and went to sea as  
a *freeman* That said Hadden as proprietor of said  
premises received from deponent four and a half dollars for  
board for said period

*Sworn to before me this 14th day of Dec 1887*  
*John W. Wells*  
*Notary Public*

*Sworn to before me this 14th day of Dec 1887*  
*John W. Wells*  
*Notary Public*

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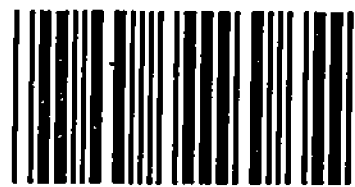
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Haley, Dennis

DATE:

02/09/82



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Monday 23

Day of Trial, 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 1882  
Counsel, J. P. Maff  
Filed 9 day of Feb  
Pleads M. G. Maff

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Dennis Haley

BURGLARY-THIRD DEGREE.  
NOTHING STOLEN.

DEPT. K. PHILLIPS

John M. Keon  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. H. King

Foreman.

Feb 23/82

Deputy Sheriff

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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*

*Dennis Haley*

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

*Dennis Haley*

of the crime of

*Burglary*

committed as follows:

The said

*Dennis Haley*

late of the *fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid,  
on the *second* day of *February* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty two* with force and arms,  
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *shop* of

*Isaiah Porter*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, the said *shop*  
being then and there a building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things  
were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit; the same being the goods, chattels,  
and personal property of

*Isaiah Porter*

goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *shop* with intent the said  
being then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take, and carry away  
then and there

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 McKee*

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0975

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court - West District, 104

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Porter

Dennis Haley

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

Offence, Burglary

Dated February 20 1882

Smith Magistrate.  
Emuley H. Officer.  
Clerk.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

Smith

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 Dennis Haley

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Feb 20 1882

Robert D. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

0976

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Dist.*

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Dennis Haley* 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~~ waiven cannot be used against ~~him~~ on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Dennis Haley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Nineteen years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*27. Cherry St 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Boatman*

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*

Taken before me, this

*9th*

day of

*July*

188

*Dennis Haley*  
*mark*

*Solomon B. Smith*  
Police Justice.



0977

POLICE COURT First DISTRICT.City and County }  
of New York, } ss:Isaiah Porter 53 years of age Carpenter  
of No. 4 Dover Street, being duly sworn,deposes and says, that the premises No. 4 DoverStreet, 4/12 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being aBrick building  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Carpenter shop

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means of breaking a pane of glass  
of a window said shop and raising  
said window and entering said shop  
through said window  
on the Night of the Second day of February 1882  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

a quantity of carpenter tools  
of the value of one hundred  
dollars

the property of

Deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and  
carried away by Samuel Haley (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

Deponent heard the  
breaking of a pane of glass in a window  
leading to the above mentioned shop and  
went to said shop where deponent found  
said Haley leaving said shop by  
said window.

Isaiah Porter

Sworn to before me this  
3rd of February 1882  
John Smith Police Justice

0978

BOX:

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FOLDER:

675

DESCRIPTION:

Hall, Henry

DATE:

02/16/82



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WITNESSES.

108

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *16* day of *July* 188*2*

Pleads *Not Guilty. (17)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

LARCENY AND RECEIVING  
STOLEN GOODS.

*Henry Hall*

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

*W. McKee*

*July 21/82*  
*W. McKee*  
*Foreman.*

*Pen 6 months.*



0980

**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*Henry Hall*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Henry Hall*  
of the CRIME OF LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*Henry Hall*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *twenty first* day of *February* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms

*one ring of the value of five dollars  
Divers coins of a number kind and  
denomination unknown to the Grand Jury  
aforesaid and a more accurate description  
can not now be given to the amount  
of twenty eight dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*James J. Mulhearn*

then and there being found,  
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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Henry Hall*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

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

*one ring of the value of five dollars  
Dimes coins of a number kind and  
denominations unknown to the Grand Jury  
aforesaid and a more accurate description  
cannot now be given of the value of  
twenty eight dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*James J. Mulhearn*  
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 J. Mulhearn*  
unlawfully, unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Henry Hall*  
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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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



0983

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Henry Hall* 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. *Henry Hall*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *313 East 35th St. About four years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Work in a stable*

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*

Taken before me this *10*  
day of *February* 188*8*

*Henry Hall*  
mark

*George J. ...* Police Justice.

0984

District Police Court—

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No.

being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the

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

the following property viz.:

Good and lawful money  
of the United States issue consisting  
of one bank bill of the denomination  
and value of ten dollars, three  
bank bills of the denomination and  
value of five dollars each, two bank  
bills of the denomination and value  
of one dollar each and one gold  
finger ring of the value five dollars  
in all of the value of thirty two  
dollars

the property of

deponent and his sister  
Rosanna Mulhearn

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

Henry Hull (deponent's nephew)  
from the fact that  
he has acknowledged and confessed  
to deponent in the presence of a  
witness that he said Henry did  
take steal and carry away the  
aforesaid property.

Jas. J. Mulhearn

Sworn before me this 10 day of February 1882

Joseph Garahan Police Justice.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hanford, George F.

DATE:

02/02/82



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at by  
Henry L. Dwyer  
2360 - 4<sup>th</sup> Ave

This indictment may  
be dismissed,  
because the breadth  
of the issue was  
aggravated - and  
at the convenience  
against him was  
sufficiently strong  
than on this case  
We would see  
wrote of them to  
myself  
Henry L. Dwyer  
July 5, '83

At the General Sessions  
of the Court of New York  
in the County of New York  
Day of Trial, 27<sup>th</sup> July 1882  
Counsel, E. H. Smith, 25 Chambers St.  
Filed 2 day of July 1882  
Pleads Not Guilty &c.

THE PEOPLE

vs.  
George J. Hanford.  
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John McLaughlin  
Attorney

John McLaughlin.  
DANIEL C. ROBINSON,

District Attorney.  
Ordered to Court of Oyer &  
Tenure for trial

True Bill. May 11, 1882

Ordered back to Court of  
General Sessions - Nov 24, 1882

J. J. Brown Foreman  
May 5, 1883  
Indictment dismissed

WITNESSES.

Geo. J. Hanford  
Frank Carr 419 W 27 St.  
Edward Hanford 562 E 4<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Arch. Buchanan 874 8<sup>th</sup> St.  
Wm. B. Murray Spuyten Duyvil  
Henry D. Walden Spuyten Duyvil  
Bridget V. McCallum Spuyten Duyvil  
John Meyers Spuyten Duyvil  
Thomas Burke Spuyten Duyvil  
Wm. Pavlos Spuyten Duyvil  
Harry Reynolds Station agent to uptown Ferry  
John W. Gracey Supt. N.Y.C. & N.H. RR  
A. B. Valentine  
John O'Hagan 421 W 56  
Richard Gifford Haysman Spuyten Duyvil  
Patrick Ding  
Edward Bell 17 E 19 Park Row  
W. S. Pottenbaugh  
George Melius 42 St. Street.

0986

Court of General Sessions  
of the City and County of New York.

The People of the State  
of New York.

— against —  
George F. Hanford

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment, accuse George F. Hanford of the crime of manslaughter committed as follows:

That the said George F. Hanford late of the City and County of New York on the thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two was in the employment of the New York Central and Hudson River Rail Road Company, the same being a corporation then and there existing under the laws of the State of New York and duly authorized to maintain and operate a certain railroad in said City and County and elsewhere, and said State known as and commonly called The New York Central and Hudson River Rail Road for the purpose among



other things of conveying and transporting for hire over the line of said railroad human beings as passengers and on said day the said corporation was then and there conveying and transporting over the line of the said railroad, great numbers of human beings as passengers in divers trains of cars propelled by steam power at a high rate of speed closely following one another.

That the said George F. Hanford in his employment as aforesaid on said day acted as and was one of the conductors of the said company and in the due course of his said employment on said day acted as and was a conductor of one of said trains then and there conveying and transporting human beings as passengers as aforesaid, That it became and was the duty of the said George F. Hanford as such Conductor to enforce the rules and regulations of the said Corporation affecting the safety and security of the said train and the said passengers.



and whenever his said train stopped on the road at a point not designated as a station or stopping place instantly and without losing time in inquiry as to the cause of the stoppage to send a man with the proper signal at least half a mile back on the line of said road to stop any train which might be approaching.

And on the day aforesaid, the said train of which the said George F. Hearford was conductor as aforesaid within the city and county aforesaid stopped on said road at a point not designated as a stopping place for trains and that said train was then and there being closely followed by another train of cars which were then and there moving towards the said station - any train on said railroad at a high rate of speed and it then and there became and was the duty of the said George F. Hearford as <sup>conductor of said</sup> such stationary train as soon as the said train came to said stop to send a man with a proper signal

at least half a mile back on the said road to stop said approaching train without losing any time for inquiring into the cause of the stoppage of his said train.

