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DESCRIPTION:

Condon, James

DATE:

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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No. 226.

Witnesses:

The former prisoner
in this case is a boy
named Lewis Hyde
within a few months
after the arrival the
boy's family moved
away and no trace
of him can be found
The watch stolen has
been returned to the
claimant. It
was recovered
that the defendant
is charged in his
own recognizance
Dixan cey McCall
District Atty

Dec 4/1892

Counsel,
Filed *[Signature]* 1888
Plead *[Signature]*

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree,
(From the Person)
[Sections 528, 529 Pennl Code].

THE PEOPLE
vs.

[Signature]
James Condon

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]
Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Randon

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

James Randon

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

The said James Randon,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the nineteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, in the day time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of

fifteen dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one John Newbould, on the person of the said John Newbould, then and there being found, from the person of the said John Newbould, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Martin, District Attorney

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*District Attorney's Office,
City and County of New York*

September 23rd, 1889

John Newbold, Esq.

Dear Sir :

Please call and see the District Attorney on Monday morning regarding the case of James Conlan who was indicted in May 1885.

Yours &c.

Henry W. Unger
Deputy Assistant and Secretary,
to the District Attorney.

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District Attorney's Office. 1000

Per

James Gordon

Newbold Complainant
called. The principal
witness for the People
was a boy named
Lewie Kyle; within a
few weeks after the
affair the boy's family
moved away and no
trace of him or them
could be found.

Newbold got back
from the Prop^{ty} Clerk the
goods stolen from him

sent for the Office
in the P.M.
Sept 26/92

Swamp

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District Attorney's Office. 1080

PEOPLE

vs.

Sent for
John Neubred

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PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.
If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

See District Attorney Nicoll 1701 10 30 AM
SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To *Off Charles Rook*
of No. _____ Street.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the day of ~~SEPTEMBER~~ *Oct* 1892, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

James Gordon

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of SEPTEMBER in the year of our Lord 1892.

DE LANCEY NICOLL, *District Attorney.*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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BAILED,
 No. 1, by Henry S. Jones
 Residence 95 Broad St.
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____

Police Court District 529

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Westcott
 vs.
James Anderson

Offence Larceny from Person



Dated May 19 188

Frank Officer

John Precinct

Witnesses
John
John
John

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

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

Dated May 19 188 John 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.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } SS

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

Question What is your name?

Answer James London.

Question How old are you?

Answer 17 Years.

Question Where were you born?

Answer New York.

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

Answer 201 West 32nd Street 1 Month

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Peuder.

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 London

Taken before me this 19 day of March 1888
W. H. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Lewis Kyle
aged *14* years, occupation *School boy* of No. *434 West 18th* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this *19* day of *May* 188*8*
Lewis Kyle
John Newbold
Police Justice.

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

John Newbold.
of No. 301 West 24th Street, aged 45 years,
occupation Carpenter being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 18th day of May 1887 at the City of New

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

One Silver Watch of the Value
of Fifteen Dollars.

the property of Deponents

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 Gordon (nowhere)
from the fact that deponent is informed
by Lewis Kyle that he saw the said
Gordon take and carry away
said property from the right hand pocket
of the Watch when on deponents person.
James ran away with said property
in his possession while deponent
was in a state of intoxication

John Newbold

Sworn to before me, this 19th day
of May 1887
M. H. Hunk
Police Justice.

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Connolly, Thomas Francis

DATE:

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NO. 147

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Counsel,
Filed *De* day of *May* 1887
Pleads, *Amended*

THE PEOPLE
vs. Henry
1st
James
Thomas Francis Connolly
Burglary in the second Degree.
[Sections 497, 506, 528, 532.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Dr May 24/87 District Attorney.
Filed, PT
Pen 6 months.
A True Bill.
E. Hubert
Foreman

Witnesses:

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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 Francis Rometty

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

Thomas Francis Rometty

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

The said *Thomas Francis Rometty*,

late of the *Clinton* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth* day of *May*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, about the hour of *twelve* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Michael Rometty
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some human being, to wit: *one Minnie Rometty*

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Michael Rometty*

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,

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Thomas Francis Roney
of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND~~ ^{PEAK} LARCENY, ~~IN THE~~ ~~DEGREE~~, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Francis Roney*,

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

*one doze of the value of
one dollar, and fifty cents,
one pair of trousers of the
value of one dollar and
twenty five cents, and one
pair of shoes of the value of
one dollar,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Michael Roney*,

in the dwelling house of the said *Michael Roney*,

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

*Richard B. ...
District Attorney*

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Police Court 3 District 40

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Thomas Francis Connolly
31 Attorney St
Thomas Francis Connolly
Offence Burglary

Dated May 14 1885

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No. 1

No. 2

No. 3

No. 4

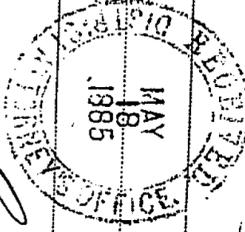
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to answer Sessions



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 Francis Connolly

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

Dated May 14 1885 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.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Thomas Francis Connolly 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 Francis Connolly

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 27

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York 52 Sheroff St

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

Answer. 101 Bomey - a month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Ironsmith

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. These premises belong to my father. I went there to get something to eat as I had been in the habit of doing. The door was locked and I went in through the window as I had after done before.

Thomas Francis Connolly

Taken before me this

day of May

1887

John J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John McAuley

aged *25* years, occupation *Policeman* of No.

13th Precinct

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Minnie Connolly*

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

Sworn to before me, this

14

day of

May

188*5*

John McAuley

John J. Gorman

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 3rd District.

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

of No. 31 Attorney Street, aged 17 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 31 Attorney Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick
dwelling

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling on the first floor
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Minnie
Connolly

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a
glass in the kitchen window and un-
fastening the window

on the 13th day of May 1885 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

one alarm clock of the value of one dollar
and a half, one pair of Kentucky jean
trousers of the value of one dollar
and twenty five cents, and one pair of
of the value of one dollar - the whole
being of the value of three dollars
and seventy five cents.

the property of Deponent's father Michael Connolly
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
Thomas Francis Connolly now here

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent missed the said
property and was informed by James
Gerrity (now here) that she saw the
said Thomas Francis Connolly go through
the window and enter the said premises,
and subsequently to leave the said
premises with a part of the said property
in his possession, and Deponent was also
informed by Patricia Mc Auley of the

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thirteenth precinct that he arrested the
said Thomas Francis Connolly and
that he said Thomas Francis Connolly
admitted to him that he had taken
the said property.

Sworn to before me Minnie Connolly
this 14th day of May 1885
J. M. J. Gorman
Police Justice

Police Court _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary _____ Degree.

Dated _____ 188 _____

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____ Street.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Connors, James

DATE:

05/21/85



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Witnesses:

Sept. 1885
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Sept 1885

Counsel,
Filed *21* day of *May* 188*5*
Pleads, *W. H. H. H. H.*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
F
James Connor

[Sections 497, 506, 528, 532]
Everyday in the 2nd Degree.

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

E. Howard
Foreman
Sept 1885
5400 V.P. / 1885

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
James Romeros

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

James Romeros
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *James Romeros*,

late of the *Second* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *second* day of *May*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, about the
hour of *three* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

John D. ...
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some
human being, to wit: *Peter D. ...*

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels
and personal property of the said *John D. ...*

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

James Romeros
of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND~~ LARCENY IN THE ~~SECOND~~ DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said James Romeros

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

one sack of the value of seven
dollars and fifty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one John T. Street

in the dwelling house of the said John T. Street

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

Paul J. B. Martin
District Attorney

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Police Court *H.A.* District

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Sheehy
403 East 27th St
James Connors

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Offence *Burglary and Larceny*



Dated *May 17* 188*5*

John Patterson Magistrate
Wm Burns Officer
Wm Burns Precinct

Witnesses
No. *21* *Wm Burns* Street
Wm Burns Street

No. _____ Street

No. *200* Street
to answer *G.S.*

Conrad

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

Dated *May 17* 188*5* *John Patterson* 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

4 District Police Court.

James Connors 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 Connors*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *22 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. *409 East 29 St. 2 or 3 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Modeler*

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. That is all I want to say.*

James Connors
James

Taken before me this *17th* day of *May* 188*5*
J. M. Patterson
Police Justice

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Police Court H District.