And the said George F. Hanford well knowing the premises and his duty in this regard and ~~for~~ wholly disregarding the same on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid did wilfully, feloniously and culpably wholly neglect to send a man with the proper signal to stop the said approaching train, by reason of which said culpable negligence of him the said George F. Hanford the said approaching train was not stopped but then and there with great force and violence came in collision with and shattered and set fire to the said stationary train; by means of which said colliding, shattering and setting fire to one Webster Wagner, in the peace of God, and of the said People then and there is said stationary train being, was mortally crushed, bruised and burned in his



body of which said mortal crushing  
bruising and burning so occasioned  
as aforesaid, the said Webster Wagner  
on the day and in the year aforesaid,  
at the City and County aforesaid,  
then and there instantly died.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid,  
do say, that he the said George F.  
Hanford, him the said Webster Wagner,  
in manner and form aforesaid and  
by the culpable negligence aforesaid,  
on the day and in the year aforesaid,  
wilfully and feloniously did kill  
and slay, against the form of the  
Statutes in such case made and pro-  
vided, and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York and  
their dignity.

John M. Keon.  
District Attorney.



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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

New York, Jan'y. 4 - 1882.

Dear Colonel

In talking with Mr.  
McKean this A. M. - about a lot of  
matters he finally concluded to and did  
consent to dismissal of Stanford  
Indictment will you please therefore  
dispose of it

Yours Truly  
Jno. Vincent

John O. Byrne Esq.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

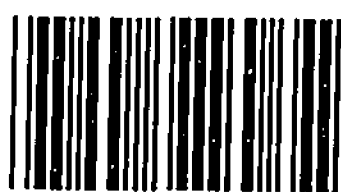
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DESCRIPTION:

Hanley, Edward

DATE:

02/20/82



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146 N.Y.K.  
Counsel,  
Filed *July 23* day of *July* 1882—  
Pleads *Not Guilty (21)*

*Not Guilty*  
THE PEOPLE  
vs. *P*  
*Edward Hawley*  
BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
Grand Larceny.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL  
*Edw. Hawley*  
Foreman.

*July 23/82*  
Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.  
*Charles Henry Selby*  
*State of New York*



0995

**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Edward Hanley*

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

of the CRIME OF

*Edward Hanley*  
*Burglary.*

committed as follows:

The said

*Edward Hanley*

late of the *fourteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *tenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, about the hour of *four* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Earl Bang*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of~~ *forcibly*

he the said

*Edward Hanley*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Earl Bang.*

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

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

of the CRIME OF

*Edward Hanley*  
*Larceny*

committed as follows:

The said

*Edward Hanley*

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,

*Over coins of a number kinds and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more accurate description of which can not now be given to the value of seventy five dollars.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Edward Hanley*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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 W. Hollins*  
**DANIEL C. HOLLINS, District Attorney.**

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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, \_\_\_\_\_

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court, 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Carl H. Bury*  
*Edward Stanley*  
*Burglary*

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3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence, \_\_\_\_\_

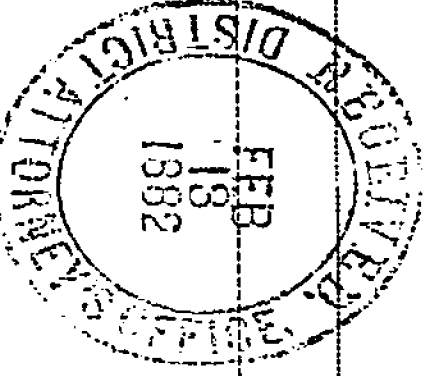
Dated *Feb 11* 1882

*Thomas* Magistrate.  
*Thompson* Officer.

*Joseph Bury* Clerk.

*Carl H. Bury*  
*Edward Stanley*  
Witnesses

*Carl H. Bury*  
*Edward Stanley*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_



*On without bail*  
*Car*

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 *Edward Stanley*

*be held to answer the same & that*  
guilty thereof, I order that he ~~be admitted to bail in the sum of~~ *be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.*

Dated *Feb 11* 1882 *W. J. Gower* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1885 \_\_\_\_\_ 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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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

First DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. I was walking along Mulberry Street and saw a crowd running along the street. I saw the man pursued throw away a pistol which I picked up. I did not strike the Complainant nor was I in the house.

Taken before me, this

day of

1888

*Edward Hanley*

*Aug. Carter*

Police Justice.



0998

POLICE COURT—1st DISTRICT.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

of No. 189 West 32nd Street, being duly sworn,  
a room on the first floor  
 deposes and says, that the premises aforesaid  
 Street, 14 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwellling

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwellling where  
deponent resides with his family were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
 entered by means of forcing open a door  
leading from the hallway  
into said room

on the day of the 10th day of July 1882  
 and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

a tin box containing valuable  
papers to wit Mortgages, pension  
papers, a lease of store and dwelling  
and good and lawful money  
in silver coins, United States  
issue, to the amount of seventy  
five dollars collectively of  
the value of one thousand  
dollars or more

the property of deponent

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

And another not arrested

for the reasons following, to wit; That about four o'clock  
P.M. on said day deponent heard  
a cry of thief overhead the saloon  
where he was then engaged & proceeding  
upstairs met his wife who told him  
that the room was broken into & said  
property taken therefrom. That deponent  
went in search of the defendant & said  
other who he learned had escaped by the roof



That when deponent returned from the roof and gained the street he saw the said other emerge from the adjoining hallway when deponent pursued him and in the pursuit was struck & knocked down by the defendant, who is identified by deponent as Joseph as the person who was in company with the one who escaped, in consequence of the violent interference of the defendant.

Carl Bang

Sworn to before me this  
11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1882  
at New York.  
Police Justice

City and County of New York

Joseph Bang 13 years old being sworn says that he is the son of the Complainant and saw the defendant in the house <sup>on said day</sup> and on the stairway after said other had ascended the stairs to the roof and saw him subsequently strike and knock down the Complainant. My father when he was pursuing the other who had stolen the property through Mulberry Street & saw him point a pistol at deponent to stop further pursuit by deponent.

Sworn to before me this  
11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1882  
at New York  
Police Justice

Joseph Bang.

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FOLDER:

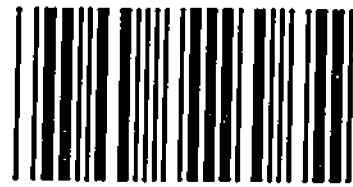
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DESCRIPTION:

Harris, William

DATE:

02/20/82



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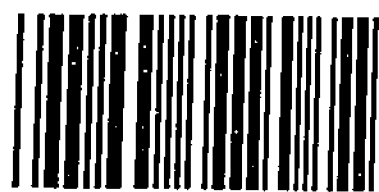
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Harris, William

DATE:

02/20/82



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Moore, Walter, J.

DATE:

02/20/82



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hawkins, George

DATE:

02/20/82



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Whiteus, George

DATE:

02/20/82



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Jackson, John

DATE:

02/20/82



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WITNESSES.

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Day of Trial, *Feb 20*  
Counsel, *W. H. Harris*  
Filed *20* day of *Feb* 1882  
Pleads *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*William Harris* *P*  
*Mathew Moore* *P*  
*George Hawkins* *P*  
*George Phillips* *P*  
*John Jackson* *P*

LARCENY AND RECEIVING  
STOLEN GOODS.

*JOHN McKEON,*  
*Feb 20/82* District Attorney.  
*Ch. 2. S. 4405*

*True & correct*  
A TRUE BILL  
*W. H. Harris*

*Feb 20/82* Foreman.  
*John Jackson*

*Pen 30 days,*

1009

**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*William Harris* <sup>against</sup> *Walter Moore*  
*George Hawkins* *George White* *John Jackson*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*William Harris* *Walter Moore* *George Hawkins* *George White* *John Jackson*  
of the CRIME OF LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*William Harris* *Walter Moore* *George Hawkins* *George White* *John Jackson*  
*Each* late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms

*five shoes of the value of Six dollars Each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Bernard Mainser*

then and there being found,  
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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*William Harris Walter J. Moore George Hawkins George Whitens and John Jackson*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said  
*William Harris Walter J. Moore George Hawkins George Whitens and John Jackson*  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*five shoes of the value of six dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

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

*William Harris Walter J. Moore George Hawkins George Whitens and John Jackson*  
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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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

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Sec. 198-200.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*John Jackson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*20 Years of Age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Wendover Co N Y*

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

Answer.

*East Chertsey N Y 20 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Wooler*

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*

Taken before me, this *13*

day of *July* 188*8*

*John Jackson*  
*Defendant*

*J. H. Smith* Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

12 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Whiteus 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 Whiteus

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 Years of Age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

North Carolina

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

Answer.