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

of No. 403 East 29th Street, aged 24 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 403 East 29th Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Lease tenement
house on the 21st Ward of said City
and which was ^{in part} occupied by deponent as a dwelling house

and in which there was, at the time a human being, by name Peter
Shuebs

Becke and
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly pushing open
the door of deponent's apartments on the
1st floor of said premises, at about the
hour of 3 o'clock A. M.

on the 17th day of May 1885 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One clock of the value of seven
and a half dollars

the property of deponent and her husband, John Shuebs,
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 Connors, now here,

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent closed and
secured the door of said apartments by
placing a chair behind said door, the
back of the chair under the knob of
the door. That deponent's child,
Peter Shuebs, aged 4 years, was in bed and
the said clock was on the mantel
piece standing in the center thereof.
That deponent went up stairs to the

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rooms of a friend and remained about
one hour. That on her return
to her said apartments dependent
found the door pushed open and
the said chest removed from its
position on the mantle; and dependent
then and there discovered the said
dependent concealed in a closet
in said apartment. That said de-
pendant does not reside in said
premises or any part thereof and
has no lawful right or business
there.

Sworn to before me this 17th day of May 1885
E. E. Shubert

J. M. Patterson Police Justice

Police Court _____ District.

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

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____ Street.

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Connors, Thomas

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Counsel,
Filed 6 day of May 1885
Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Thomas Tomors
May 17th
Pleas D.L.
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 537, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney

14th Regt Ft
Kellum
A TRUE BILL.

E. H. Swartz
Foreman.

No 13
swartz

Witnesses:
L. J. ...
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Same Papers
to You ...
for ...

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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 Rannors

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

Thomas Rannors

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

The said Thomas Rannors,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 27th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

Twenty pieces of the value of one dollar and twenty five cents each, and ten other pieces of the value of seventy five cents each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Starbuck,

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

David P. Matthews, District Attorney

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Robert W. Eroy July 22

John Gordon - Campbell

Felt a tapping at his window
opened out and watch caught
light was seen and found
watch on his person

Joseph Buckler - Saw him
take the watch

Officer Capt. Leason

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District Attorneys Office,
City & County of
New York.

May 8th 1885

Hon. Frederick Smith,

Recorder & C.

My Dear Sir!

I made investigation
in the character of Thomas Conners
whos right name is Thomas Cooley
he is identified as being asso-
ciated and keeping company
with professional sneak thieves
and is suspected of being
connected with the sneak
Robbery at Mr Havemeyers
residence.

Yours Very Respt.

Jacob Von Gerichten
Det. Sergt.

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Police Court - 407 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John W. Thompson
591 W 97th St

1 *Thomas Connor*

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Offence *Grand Larceny*

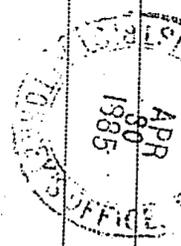
Dated *April 28* 1885

John W. Thompson
Magistrate

David Woodcock
Officer

Witnesses *Paul Strick*
29 Precinct

No. 115 West 25th 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

Thomas Connor

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Seven* 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 *April 28* 1885 *John J. Gorman* 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.

Thomas Connors

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 Connors*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Seventy Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *202 East 26 St. About two years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Bricklaying*

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* *Thos Connors*

Taken before me this *21*

day of *April* 188*5*

John J. Connors
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 28 years, occupation Seaman of No. David Stoddart

29th Street Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Isai Hasbrouck

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

Sworn to before me this 28 day of April 1885

David Stoddart

John Gorman
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Writer of No. Isai Hasbrouck

115 West 27th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Isai Hasbrouck

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

Sworn to before me this 28 day of April 1885

J. Furine

John Gorman
Police Justice.

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Police Court— 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Eliza Hasbrouck

of No. 59 West 37th Street, aged 50 years,
occupation Boarding House Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 27 day of Sept 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the Day time, the following property viz:

Sundry table-spoons of the value of twenty-five dollars

Silver tea-spoons of the value of five dollars

All of the value of thirty-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 Thomas Connors (now here) for the reason that deponent has been informed by Paul Famine, that between the hours of 8 and 11 P.M. on the above date he saw the defendant Connors in the back parlor of the above premises which is used as a dining room - and saw him take the above described property conceal it in his coat pocket and run out of the house.

Deponent further says, that she has been informed by Officer David Stoddart of the 29th ward, that he found the above described property which deponent fully identifies in the possession of the defendant.

Mrs Eliza Hasbrouck

Sworn to before me, this 28 day of Sept 1885
Edmund G. Williams Police Justice.

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BOX:

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DESCRIPTION:

Consins, Christiana

DATE:

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No 60. lot. 11. X

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed // day of

1885

Pleads

Not Guilty (12)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

Christina Collins

H.A.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

May 14. Campbell. Justice

A True Bill.

E. J. Smith

Foreman.

Frederick J. ...

L. H. ...

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Christiana Rowan

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

Christiana Rowan

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Christiana Rowan,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 12th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Stephen Johnson in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and with the said knife

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

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

SECOND COUNT:

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

Christiana Rowan

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

The said Christiana Rowan,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one Stephen Johnson in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and with the said knife

with a certain knife

which she the said Christiana Rowan in her right hand then and there had and held, the same being a instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT--

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

Christiana Rowlands
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Christiana Rowlands,

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

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and in the said

Stephen Johnson
in and upon the breast and shoulder of him the said Stephen Johnson, did then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, etc., bruise and wound, and did thereby then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict upon him the said Stephen Johnson, grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said Stephen Johnson, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court - 2 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Stephen Johnson
vs
Christina Emma

Offence Felony Assault & Battery

Dated May 1 1885

Magistrate
Murray Officer

8 Precinct

Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____
\$ 1000 to answer by J. J. J.

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

Christina Emma
guilty thereof, I order that she be held to answer the same and she be admitted to bail in the sum of 1000 Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until she give such bail.

Dated May 1 1885 M. J. Murray 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 _____ 1885 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer *Christina Cousins*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *Virginia*

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

Answer *27 1/2 Sullivan St (acquired when born)*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer *Wash & Iron*

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 and stabbed
Johnson but not until he
knocked me down*

*Christina Cousins
Mark*

Taken before me this

day of

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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Police Court - 2 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Stephen Johnson

of No. use of Detention Street, aged 37 years,
occupation Waiter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 3 day of May 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Christina
Crisis (now present) who went
and stabbed deponent with
a pen knife in the left
shoulder and left nipple

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him grievous bodily harm; and without any justification on the part of the said assailant

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended and bound to answer for the above assault, etc., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 4 day of May 1885 } Stephen Johnson

P. G. Duffy
Police Justice.

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*Testimony in the
Case of
Christina Cousins*

*filed
May
1883*

The jury returned a verdict of guilty of assault
at all.
place near him, he was about to kill me. I did not see him
a banknote carrying my finger nails and I tapped the little
clawing out on my knees he kicked me in the chest. I had
him and knocked me down in the passage and while I was
winded out and Johnson mixed up behind me called me a girl
but a bullet in Johnson, I told her to stop holding and
they were carrying the bodies out and she would
and carried it across the street where they got it. What

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The People Court of General Sessions, Part I.
vs. Before Recorder Smyth.
Christiana Couzins.

May 26, 1885.

Indictment for assault in the first degree.

Stephen Johnson sworn and examined. Where do you live? 27 1/2 Syllivan street. Do you know the defendant? Yes, I could not say positively how long I have known him, I will say for a year to be positive. Do you remember the 3rd of May last, the date of this assault? I remember the evening it occurred, it was on a Sunday evening in May. Did you see the prisoner that day? I saw her that evening by the gate. At what place? In Sullivan Street by the gate 27 1/2 where we live, I did not notice the time particularly, it was rather late in the evening. Were you drinking? No sir, I was not drinking, I never noticed the time, I think it was later than six o'clock, it was not as late as twelve, I did not look at the clock at the time, it was dark at the time. Just state to the jury what occurred at that time between the prisoner and you? What occurred was that this ladder laid in the yard and it appears as if it was knocked down every once in a while, it belonged to some roofers across the street from where I live; some boys were going to take it and I knowing that it belonged to these men and that it should not be taken out, I did not want them to take it. It was threw down on Wednesday in the passage and I ordered a litte boy who lived in the yard to take hold of one end of it and I would set it up out of the way. The defendant commenced to abuse me for it and she was going to have it taken out of the yard. I said no, it was not her yard and when I went to go out of the yard she stabbed me with a knife, I did not see the

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knife till Officer Moran brought it into the yard but I felt it. I was struck under the left nipple and in the back shoulder. I was taken to the Station House by Mr Moran and from there by another officer over to the House of Detention and I was in the Bellevue Hospital five or six days. I was sent there by the doctor from the House of Detention, I was stabbed twice; this house in Sullivan Street was the one I lived in.