207 Thompson

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter

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

Answer.

I know nothing at all about it  
I never saw the three until today

Taken before me, this 13  
day of July 1888

Geo Whiteus

J. J. Kilmuth

Police Justice.

**Sec. 198—200.**

**DISTRICT POLICE COURT.**

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } SS.

George Hawkins being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is h<sup>is</sup> right to  
make a statement in relation to the charge against h<sup>im</sup>; that the statement is designed to  
enable h<sup>im</sup> if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h<sup>im</sup>  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h<sup>is</sup> waiven cannot be used  
against h<sup>im</sup> on the trial,

*Question.* What is your name ?

*Answer.*

*Question.* How old are you ?

*Answer.*

*Question.* Where were you born?

*Answer.*

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

*Answer.*

*Question.* What is your business or profession?

*Answer.*

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

**Answer**

*Taken before me, this*

day of

188

George Perkins

S. Kithure Police Justice

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Sec. 198—200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Walter J. Moore 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. Walter J. Moore

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 17 Years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 175 Greene Street 2 Years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter at Restaurant

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

Taken before me, this 13  
day of July 1888

Walter J. Moore

J. W. Keith Police Justice.



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2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. William Harris

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 161 West 20 St. 2 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Upholsterer

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 your pair shoes, the ones that are cut, and took them to Reynolds place. and I afterwards sold a pair to a man named Jo. The shoes were cut during the time I was locked up on suspicion

Taken before me, this

day of

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13 } William Harris  
February }

J. H. Smith Police Justice.

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2<sup>d</sup> District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss Bernard Menzer, 39 years old, shoe maker  
 OF NEW YORK, }  
 of No. 20 Barron Street, New York City  
 being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882  
 at the shoe store No. 100 Bleeker Street in the City of New York,  
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
 of deponent, on the day time  
 the following property, viz: five single shoes, in all of the  
 value of thirty dollars

the property of this deponent

and that this deponent  
 has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
 stolen, and carried away by William Harris, Walter Moore,  
 George Hankins, George Whitins and  
 John Jackson, all now here, from the  
 following facts: On or about said day the  
 deponent raised from the shoe case his  
 front of said shoe store the said five shoes  
 which deponent had placed together on said case retaining  
 inside of another portion of the case the mates  
 of said five shoes. Deponent identifies  
 the four shoes here shown as four of  
 the five shoes taken from said shoe store as  
 aforesaid. Deponent is informed by Officer  
 Sullivan that on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1882

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he detected the said John Jackson in the act of concealing an old boy in No. 205 Thompson Street, two shoes, here shown, and one of said shoes defendant identifies as taken from said shoe case as aforesaid. Defendant is also informed by said officer that on the morning of the 13<sup>th</sup> day of February he found in the hallway of No. 205 Thompson Street six shoes, of which defendant identifies three as his property, and that at the time said officer found said shoes in said hallway there were in said hallway said Walter Moore, said George Hawkins and said George Whittis, and that thereafter said Hawkins and said Moore told <sup>said officer that</sup> said William Harris knew about the said shoes. Defendant is further informed by Charles W. Reynolds that said William Harris brought to him at No. 205 Thompson Street three shoes one of which said Reynolds now identifies and defendant also identifies the same as one of the shoes taken stolen and carried away from his possession as aforesaid.

Sworn to before me this  
13<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882

*[Signature]*

City and County of New York ss.  
I, Thomas Scullion, of the City of New York, being lawfully sworn, depose and say that I am a Police Officer and that I have heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles W. Reynolds, 39 years old, being generally of good character and that the same is true in so far as it relates to the shoes taken from the possession of the said John Jackson.

Sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882

Thomas Scullion  
Chas. W. Reynolds

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Dated

Magistrate

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.



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The People &c  
on complaint of  
Bernard Menzer  
vs  
William Harris et al

Charles W. Reynolds, being further sworn, says that he is one of the proprietors of the premises No 203 Thompson Street referred to in the annexed affidavit of Bernard Menzer and that neither said ~~Genge~~ ~~Walter~~ Walter Moore, said Genge Hawkins or said Genge Whitus have any proper business in the hallway of said premises nor had any right to be there on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882 when they were found in said hallway by Officer Scullion.

Sworn to before me this  
13<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882

J. J. Smith  
Police Justice

Chas. W. Reynolds

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Hart, William

DATE:

02/21/82



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of

1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

28.

William Hart.

Violation of Excise Law.

Charles H. Allen  
DIST. ATTORNEY

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Foreman.

Pleads guilty -  
Fine \$10.



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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,

*William Hart* against

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

*William Hart*

of the crime of *selling spirituous*  
*liquors without a license*

committed as follows:

The said

*William Hart*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty seventh* day of *January* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to  
wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of  
whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of  
beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor, to the  
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one  
time, to *one* *a certain person to the Grand Jury*

*aforesaid unknown*; without having a  
license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made  
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

*John W. Kern District Attorney.*

~~SECOND COUNT. And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further~~  
~~present: THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly  
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day  
and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same  
being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with  
force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One  
gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one  
gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one  
gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the jurors  
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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.~~

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.~~

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Police Court First District.

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

William J. Norton aged 27 years  
of No. a policeman attached to the 1st Precinct Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 24 day

of January 1882 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at

premises No. 16 South Street,

William Hart [now here].

did then and there sell, and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and  
spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be  
drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law. & without a license

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Hart  
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 28 day William J. Norton  
of January 1882

Robert Smith  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by Michael Hardin  
Residence 10 Forest Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Hart  
James Green  
William Hart

Offence, Vi Excise Law

Dated 28 January 1882

John Smith Magistrate.  
Norton Officer.

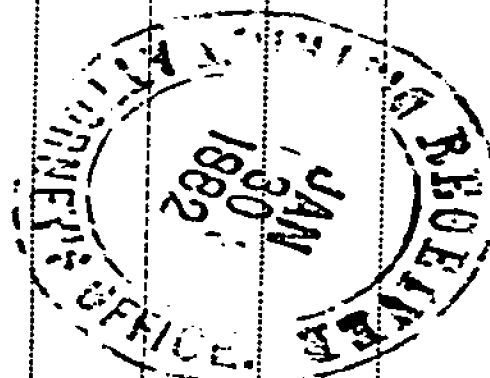
Clerk.

Witnesses

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 William Hart

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of one Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated 28 Jan 1882 John Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated January 28 1882 John Smith 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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Sec. 198—200.

18<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT POLICE COURT.CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Hart

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

40 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

16 South St. 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Ignor Dealer

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

Answer.

I have made application for a licenseTaken before me, this 28  
day of January 1888W. HartSaloe Smith

Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

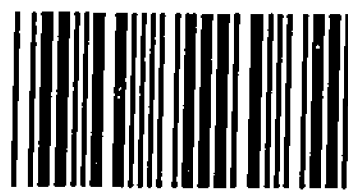
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DESCRIPTION:

Henmann, Michael

DATE:

02/07/82



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WITNESSES.

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Day of Trial, *SEP* 1882  
Counsel, *[Signature]*  
Filed *7* day of *Sept*  
Pleads *Not Guilty* 24

MISDEMEANOR  
LAWS 1877, CH. 428, § 1.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Michael  
Germann*

~~HANDED G. ROLLINS,~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*F. J. 20/12*



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

The People of the State of New York  
against  
MICHAEL HEUMANN.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Michael Heumann of the Fourteenth Ward of said City and County, of the CRIME of unlawfully admitting a minor under the age of fourteen years to, and permitting said minor to remain in, a place of entertainment in said City where spirituous liquors and wines and intoxicating and malt liquors were sold, of which place he, said Michael Heumann, was proprietor, said minor not being accompanied by parent or guardian, committed as follows:

The said Michael Heumann on the 27th day of January in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-two at the City of New York in the County of New York, then and there being the proprietor of a certain place of entertainment called The National Theatre situate at Number One hundred and four Bowery therein, in which place spirituous liquors and wines and intoxicating and malt liquors were then and there sold, did unlawfully admit to said place and permit to remain therein a certain minor female child called Blanche Babcock, then and there being under the age of fourteen years and which said minor was not then and there accompanied by parent or guardian; in violation of the statute in such case made and provided and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York and Their Dignity.