Cross Examined. The defendant lived in the same house. Have you ever had any quarrel with this woman before? No sir, I never had any quarrel with her; we often have spoken to each other in a friendly way. You were on good terms with each other? I was, certainly. Were you in the habit of persecuting this woman, going into the back yard and calling her names? Most decidedly not. This stabbing occurred at the gate, I wanted to go out, the ladder was in the yard and she stabbed me because I would not let it be taken out. At the time of this stabbing did you strike this woman? I did not strike her with anything that day. You did not knock her down? No sir, I did not. You had not been drinking anything that day had you? I had drank that day in the morning and through that day. Was this ladder that you objected to having go out of the yard left in the yard or was it carried out? It was left in the yard by the roofers across the way. At the time of this stabbing where was the ladder, was it in the yard or in the street? It was in the yard as I said before, the ladder did not get out into the street but the boys would have taken it out if they had not been prevented.

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back shoulder. I was taken to the Station House by Mr. No-
left it. I was struck under the left nipple and in the
knife with official words brought it into the yard and I

Thomas Moran sworn and examined. I am a special officer of the 8th precinct and remember the night of the 3rd of May last, I arrested the defendant that night at about eleven o'clock or a little later at 27 Sullivan Street. I heard that she had stabbed a man, I went there to ascertain the fact, I saw her and asked her about it and she said yes. I asked her why she done so and she told me she was out in the yard, she mentioned something about a ladder, she said this man hit her and knocked her down and when she got up she jabbed him with a knife. I asked her where the knife was and she said it was in her stocking, she took it out and I took it from her. This is the knife and she said the small blade was the one she stabbed him with. I brought the complainant that night to the Station House, we sent for the Ambulance Surgeon and he refused to go to the hospital, he evidently had been drinking and I made a charge of intoxication against him to detain him, I brought him to court the next day and he refused to go to the hospital and I had him committed to the House of Detention. I saw the stab in the left breast and I think the left shoulder, the surgeon said the stab in the breast was a bad one, I saw no marks of violence on her.

Christiana Couzins sworn and examined in her own behalf. On this Sunday night the 3rd of May there was a step-ladder brought from across the street and it was laid in the yard; there was some loafers had thrown it down in the middle of the yard and a white woman asked me to help her to bring it out. I said it was none of my business and Johnson and another man came down and took the step-ladder

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and carried it across the street where they got it: whilst they were carrying the ladder out a white woman said she would put a bullet in Johnson, I told her to stop hollering and walked out and Johnson walked up behind me called me a dirty name and knocked me down in the basement and while I was crawling out on my knees he kicked me in the chest, I had a penknife cutting my finger nails and I jabbed the little blade near him, he was going to kill me, I did not cut him at all.

Testimony in the case of Charles

John

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty of assault in the second degree.

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Cook, Terence

DATE:

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Waters, Bartholomew

DATE:
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Cahill, John

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:
Fish, Albert

DATE:
05/27/85



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Rec'd 4/17/11

Witnesses:

The defendant John Cahill should, in my opinion, be discharged, and the indictment against him be dismissed because the same evidence on which the three defendants were acquitted is the only evidence in ~~the~~ possession of the People, and an acquittal would certainly result should he be tried.

Sammy J. [Signature]
R. S. A.

12/5/12 S. 1101 B

Counsel,
Filed 12/5/12 day of May 1888
Plead Not Guilty

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree [Sections 528, 581, 550, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.
Terence Cook
Bartholomew Waters
John Cahill, and
Albert Fish

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]

June 2, 1888 Foreman.
#1, #2 & #4 Tried and acquitted
#3. Indictment dismissed

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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

Serenus Roda
Bartholomew Waters
John Rollin
Abner Fish

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

Serenus Roda, Bartholomew Waters
John Rollin and Abner Fish
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Serenus Roda, Bartholomew Waters, John Rollin and Abner Fish*, each late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid on the *seventeenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one new-foot of the value
of forty dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John A. Carter*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Serence Rada, Bartholomew Waters* *John Ralston and Albert Fish* of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *Serence Rada, Bartholomew Waters, John Ralston and Albert Fish, each* — 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, with force and arms,

one new coat of the value
of forty dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John A. Barton,*

by ~~or~~ certain ~~persons~~ persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *John A. Barton,*

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have: the said *Serence Rada, Bartholomew Waters* *John Ralston and Albert Fish* 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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700 Bail & 9 AM
May 24/85 JJS

BAILLED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by James Ryan
Residence 240 East 4th Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court No. 34 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Benton
Colonel vs. Long. Adversely
James Robert
Northbourne St.
John Robert
Albion St.
Offence to aid

Dated May 23 1885



Magistrate, _____
Officer, _____
Precinct, _____

Witnesses
No. 1 John Jones Street _____

No. _____ Street _____
to answer Paul Sessions, _____
Street, _____

May 24, 1885

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

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

Dated May 23 1885 John Herman 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.

34 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Albert Fish 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. Albert Fish

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. England

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

Answer. 436 East 63 Street New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Employer

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

Albert Fish

Taken before me this

23

day of May 1885

John J. Moran

Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Terence Cook 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 Terence Cook

Question. How old are you?

Answer 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer New York

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

Answer 323 East 38 Street 9 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer Alloy shorerunner

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

Terence Cook

Taken before me this

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day of

May

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John J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Bartholomew Waters 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. *Bartholomew Waters*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *112 East 46 Street 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Alongshoreman*

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*

Bartholomew Waters

Taken before me this

day of *May*

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John J. McLaughlin Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

34 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

John Cahill 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 Cahill

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 321 East 37 Street four years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. File Layer

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~~ the ~~same~~ the
and myself were asked to come
into the boat to take a sail we
did not know at the time that
the boat was stolen.

John Cahill

Taken before me this

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day of

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John J. [Signature] Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 35 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

364 front Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Archibald S. Bartow

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

Sworn to before me, this 23
day of May 1887

John Jose

John Gorman
Police Justice.

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3^d District Police Court.

Affidavit - Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. Astoria Lane Street, discovered Armed & Dangerous

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the about 17 day of May 1885 at the _____ City of New York,

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

the following property, viz :

One row boat of the value of forty dollars \$40.00

Sworn before me this

day of

the property of John A. Bartore

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

Ferreus boat Bartholomew Waters John Cahill & Albert Fish (all of them now here), from the fact that the deponent was informed by Officer John Sose, of the 24th Precinct, Police that he arrested the aforesaid deponent on the East River opposite Blackwells Island during the aforesaid row boat in their possession.

The deponent further says that

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he identified said boat as
 the same boat having been stolen
 from the boat house in Astoria
 and owned by John A. Hartow
 on or about the aforementioned
 Archibald S. Barton
 account before me
 this 23rd day of May 1885
 John Gorman
 Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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DESCRIPTION:

Corper, Joseph

DATE:

05/01/85



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M. A. K. [unclear]
Counsel,
Filed *May* 1880
Pleads *Not Guilty May 4*

THE PEOPLE
vs. *B*
Joseph Cooper
by [unclear]
[unclear]

Assault in the Third Degree. (Section 219.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
JOHN WILKINSON
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
[Signature]
Pr May 8th Foreman.
Tried & convicted
May 7. To May 8
Pen 3 months

Schwartz
S. Levy
S. Wilber
Louis
Albert Burkhardt
by
Moses Kay

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph Sawyer

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

Joseph Sawyer

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

The said *Joseph Sawyer*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Edmond Perry* in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault and *injure* the said *Edmond Perry* did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the said *Edmond Perry*; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE
JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Police Court— / District 1

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 231 Broadway Street, aged 31 years,
occupation Seaman being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 11th day of February 1885 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Joseph Cooper,
New York, who struck deponent
a blow on the side of the face
with one of his fists.

without any justification on the part of the said assailant

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be ~~apprehended and~~ bound to
answer the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 27 day of April 1885 } J. J. Levy

J. M. Patterson Police Justice

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Sec. 192.

First

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before
of the City of New York, charging
the offence of

Joseph M. Patterson Esq.
Joseph Cooper
Assault

A Police Justice }
Defendant with

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hearing thereof having been adjourned,

We,

Joseph Cooper
537 Myrtle Ave Brooklyn
Fredrick H. Rubino

Defendant of No.

Street, by occupation a
Street, by occupation a

Cigar maker
183 Ludlow

Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named

Joseph Cooper

Defendant

shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of
Hundred Dollars.

District Police Court in the City of New York,
Five

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

day of

April 188

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Joseph Cooper
Fred H. Rubino

J. M. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

0408

CITY AND COUNTY }
NEW YORK, } ss.

Frederick H Rubino

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

situated and known as No 182 Ludlow Street in said city, valued at fifteen thousand Dollars, mortgaged for seven thousand Dollars

Sworn to before me this
17th
day of
April
1888
John P. Putnam
Police Justice.

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

vs.

Taken the day of 1888

Justice.

Frederick H. Rubino

0409

Police Court - 12-11-88 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Henry
231 Broadway St.