SECOND COUNT. And the Grand Jury aforesaid by this indictment further accuse the said Michael Heumann of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, of the CRIME of unlawfully admitting a minor under the age of fourteen years to, and permitting said minor to remain in, a place of entertainment in said City where spirituous liquors and wines and intoxicating and malt liquors were sold, of which place he, said Michael Heumann, was keeper, said minor not being accompanied by parent or guardian, committed as follows:

The said Michael Heumann on the twenty-seventh day of January in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-two at the City of New York in the County of New York, then and there being the keeper of a certain place of entertainment called The National Theatre situate at Number One hundred and four Bowery therein, in which place spirituous liquors and wines and intoxicating and malt liquors were then and there sold, did unlawfully admit to said place and permit to remain therein a certain minor female child called Blanche Babcock, then and there being under the age of fourteen years and which said minor was not then and there accompanied by parent or guardian; in violation 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 Michael Heumann of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, of the CRIME of unlawfully admitting a minor under the age of fourteen years to, and permitting said minor to remain in, a place of entertainment in said City where spirituous liquors and wines and intoxicating and malt liquors were sold, of which place he, said Michael Heumann, was manager, said minor not being accompanied by parent or guardian, committed as follows:

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The said Michael Heumann on the twenty-seventh day of January in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-two at the City of New York in the County of New York, then and there being the manager of a certain place of entertainment called The National Theatre situate at Number One hundred and four Bowery therein, in which place spirituous liquors and wines and intoxicating and malt liquors were then and there sold, did unlawfully admit to said place and permit to remain therein a certain minor female child called Blanche Babcock, then and there being under the age of fourteen years and which said minor was not then and there accompanied by parent or guardian; in violation 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 M. Keon  
District Attorney.  
"

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by Aug St Schepherd  
Residence 137 Centre Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court 2nd District, 6th St.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Quadrant & Wilson  
100 W. 6 St. 2nd Fl.

1 Michael H. Heman

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence, Misdemeanor

Dated Jan 30 1882

Samuel Magistrate,  
14th Officer.

Clerk.

John Blauvelt Roberts

No. 61 W 13th St. Street,  
Witnesses: William Watson  
41 West 13th St. Street,  
Blauvelt Roberts  
2389 1st Ave. Street,  
41 West 13th St. Street,  
41 West 13th St. 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 Michael Heman

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated Jan 30 1882 Solon B. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 30 1882 Solon B. Smith 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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Sec. 151.

Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal 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 Augustine J. Wilson of No. 107 East 23 Street, that on the 27 day of January 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Michael Hermann did unlawfully admit to and suffer to remain in the National Theatre 1024 Broadway <sup>during a performance</sup> one Blanche Babcock a child under the age of fourteen years she being unaccompanied by either a guardian or parent

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 1st 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 30 day of January 1882

Solomon T. Smith  
Police Justice

POLICE COURT. DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Hermann

Warrant-General.

Dated

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Magistrate

Michael Hermann

Officer.

The Defendant Michael Hermann taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Solomon T. Smith  
Police Justice

Dated

1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS

Time of Arrest,

2:30 PM

Naive of

Hermann

Age,

30

Sex

M

Complexion,

—

Color

White

Profession,

Theater

Married

Yes

Single

—

Read,

Yes

Write,

Yes

144 Broadway

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.154  
DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Michael Hermann* 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 to see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used  
against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Michael Hermann*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Thirty Two Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*104 Bowery - 4 1/2 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Theatre Manager*

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*Taken before me, this *20*day of *Jan*188*8**M. Hermann**Salome Smith*  
Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 1<sup>st</sup> DISTRICT.

*Laurelia Babcock*

of No. *2384-1<sup>st</sup> Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 188*7*

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

*one* *Flanche Babcock* now  
*present, deponent's daughter was*  
*13 years old on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day*  
*of July last 1881*

*Mrs L. C. Babcock*

Sworn to before me, this

*30<sup>th</sup>*

*July*

of

*January*

*1887*

*Edmund Smith*  
Justice



POLICE COURT 1<sup>st</sup> DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF



CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

Admitted a Person  
to place of confinement  
wherein intoxicating drink is sold

DATED, 31 Jan 1882  
Solon B Smith, Magistrate.

Clerk. Officer.  
Fisher

Witnesses:  
C. Fellows Jenkins, Deput.

100 East 23rd Street.

1 Blanche Babcock

Levanile Asylum

67 West 13th St

2 Mattie Waterstone

House of Mercy

Foot of West 86th St

3 Lucile Babcock

2389-1st Avenue to floor

4 Officer Robt a Fisher

14th Precinct

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## District Police Court.

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

*Augustine Wilson*

of Number *100 East 25<sup>th</sup> Street* being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that on the *Friday 24<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 1882, at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York, *as deponent is informed*  
*and has just cause to believe, and does*  
*believe, that Michael Heumann proprietor*  
*and manager of a certain place*  
*of entertainment, called The National*  
*Theatre situate at 104 B'way, wherein spirituous*  
*liquors, wines, intoxicating and malt*  
*liquors are sold, did unlawfully*  
*admit to, and suffer to remain*  
*therein between the hours of 7 pm*  
*and 11.30 pm a certain child*  
*called Blanche Babcock then and*  
*there under the age of 14 years, to*  
*wit of the age of 13 years, and*  
*then and there not accompanied by*  
*parent or guardian*

Wherefore the complainant prays that the said *Michael Heumann*

may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law, and more especially according to  
the following laws made and provided, to wit:

"An Act in relation to Mendicant and vagrant children," passed April 3d, 1874, "An Act to prevent and punish certain wrongs to children," passed April 14th, 1876, "An Act to amend Chapter 628 of the Laws of 1857, entitled 'An Act to suppress intemperance and to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors,'" passed June 5th, 1877, "An Act for the protection of children, and to prevent and punish certain wrongs to children," passed June 6th, 1877.

Sworn to before me, this *30<sup>th</sup>*

day of *January* 1882

*Augustine Wilson*  
*Solomon Smith*

Police Justice.

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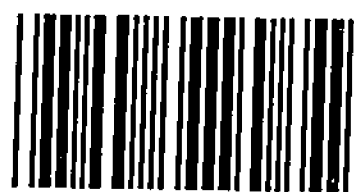
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Hennessy, James

DATE:

02/01/82



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

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## POLICE COURT SECOND DISTRICT.

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

*John W. Barry, Hotel Keeper,*  
of No. 598 Eighth Avenue ~~Street~~, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 1882  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, and at about the

hour of 11<sup>th</sup> to 1 o'clock A. M. Dependent  
stood behind the bar or counter  
of the saloon in said premises.

That the defendant James Hennessey  
now here, then ~~entered said saloon~~  
Came to the door of said saloon,  
as dependent is informed and believes,  
and said to dependents per William  
G. Barry, and William J. Kane, Jr.  
both here present, who then stood  
in the door way of said saloon,

"There's a woman in the alley  
very sick". That dependents said  
so and said William J. Kane Jr.  
then accompanied said defendant  
to the alley in the rear of said  
premises but failed to find any  
woman there. That dependents  
said per and said Kane had  
been gone away from the door  
way of said saloon about two  
minutes when a man came  
into said saloon and called for  
a glass of beer. That dependent  
was then in the act of counting  
a quantity of money on the  
said bar or counter and told  
said man that the beer was

all out. That said man stood at the bar for a minute or two looking at deponent when he suddenly seized the money on the counter which deponent was engaged in counting and ran out of said saloon with the same in his possession. That said money consisted of a number of notes or bills of the issue of the Treasury Department of the United States to the amount and value of seventy dollars. That the name of said man is unknown to deponent, but deponent believes he could identify him if seen again.

That deponent believes and charges that said defendant is an accessory before the fact to the larceny aforesaid by reason of his having falsely stated to deponents ~~and~~ that said William J. Harney that a woman was sick in the alley way for other purposes as deponent believes of

POLICE COURT, - SECOND DISTRICT,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Dated

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Witnesses,

Committed in default of \$ surety.

Bailed by

No.

Street.



inducing them to leave the  
 door way of the saloon or  
 as to whoever said man  
 whose name is unknown to  
 deponent to enter said saloon  
 and commit the larceny  
 of said money which was  
 the property of deponent. Deponent  
 charges said defendant with feloniously inciting  
 and procuring said unknown man to do and commit  
 the same.  
 Sworn to before me this 28th day of January 1882

Wm Patterson, Justice

City and County of New York, N.Y.  
 William J. Barry of 598-8th  
 Avenue, and William J. Kane  
 Jr. of 252 West 89th Street,  
 being duly sworn each for  
 himself do both depose and say  
 that they have read and  
 the foregoing affidavit of  
 John W. Barry and that  
 so much of the same as  
 (over)



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relates to deponent is true  
of deponents own knowledge.

Sworn to before me this (W. F. Barry  
28th day of January 1882) Thos. Kunk

J. M. Patterson  
Notary Public

Court moves to dismiss the  
Complaint on the ground of  
insufficiency of evidence  
Motion denied

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Sec. 198-200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Hennessey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty three years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *West 26 Street. I declined to give the number or time I have lived there.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Ironmith*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge.*

*James Hennessey*

Taken before me, this *28*

day of *January* 188 *2*

*A. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

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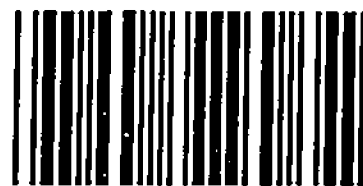
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Heth, Adam

DATE:

02/15/82



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WITNESSES.

*[Handwritten signatures and notes in the witness section]*

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 15 day of Feb 1884

Pleads Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*[Handwritten symbol]*

LARCENY AND RECEIVING  
STOLEN GOODS.

*[Handwritten signature]*

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True and

*[Handwritten signature]*

Part Two Dec 21/83 Foreman.

Pleas as D.C. 5.

*[Handwritten signature]*



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**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Adam Hett.*

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

*Adam Hett.*

of the CRIME OF LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*Adam Hett.*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *twenty second* day of *January* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms

*One Trunk of the value of five dollars*  
*One Coin of the value of three dollars*  
*One ~~musical instrument~~ of the value*  
*of ninety five dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Henry Menzel*

then and there being found,  
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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said

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

The said

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

one trunk of the value of five dollars.  
one coin of the value of three dollars  
one <sup>Cutter</sup> ~~musical instrument~~ of the  
value of ninety five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 218, 219, 220, 221, 222.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c., 118  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Henry Wood*  
*30 West 41*

*Adam Hett*

Offence, *Grand Larceny*

Date *February 8* 188 *2*

*Albion* Magistrate.

*John McClellan* Officer.  
*1130*

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

Witnesses

*David Allen*

No.

Street

No.

Street

No.

Street



*Green*

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 *Adam Hett*

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *ten* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *February 8* 188 *2*

*Macomber* 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.

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

Henry Wenzel aged 17 years  
of No. a baker, of No 30 Ridge Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the ~~or~~ about the 22 day of January 1882

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the possession of deponent, and from his room in said

house on the ground floor of said house 30 Ridge Street the following property viz: one trunk containing clothing

and tools, in all and one gold coin of the denomination and value of three dollars, in all property also contained in said trunk but in said room are musical instruments called "Cithern," in all property

of the value of one 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 Adair Hett, number

for the reason following; that on said 22 day of January 1882, said trunk with said contents were contained in a room on the ground floor of said house No 30 Ridge Street and missed therefrom by deponent on said day about half an hour after he had seen said trunk standing in said room.

that deponent is informed by officers John Mc Curley of 19<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that he found in the Parous box of McCallum in said West Brooklyn, a list of cloths and one cithern, which said list of cloths and

day of

Sworn to before me this

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Police Justice.



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said either this deponent identifies  
as part of the property heretofore  
mentioned as having been stolen  
and as his property. - That said  
Adam Hett admitted to deponent  
that he said Hett did pawn  
said property in Brooklyn.  
Deponent therefore charges that  
~~the~~ said property above mentioned  
was taken stolen and carried away  
by said Adam Hett.

Sworn to before me, J. H. H. H.

This 8 day of February 1872

Mercer C. C. C.

Police Justice

At and County of New York, John M. C. C.  
an officer of 13<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police being  
duly sworn says he has heard  
read the foregoing affidavit and  
is familiar with its contents; and  
that portions thereof referring to  
said and enforcement given  
by him is true upon his own  
knowledge

Sworn to before me John M. C. C.

This 8 day of February 1872

Mercer C. C. C.

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Adam Hett 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. Adam Hett

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. No home

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Sealer

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. ~~Answer~~ another person with the name of Charley Deneely took the trunk; I only packed the sack of cloths and the Cither

Taken before me, this 8

day of February

1882

Adam Hett

McCrann O'Brien

Police Justice.

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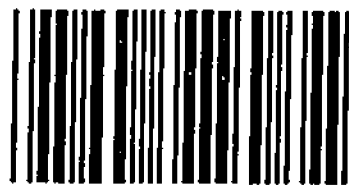
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Himes, Andrew

DATE:

02/23/82



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed *23* day of *Sept* 188 *2*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
[Receiving Stolen Goods.]

*Andrew Himes*

*John W. Phelps*  
JOHN W. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE COPY  
*John W. Phelps*

*Sept 27/82* Foreman

*Andrew Himes*  
W. S. Himes



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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,

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

committed as follows:  
The said

*Andrew Himes*  
*Andrew Himes*  
of the crime of *Burglary*  
*Andrew Himes*

late of the *fifteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *Eighteenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the *Store* of *Adam Gander*

there situate, feloniously and  
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers  
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and  
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with  
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*Adam Gander*  
then and there being, then and there  
*twenty* cigars of the value of five cents each  
*Divers* coins of a number kind and denomination  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a  
*more* accurate description of which cannot  
now be given of the value of three dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Adam Gander*  
so kept as aforesaid in the said *Store* then and there being, 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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid by this indictment further accuse the said

of the Crime of *Receiving Stolen Goods*

committed as follows:

The said

*Andrew Hines*

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

*Twenty cigars of the value of five cents each  
divers coins of a number kind and denomination  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more  
accurate description of which cannot now be  
given of the value of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Adam Gardner*

by a certain person or persons to the <sup>Grand</sup> Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~

*the said*

*taken and carried away from  
Adam Gardner*

unlawfully, unjustly, and ~~for the sake of wicked gain~~ did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Andrew Hines*

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

*John Jackson*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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

of the CRIME OF

committed as follows:

The said

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

twenty cigars of the value of five cents each  
divers coins of a number kind and denomination  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more  
accurate description of which cannot now be  
given of the value of three dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

by a certain person or persons to the <sup>Grand</sup> Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~

the said

unlawfully, unjustly, and ~~for the sake of wicked gain~~ did feloniously receive and have  
(the said

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

BENJ. R. PHELPS, District Attorney.



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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, \_\_\_\_\_

Sec. 208, 210, 211 & 212.

Police Court, 2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John W. Smith*  
*James H. Smith*  
*Andrew H. Smith*

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

Offence, \_\_\_\_\_

Dated *January 18 1882*

*J. H. Wilbur* Magistrate.

*Mac Morris* Officer.

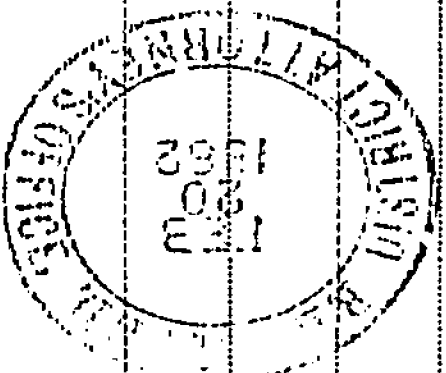
*15-16-17* Clerk.

Witnesses *David H. Smith*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_



*Admitted to answer without bail*

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

guilty thereof, I order that he ~~be admitted to bail in the sum of~~ *held to answer the same and he* ~~one hundred Dollars~~ *be admitted to bail in the sum of* and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he ~~give such bail~~ *until legally discharged*

Dated *January 18 1882*

*J. H. Wilbur* 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.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Andrew Hines* 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.

*Andrew Hines*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*30 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ohio*

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

Answer.

*Cincinnati, Ohio*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*None particular*

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.

*Have nothing to say.*

Taken before me, this

day of

1882

*Andrew Hines*

*[Signature]* Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

City and County  
of New York. } ss:Saloon, <sup>residing</sup> at No.Adam Gander,  
age 45. Keeper of a Wine and Beer  
Saloon, 75<sup>th</sup> St. Marks Place, Street, being duly sworn,deposes and says, that the premises No. 23 and 25 Peter Place  
Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Wine and Beer  
Saloonwere **BURGLARIOUSLY** brokenopen, entered by means of forcibly unbolting and unfastening  
the outer door of said saloon to get out of  
said premises which was entered by climbing through an  
open fan light, with intent to commit a crime thereinon the morning of the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882, in the  
night time and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Good and lawful money consisting of  
silver and nickel coin of various  
denominations and values, a more  
particular description of which deponent  
is unable to give, and amounting to  
the sum and value of three dollars;  
and a quantity of Cigars of the value  
at least of one dollar. Said property  
amounting in all to the value of four  
dollars.

the property of

this deponent

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

the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen

and carried away by

Frederick Thomas (nowhere)  
and another who is unknown to deponent.  
for the reasons following, to wit:That on the morning of the day  
aforesaid at about the hour of half past  
one o'clock A.M. the said outer door  
of said saloon was locked and securely  
fastened and that at said time the  
property aforesaid was contained  
therein: that deponent was thereafter  
informed that by officer Nelson J.  
McNevin that on the said morning at  
about the hour of quarter before six

A clock he found the said door open  
 and said Armes in the said saloon  
 and that the said Armes told <sup>him</sup> the said  
 officer, that he had taken the money  
 and cigars aforesaid and handed them  
 to an accomplice on the outside.  
 Sworn to before me this } Adam Gander  
 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882 }  
 J. H. Will  
 Police Justice.