Joseph Cooper

APR 29 1885

Offence Assault

Dated April 27 1885

Magistrate
M. J. Patterson
Officer
A. J. Conklin

Witnesses
Louis Melting
No. 156 South 5th Street

Alfred B. Schmitt
No. 136 South 5th Street

No. 210 to answer
Sessions.
Street.

April 27 1885
J. J. [unclear]

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 Joseph Cooper

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

Dated April 27 1885 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.
Joseph Cooper

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

Dated April 29 1885 J. M. Patterson 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 _____ 1885 _____ Police Justice.

0410

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Joseph Cooper

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

London, England

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

Answer.

557 Myrtle Av. Brooklyn, 4 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Seegar 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 demand
a trial of Joseph Cooper*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Wm. J. Patterson

Police Justice.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1773

DESCRIPTION:

Cowley, Frederick C.

DATE:

05/25/85



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J. Redinger

Counsel,

Filed *25* day of *May* 1880

Pleads, *Magically*

Concealed Weapon
[Sections 410. Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F

Fredrick C. Cowley

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

E. J. Smith

Foreman

Henry Dudley

24th 6th Mas. J.P.

E. J.

Witnesses:

7 years \$1,000

0413

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frederick B. Rowley

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

Frederick B. Rowley

of the CRIME OF CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said *Frederick B. Rowley*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *12th* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did knowingly and secretly conceal upon his person a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as a *dagger*, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

Frederick B. Rowley

of the CRIME OF POSSESSING A CONCEALED WEAPON, committed as follows:

The said *Frederick B. Rowley*, 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, with force and arms, feloniously did wilfully and furtively possess a certain instrument and weapon of the kind known as a *dagger*, with intent then and there feloniously to use the same against some person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0414

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

POLICE COURT, Fifth DISTRICT.

of The 6th Precinct Police Street, aged 30 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 5 day of May 1885

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Frederick S. Crowley
(now here) who did unlawfully carry concealed
on his person with intent to use against
another, an instrument or weapon of
the kind commonly known as a dagger
or dangerous knife, here shown, in violation
of Section 410 of the Penal Code of the
State of New York

Jeremiah J. Murphy

Sworn to before me this
of May 1885 day

Samuel M. Bell
Police Justice

0415

Answered
January 6th 1886
R. B. Sr.

Ans
May 7th 1886
R. B. Sr.

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State of New York.

Executive Chamber,

Albany, DEC 18 1885 188

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the pardon of Frederick C. Bowley, who was sentenced on May 29 1885, in your County, for the crime of Carrying concealed weapons for the term of 2 years and 6 months to the State Prison

Penitentiary, you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of § 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, ~~Chapter 310, Laws 1847~~) to furnish the Governor with a concise statement of the case as proven on the trial, together with any other facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a pardon. Be pleased, also, to state the previous character of the convict. An opinion is respectfully requested.

Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on a separate sheet.

Very respectfully yours,

David B. Hill
Governor.

To Wm. R. B. Martine By Edwin Brown,
District Attorney, &c. EXECUTIVE CLERK.

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BAILIED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court - 1st District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frederick Murphy
of the City
of New York
vs.
Frederick Stanley
Defendant

Offence *Carrying concealed weapons*

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate
Officer

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ *1000* to answer _____ Sessions.

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 MAY 19 1885
 CLERK OF THE COURT
 COMMUNAL

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 *Frederick Stanley*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *10* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *May 15* 188 *Samuel C. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

0418

Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Fredenick F. Crowley 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.

Fredenick F. Crowley

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Mexico

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

Answer.

Newton Long Island 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Carpenter

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 carried it
for self defense*

Fred F. Crowley

Taken before me

day of

188

Police Justice.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cox, John J.

DATE:

05/22/85



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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Day of Trial, ⁽¹¹⁾ *Co. Larkin*
Counsel,
Filed *22* day of *May* 188*8*
Pleads *W. J. Quinn*

From out note
Keeping a Bawdy House.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

John J. Cox
Quinn
Bail Deering

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
~~JOHN M. IRON~~

District Attorney.

May 27 10/10/88

A True Bill.

E. Howard

For

John J. Cox
J. J.

Witness

Bail discharged
on consent of acct.
atty. J. J. G.
June 4th 1888.

0421

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

John G. Rot

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

John G. Rot

of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL FAME, committed as follows:

The said *John G. Rot*,

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *15th* day of *May*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three* and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said *John G. Rot*,

John G. Rot on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offences as well in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in manifest destruction and subversion of, and against good morals and good manners, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John G. Rot*

of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *John G. Rot*,

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *15th* day of *May*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three*, and on divers other days and times between the said

day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in *his* said house, for *his* own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and willfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and willfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common annoyance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John G. Rot,*

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said *John G. Rot,*

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *15th* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty*two* and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in *his* said house and place of public resort, for *his* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in *his* said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully, did permit, and yet continues to permit, by which the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE.

~~JOHN HICKSON~~

District Attorney.

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Robert

no

John J. Cox

Edward

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JOHN J. COX'S



Opposite Gunther's R. R. Coney Island.

FINE STOCK OF
ALES, WINES, LIQUORS AND SEGARS,
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Restaurant and Bathing Houses connected with this Pavilion,
also, Music and Dancing Platform for Picnic Parties.

CHARLES BRUNS, Manager.

General Services

John J. Cox

City & County of New York ss.
John J. Cox, being duly
sworn, says that he is the
dependant abovenamed, that
the premises No 63 Chrystie Street
which dependant was charged with
keeping as a disorderly house
have been vacated by dependant
and dependant is now doing
business at Coney Island

sworn to before me
this 4th day of June 1885 }
Rudolph L. Schauf } John J. Cox
Comr. of Deeds }
N. Y. City & Co.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0425

New York General Assizes.

The People }
John J. Cox }

City & County of New York ss.
John J. Cox, being duly
sworn, says that he is the
dependant abovenamed, that
the premises No 63 Chrystie Street
which dependant was charged with
keeping as a disorderly house
have been vacated by dependant
and dependant is now doing
business at Coney Island

sworn to before me }
this 4th day of June 1885 } c. John J. Cox
Rudolph L. Scharf }
Clerk of Deeds &
N. Y. City & Co.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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Sec. 151.

Police Court— 9 — 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 John H. Repper of 10 Precinct, Police Street, that on the 15 day of May 188 5 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, John Doe did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 63 Chryotic Street Street, in said City, a House of ill fame and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for ~~unlawful sexual intercourse~~, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, ~~dancing~~, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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 body of the said

John Doe

and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said John Doe and forthwith bring them before me, at the 1 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 15th day of May 188 5

John Thomas POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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Police Court— 7 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John H. Repper

vs.

John Doe

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated May 15 1885

Forman Magistrate

Repper Officer.

10 Precinct.

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

Repper Officer.

Dated May 17 1885

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

John Forman Police Justice.

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

Dated

188

Police Justice.

He within named

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

9 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John H. Repper
of No. the 18th Precinct Police Street, in said City, being duly sworn says,
that at the premises known as Number 63 Chrystie Street,
in the City and County of New York, on the 15 day of May 1885, and on divers
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

~~state now~~ John Doe whose proper name is to Deponent
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a house of ill
fame and did ~~then~~ and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come
together for ~~unlawful sexual intercourse~~ and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil
name and fame there to be and remain drinking, ~~and~~ fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided

Deponent therefore prays, that the said John Doe
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said

John Doe
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 15 day }
of May 1885 }

John H. Repper Police Justice.

John H. Repper

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John H. Repper

vs.

John Doe

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated May 15 188

Forman Justice.

Repper Officer.

10 Precinct.

WITNESSES :

0430

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

John H. Ripper

of the 10th Avenue Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 17 day of May 1885

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, John J. Cox

(now here) is the person named in
the annexed Warrant as John Doe,
John H. Ripper

Sworn to before me, this

of May

1885

17 day

John J. Cox
Police Justice

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Police Court - 3 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John W. Kelly
10 West 10th St.

John J. Carr

Offence *Keeping a
House of Ill-fame*

Dated *May 17* 1885

Magistrate.

Officer. *McPherson*

Precinct. *10*

Witnesses

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *400* to answer *Paul* Sessions.

Paul

BAILED,

No. 1, by *John W. Kelly*

Residence *10 West 10th St.*

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____

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 *John J. Carr*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *400* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *May 17* 1885 *John W. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated *May 17* 1885 *John W. Kelly* 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 _____ 1885 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John J. Ray

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 106 Eldridge Street, 17 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Salvage Keeper.

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

Answer. I am not guilty and demand a trial in the Court of General Session

John J. Col

Taken before me this

day of

March

1888

John J. Col

Police Justice.