City and County of New York. ss: Nelson J. MacNevin  
 an officer attached to the 15<sup>th</sup> Police  
 Precinct being duly sworn deposes  
 and says that deponent has heard  
 read the foregoing affidavit of  
 Adam Gander and so much thereof  
 as relates to deponent is true of his  
 own knowledge, and deponent further  
 says that on the said morning of the  
 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882, <sup>at about fifteen minutes past five o'clock</sup> deponent  
 tried ~~of~~ the outer door of the said  
 saloon Nos 23 and 25 Astor Place and  
 found it securely fastened.  
 Sworn to before me this } Nelson J. MacNevin  
 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882 }  
 J. H. Will  
 Police Justice

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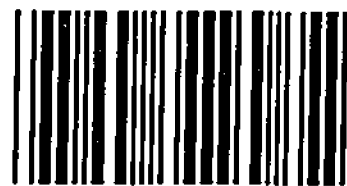
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Hoppe, Oscar

DATE:

02/21/82



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Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleads

THE PEOPLE

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P

Oscar Slope

John McKeon

~~JOHN McKEON~~  
~~BENJAMIN McKEON~~  
~~BENJAMIN McKEON~~

District Attorney.

INDICTMENT.  
Grand Larceny of Money, &c.

A True Bill

Foreman.

Part Two - Oct 23, 1892

Pleads Guilty

Wm. A. McKeon  
F.S.

*[Handwritten signature/initials]*

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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,

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

committed as follows:

The said

against *Oscar Hoppe*

*Oscar Hoppe*  
of the crime of *Larceny*

in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *tenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, 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 of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: 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 of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

*All silver coins of a number kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more accurate description of which can not now be given of the value of one hundred and nine dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Philip Hirschkind*  
then and there being found,  
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 M. Keon*  
~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS,~~  
~~BENJAMIN R. PETERS,~~ District Attorney.

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First District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 39 67 Broadway

Philip Hirschkind  
32 years Clothing

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 2nd day of February 188 2

at the above premises City of New York,

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

One hundred and nine dollars  
good and lawful money, of the value  
of one hundred and nine dollarsthe property of Emanuel Hirschkind Philip Hirschkind  
Henry Hirschkind and Sionno Adler doing  
business under the firm name of Hirschkind  
and Company and that this deponenthas a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and carried away by Oscar Hopper (now here) forthe following reasons to wit: Said Hopper  
was in the employ of deponent as book keeper  
in the cutting room and was given by deponent  
the above amount of money to pay to certain  
parties in the employ of deponent. Said  
Hopper admitted and confessed to deponent  
that instead of paying the said money as  
directed he converted the same to his own use the said  
money. Whereupon deponent charged said Hopper  
with felony taking stealing and carrying away  
from deponent the above sum of one hundred and nine  
dollars.  
Philip HirschkindSubscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of February 1882  
at New York City  
Police Justice.



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Sec 208, 209, 210 & 212.

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Police Court - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Paul J. Buchwald*  
*396 Broadway*  
*Oscar Hoppe*

Offence, *Grand Larceny*

Dated *February 15* 188 *2*

*Smith* Magistrate.

Officer.

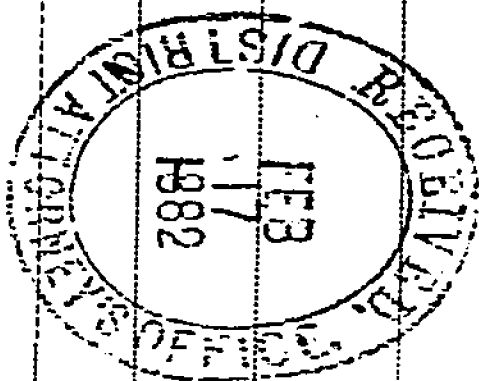
Clerk.

Witnesses

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.



*Cell*

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 *Oscar Hoppe*

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *200* Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *Feb 15* 188 *2* *Solomon B. Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Just

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Oscar Hoppe 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~~ waiven cannot be used against ~~him~~ on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Oscar Hoppe

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

25 Second Ave three months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Book keeper in Cutting room

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

Taken before me, this

15

day of

May

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Oscar Hoppe

Solomon Smith  
Police Justice

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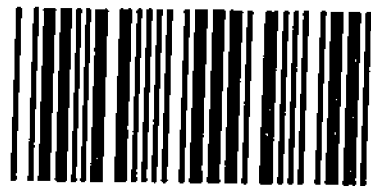
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DESCRIPTION:

Hoy, Thomas

DATE:

02/28/82



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WITNESSES.

28<sup>th</sup> / 1882  
Day of Trial, adj. 16<sup>th</sup> March

Counsel, 8 / 1882

Filed 28 day of Feb 1882

Pleads *Not guilty (Manslaughter)*

THE PEOPLE

vs. P

Thomas May

John, McKean  
~~DANIEL C. COLLINS~~

District Attorney.

Part 2, March 15, 1882.  
Inds. acquitted.

A TRUE BILL  
*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*[Handwritten marks]*

*Accused and Battery. Kill. Manslaughter. With Intent to Kill.*

# Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Thomas Hoy

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

Thomas Hoy

of the CRIME OF Attempting to Discharge a pistol  
at another with Intent to Kill  
committed as follows:

The said

Thomas Hoy late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid on the thirteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two, at the city and County aforesaid with force and arms, in and upon the body of Hugh Beatty, in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against him the said, Hugh Beatty a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Thomas Hoy in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there attempt to discharge, with intent him the said, Hugh Beatty thereby then and there, feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such cases made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity

John M. Keon  
District Attorney



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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, \_\_\_\_\_

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court - 1st District, 175

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Shuck P. Smith  
as 145 Forester

1 Thomas Jay

Offence, Felonious Assault

Dated 25 February 1882

Mr. J. P. Jones Magistrate.

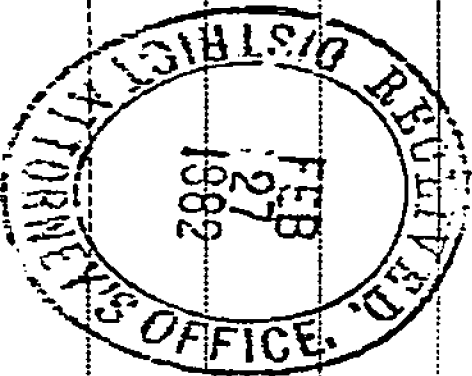
Heath Officer.  
145 Clerk.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_



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

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated 25 Feb 1882

W. P. Jones

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.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

142 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Thomas Hay 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.

Thomas Hay

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

110 Matt St - 5 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

a Shoe Maker

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Taken before me this

25

day of

Feby

1882

Thomas Hay

M. J. Power

Police Justice.

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Form

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

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

*Hugh Beatty* aged 29 years a policeman  
~~attached to the 14th Precinct~~ being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 13th day of February 1882  
at 187 Mulberry Street in  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and  
by Thomas Hoag.

who did willfully maliciously and feloniously  
point aim a pistol at the body of deponent  
and at said time said defendant said  
you son of a bitch you dare not enter  
here if you do I will shoot you

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do <sup>deponent</sup> 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 dealt with accord-  
ing to law.

*Hugh Beatty*

Sworn to, before me, this

day of

5 January 1882

Police Justice.

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Form

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

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

*Hugh Beatty* aged 29 years a policeman  
~~and~~ attached to the *14th Precinct*, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the *13th* day of *February* 18*82*  
at *187 Mulberry Street* in  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and  
by *Thomas Hoag*.

who did willfully maliciously and feloniously  
point aim a pistol at the body of deponent  
and at said time said defendant said  
you son of a bitch you dare not enter  
here if you do I will shoot you

Sworn to, before me, this

day of

*February* 18*82*

*Wm. Carr*  
Police Justice.

~~Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said~~

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do *deponent* 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 dealt with accord-  
ing to law.

*Hugh Beatty*



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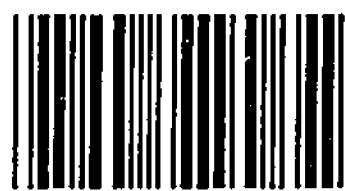
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DESCRIPTION:

Humphrey, Phillmore

DATE:

02/20/82



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March 27th

Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed

1882

Pleads

Not Guilty (21)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
Receiving [Stolen Goods.]

William Humphrey

John W. Hearn

DENI. K. PETERS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Feb. 27. 1882

Foreman

James J. Connelley of  
Hempstead, in and against  
a S. I. Thompson

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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,

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

committed as follows:

The said

late of the *twenty fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the *Stable* of *Owen Burns*

there situate, feloniously and  
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers  
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and  
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described with  
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

then and there being, then and there  
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*One Set of Harness of the value of  
Twelve Dollars  
one Robe of the value of two Dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

so kept as aforesaid in the said *Stable* then and there being, 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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said

*Phillmore Humphrey*

of the CRIME OF

*Receiving Stolen Goods*

THAT the said

committed as follows:

The said

*Phillmore Humphrey*

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

*One Set of Harness of the value of twelve Dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Owen Burns*

by a certain person or persons to the <sup>Grand</sup>Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~

*the said*

*taken and carried away from*

*Owen Burns*

unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain~~, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Phillmore Humphrey*

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

*John M. Phelps*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.



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Testimony in the  
case of  
William Humphrey  
pled Feb.

1892

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 The People  
 vs  
 Phillmore Humphrey } Court of General Sessions Part I  
 February 28, 1882. Before Judge Gildersleeve  
 Indictment for Burglary in the  
 third degree and receiving stolen goods.

Owen Burns, sworn and examined, testified  
 I live at Ardham and lived there on the  
 28<sup>th</sup> of Nov. last. The stable on the barren  
 landing road between Valentine ave. and  
 Ave. C. has been in my charge and care  
 for six years as coachman for Mr. J. Valentine;  
 that is in the 24<sup>th</sup> ward. I missed  
 from that stable on the 28<sup>th</sup> of November  
 a single set of harness and a buffalo robe.  
 They were the property of Mr. J. Valentine and  
 they were in my custody; the value of those  
 articles I suppose was about twenty dollars,  
 something in that neighborhood, less or  
 more. I locked the door of the stable and  
 put the key in the house, the kitchen. I  
 did so that night. I went to the stable on  
 the morning of the 29<sup>th</sup>; the door was  
 broken open, sawed out in front of the  
 lock and the piece fell out and our  
 crowbar stood inside of the door; it was  
 opened by a small saw and crowbar;  
 the lock was pried out and the piece fell  
 down. I have identified the harness, the  
 buffalo robe I did not get; the first

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I saw of them was in the station house in the 24<sup>th</sup> ward, Tremont; it was shown to me by an officer; there was three men there and a sergeant. The man pointed out to me is the one that they told me had found the harness; we got a report from the police that the harness had been found. I reported the loss in the neighborhood, but not to the police.

Joseph M. Keon, sworn and examined testified. I was a police officer on the 28<sup>th</sup> of Nov. 1881, I saw the prisoner on the evening of the 29<sup>th</sup> of Nov. about seven o'clock on the Third Avenue Railroad car or what they term the Fordham ave. car, I found a bag of harness in his possession. I took it to the station house; the prisoner escaped then, I attempted to arrest him; he jumped off the car and threw the bag across my feet, and the second time I made for him he slipped his two coats and left his coats with me and got away. I belong to the 34<sup>th</sup> precinct. Detective Wilkins saw the coat and recognized one of the coats. I recognize the prisoner now as the one who slipped the coat. The complainant has the harness now. I put a private

mark on the harness when I brought it to the station house; it was subsequently shown to me in Valentine's stable by Mr. Burns; it was the same harness I took from the prisoner. Jacob R. Wilkins, sworn and examined testified. I was connected with the police force on the 28<sup>th</sup> of Nov. I saw the prisoner in Morrisania lots of times I saw him on the 28 or 29<sup>th</sup>. I am not certain which, on the Third Ave. car at Harlem bridge going up. I don't know that he had anything with him; it was about six o'clock in the evening. I had no occasion to arrest him then; that is all I know about it. I have never seen the harness that was mentioned here.

Owen Burns recalled. I got the harness in the 24<sup>th</sup> ward police station on the floor in a bag. I recognized it as the harness that was in my possession; it was in my custody in Mr. Valentine's barn. Phillmore Humphrey, sworn and examined in his own defence testified. I am a coachman and worked for Mr. Quimby Kipp 118<sup>th</sup> St. and Pleasant Ave., I commenced to work for him on the 3<sup>d</sup> of January. Before that I worked for Phillip Mead, 109<sup>th</sup> and 110<sup>th</sup> Sts., I commenced with him about



the middle of Nov. and worked up to the latter part of Dec., and from there I went to Mr. Kipps. I did not commit the burglary for which I am now on trial; I did not have any bag of harness on board of any Railroad car on the 29<sup>th</sup> of Nov. last. I did not escape from arrest, I had no cause to for I was at work that day at Phillips Mead's 109<sup>th</sup> St. and Third Ave. That same evening I told the Court and jury that the officer was mistaken; he must have mistook me for somebody else. I never wore a green coat in my life. Jacob R. Wildkins recalled. I saw a garment on the prisoner similar to the one now shown me. I saw him have it on in the evening of the 29<sup>th</sup> when he was on the car; he was going towards Fordham I saw him at Harlem Bridge and Third Ave; he was standing on the back platform of the car, I spoke to him as he went by; it was in the neighborhood of six o'clock when I saw him; it was just dusk; the coat is dark green, I distinctly saw it that night. I could distinguish colors that night; he was on the back platform of the car. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of burglary in the third degree. He was sent to the State prison for four years.

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POLICE COURT—5<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Owen Burns  
Kango Bridge Road near  
Merrion Dr.  
Philmore Humphrey

OFFENCE:  
BURGLARY AND LARCENY.

Dated February 11 1892  
Henry Murray Magistrate.  
Brady (34) Officer.

Witnesses: Joseph McKeown  
34 Laurence Police  
Michael Croker  
College near Pelham  
Arrested by  
Off. Williams-387

Committed in default of \$ 1000 Bail.  
Bailed by  
No. Street.

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Sec. 198-200.

5<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT POLICE COURT.CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Phillmore Humphrey* 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.

*Phillmore Humphrey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Richmond Va*

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

Answer.

*Pleasant-Avenue 117 St for 2 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Coachman*

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

Answer. *I am not-guilty I have no knowledge whatever of the crime charged against me*

Taken before me, this

*11<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*February*

1882

*Phillmore Humphrey*

*Wm Murray* Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—5 DISTRICT.City and County }  
of New York, } ss:Owen Burns

of No. 5 Kingsbridge Road near Merrian Avenue being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises Berrian Landing Road between Valentine  
Avenue and Avenue C  
Street, 24<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Stable

and which was occupied by ~~deponent as~~ William J. Valentine as a stable  
for horses and a place for keeping carriages and harness  
were BURGLARIOUSLY  
entered by means of forcibly sawing a piece of wood of the door  
on which the lock was fastened and forcibly breaking  
said lock on said door leading into said  
stable with an iron bar  
on the night of the 28 day of November 18 81  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One single set of leather Harness of  
the value of Twelve dollars  
one fur Robe of the value of Ten dollars

the property of William J. Valentine in the care and charge  
of deponent who is coachman and who is 33 years old  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and  
carried away by Phillmore Humphrey (now free)

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent is informed by  
Joseph Mc Keon an officer attached to  
the 34<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that he found  
said Harness in the possession of said  
Humphrey

Owen Burns

Sworn to before me this  
11<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882  
Henry Murray Police Justice



City and County of  
New York } ss

Joseph Mc Keown of the 34. Precinct Police  
being duly sworn says that he arrested  
Phillmore Humphrey on the night of the  
29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1881 with the property  
described in the within affidavit of Owen  
Burns in his possession to wit one set of  
harness Depoent further says at the time  
he caught said Humphrey he was on a  
railroad car on 3<sup>d</sup> Avenue and Morris  
Street and that he broke away from him  
and ran away leaving said harness behind

Sworn to before me  
This 11 day of February 1882  
Joseph Mc Keown  
Eugene Murray Police Justice

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Sec. 212.

5<sup>th</sup>

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statement that the crime therein mentioned

is Burglary

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

Phillmore Humphrey

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and the said crime beingailable by me, ~~as~~ bail not having been taken by me, I order that 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 at the City of New York, Febry 11<sup>th</sup> 1882

*[Signature]* Police Justice

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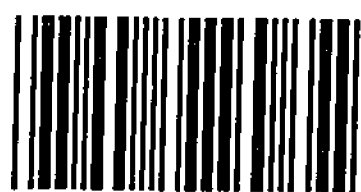
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Hurren, James

DATE:

02/16/82



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WITNESSES.

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 16 day of Feb 1882

Pleads Mr. Sullivan (17)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

LARCENY AND RECEIVING  
STOLEN GOODS

James Warren  
L.

(reads)

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*  
S. H. Two years for  
confinement after expiration of  
sentence on same case by  
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**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*James Hurren*

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

of the CRIME OF LARCENY

*James Hurren*

committed as follows:

The said

*James Hurren*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *thirty first* day of *January* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms

*One chain of the value of forty  
dollars  
one locket of the value of ten  
dollars  
one scarf pin of the value of  
twenty five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Robert Esler*

then and there being found,  
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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*James McKeon*  
of the Crime of RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

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

*one chain of the value of forty  
dollars*

*one pocket of the value of ten dollars*

*One scarf pin of the value of twenty five  
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

unlawfully, unjustly, did feloniously receive and have the said

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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

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

The said

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

*one chain of the value of forty dollars*

*one locker of the value of ten dollars*

*One scarf-pin of the value of twenty-five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

*Robert Esler*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and feloniously receive and have (the said

*James Hurren*  
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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. McNamee  
of James Hotel

James Hurren

No. 1, by  
Residence  
No. 2, by  
Residence  
No. 3, by  
Residence  
No. 4, by  
Residence

Offence, *Grand Larceny*

Dated *February 9* 188 *2*

*Paterson* Magistrate.

*Schmidt* Officer.

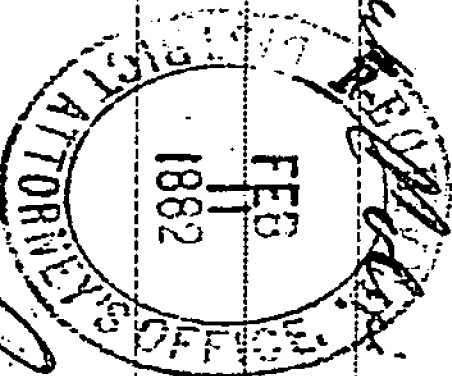
*Went* Clerk.

Witnesses: *Michael H. McNamee*

No. *186 1/2* Street.

Officer *Schmidt*

No. *29* Street.



No. *186 1/2* Street.

*Conrad*

*Feb 15 1882*  
*Joseph*  
*McNamee*  
*James Hotel*

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

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

Dated *February 9* 188 *2* *Edw. J. McNamee* 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.



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Sec. 198-200.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Hurren*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty-one years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *London, England*

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

Answer. *389 Third Av. 3 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Elevator Boy*

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

Answer. *I have nothing to say.*

*James Hurren.*

Taken before me, this *9th*

day of *May* 188 *2*

*W. P. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

City and County of New York, Sd.

Michael H. Deern, of 138 1/2  
Boroy, being duly sworn  
says - that on the 2<sup>d</sup> inst  
the defendant, James Hurron,  
now abs., pawned with this  
deponent the property mentioned  
in the annexed Complaint  
of John J. Devine and  
consisting of one gold and  
platinum watch chain and  
locket and a gold scarf  
pin set with emeralds and  
pearls. Michael H. Deern

Sworn to before me this  
9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882

J. W. Patterson, J. Police Justice

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District Police Court

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of

John J. Devine, Hotel Keeper,  
St. James Hotel, Street, 1131 Broadway,  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January 1882,

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 gold and platinum watch chain  
and locket attached, of the value  
of fifty dollars; and one pair  
open pink mix handle and three  
small pearls, of the value of seventy  
five dollars; said property being  
together of the value of seventy  
five dollars

the property of

Robert Coler, and in care  
and charge of deponent as Manager  
of said Hotel

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

James Hurren, now  
here, for the reasons following, to  
wit: That at said time said  
deponent was employed at said  
Hotel as an elevator boy.  
That said property was stolen at  
the time aforesaid from rooms  
87 and 117 in said Hotel, and  
that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of February  
instant deponent ascertained



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that said stolen property had been  
found by said defendant at  
the pawn shop of Caspuffel  
No. 13812 Boney on the 2<sup>d</sup>  
day of February instant. That defendant  
examined said property to find  
by said defendant and identifies  
the same as being the stolen  
property aforesaid.

Sworn to before me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882

J. D. Patterson Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION



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DESCRIPTION:

Hurren, James

DATE:

02/16/82



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Filed 16 day of Feb 1882  
Pleads, Not Guilty (17)

Brng. 2. Aug. 1882  
and Dec. 1882

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Copy

James Hurren  
(Deceased)

John M. McLean  
DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*

S. P. Two years

*[Signature]*

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Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*James Curran*

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

*James Curran*  
of the CRIME OF

Burglary  
committed as follows:

The said

*James Curran*

late of the *eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *second* day of *February* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, about the hour of *nine* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of *Francis T. Walton*

*there situate, through an open outer door thereof*  
~~feloniously and burglariously did break~~  
*open an inner door of said dwelling-house*

he the said

*James Curran*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of

*John Sanford*

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

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

of the CRIME OF

*James Curran*  
*Larceny*

committed as follows:

The said

*James Curran*

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,

*One scarf pin of the value of thirty five dollars. One other scarf pin of the value of forty dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*John Sanford*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said

*James Hurren*  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN Goods, committed as follows:

The said

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

*One scarf-pin of the value of thirty-five dollars. One other scarf-pin of the value of forty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*John Sanford*  
by a certain person or persons to the <sup>Grand</sup> Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

*John Sanford*  
unlawfully, unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*James Hurren*  
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 M. Keon*  
~~John M. Keon~~, District Attorney.



Bail \$1500.  
24th St.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Hume

Order Admitting Defendant to Bail.

John W. McKeon

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

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At a Court of General Sessions in and for the  
City and County of New York, on the  
7<sup>th</sup> day of February A.D. 1882

Present,

Hon. Henry A. Goldensleeve

Justice

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

James Turner

Application having been made to this Court  
by the above named Defendant to be admitted to bail,  
on a charge of Burglary

under which he was, on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of  
February 1882, duly committed to the custody  
of the Keeper of the City Prison, and the District  
Attorney waiving notice and — consenting thereto;

It is Ordered, that the said James Turner  
be admitted to bail in the sum of  
fifteen hundred Dollars,  
and that said bail may be taken before any Judge of  
this Court or Justice of the Supreme Court.

I concur in the  
entry of this order  
and hereby withdraw  
out of Feb 10/82

H. A. Goldensleeve  
Judge Genl Sessions

Wm O'Brien  
Asst Dist Atty



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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2nd DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*James H. Hurren* 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 in that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*James H. Hurren.*

Taken before me, this

day of *February* 1882

*John P. Carson* Police Justice.



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Police Court—Second District.

City and County of New York.

ss: *John Sandford.*  
*Age 31. Carpet Manufacturer,*  
*Residence Amsterdam. New York.*  
*And stopping at St. James Hotel*  
 & No. *1151 Broadway* Street, being duly sworn,

*said Hotel* deposes and says, that the premises *No. Room 58, on the third floor of*  
*18th* Street, *18th* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *dwelling house*  
 and which was occupied by deponent as a *place of abode*

*Open* and entered by means *of unlocking the door of the*  
*said room with a key, with intent*  
*to commit a crime therein*

on the *Night* of the *2nd* day of *February* 18*82*  
 and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

*One gold "Boar's Head" Scarf*  
*Pin and One round Rock Crystal*  
*Scarf Pin, with a horse and rider*  
*Painted on one side of it. Said*  
*property being of the value of Seventy*  
*Five Dollars*

the property of

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

the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen

and carried away by

*James Warren* (now

for the reasons following, to wit:

*That on the day aforesaid*  
*at about the hour of 8 o'clock P.m.*  
*deponent locked and securely fastened*  
*the door of the said room and left the*  
*key thereof with the clerk at the office*  
*in said hotel, and that at the said*  
*time the said pins were in the said*  
*room: That on the following morning*  
*deponent discovered the loss of said*

property; that deponent was thereafter informed by John Bell in the employ of Thomas Green, a kambroker at No. 171 Rivington, that the said Horner did on the 3<sup>d</sup> day of February 1882, pawn at the said establishment three scarf pins and a pair of sleeve buttons and that two of the scarf pins so pawned answered the description of those heretofore described and stolen from deponent's said room of the said St. James Hotel, and that said John Bell further informed this deponent that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882 the said Horner redeemed the said two pins in question.

Sworn to before me this  
5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882 } John Sanford

J. M. Patterson, Police Justice.

City and County of New York, ss: -

John Bell. age 20.  
residence No. 202 Franklin Street, Brooklyn,  
and employed as a clerk by Thomas  
Green, kambroker, being duly sworn  
deposes and says that he has heard read  
the foregoing affidavit of John Sanford -  
the complainant - and so much thereof  
as relates to this deponent is true of  
his own knowledge. Deponent further says that the impression of  
a coat head on the paper annexed hereto  
and marked it as similar in appearance  
to one of the scarf pins pawned by said Horner  
as aforesaid  
Sworn to before me this } John Bell  
5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882 }

J. M. Patterson, Police Justice.