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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cain, Thomas

DATE:

07/08/84



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Witnesses:

Matth Burke. Sep
Jack: three days
10 years ago I was
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Counsel,
Filed 8 day of July 1884
Pleads *McGuilly*

THE PEOPLE
vs. *P*
Thomas Cain
Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,
[Section 498, Penal Code]

PETER B. OLNEY,
July 14/84 District Attorney.

pleads attempt.
A TRUE BILL.

George J. for clerk
John Sash Foreman.
H. J.

July 14, 84 4/100.

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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 Cain

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

Thomas Cain

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

The said

Thomas Cain

late of the ~~Twenty-second~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~thirtieth~~ day of ~~June~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~four~~, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain ~~part of a~~ building there situate, to wit: the ~~store~~ of one ~~Richard~~

Condon

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Richard Condon

in the said ~~store~~ 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.

Peter B. Olney

District Attorney

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Cain 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. *Thomas Cain*

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. *587-11 Avenue 9 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I work in the paper factory*

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**Thomas Cain*

Taken before me this

day of

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John J. ...
Police Justice.

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Police Court—✓ District.

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

of No. 589 - 11th Avenue Street, aged 38 years,
occupation Butcher being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 589 - 11th Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brick
Building
and which was occupied by deponent on the 1st floor as a liquor store
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking the
glass in the show window of said
liquor store. With the intent
to commit a crime therein

on the 3rd day of June 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of liquor and
regars of the value of about
five hundred dollars

the property of Charles Healey
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 Cain now present

for the reasons following, to wit: That about the
hour of five o'clock on the morning
of the above date as deponent
opened the liquor store of the above
premises he found the above
defendant lying in the ~~liquor~~
store in the show window asleep

Richard Conlan

Sworn before me this 10 day of July 1884 John J. Brennan Police Justice

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FOLDER:

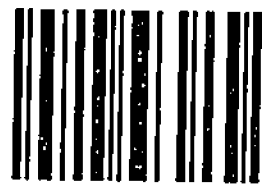
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DESCRIPTION:

Callaghan, Owen

DATE:

07/23/84



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Witnesses

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of July 1884
Pleads Not Guilty (24)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Owen Callaghan
Assault in the Third Degree.
(Section 219.)

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN M. KRON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

George J. Jackson
Foreman.

Aug 18. 1884.
Pleads Guilty
Pen 5 months.

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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

Owen Callaghan

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

Owen Callaghan

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

The said

Owen Callaghan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~fourteenth~~ day of ~~April~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~four~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *William R. Sims* in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully did make an assault and ~~in~~ the said *William R. Sims* did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the said *William R. Sims* 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

Dated _____ 188

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Sec. 198-200

First. District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

Owen Gallagher 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. *Owen Gallagher*

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. *164 Chatham Street, and one day*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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 was drunk, and did not know what I was doing*

Owen Gallagher

Taken before me this

day of

1884

Michael J. Smith
Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

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

of No the 6th Precinct Police William R. Linn Street,

on Sunday the 20 day of July
in the year 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Owen Callaghan
(new here) who did wilfully and maliciously
strike deponent on the side of the head
with his clenched hand knocking deponent
down deponent being then in uniform as an officer
of the Municipal Police, said City
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

20 day of July 1887 } Wm R. Linn
Arthur J. Smith POLICE JUSTICE.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cannon, Bernard

DATE:

07/22/84



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Witnesses:

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F. J.

Counsel,

Filed *22* day of *July* 188*4*

Pleads

John THE PEOPLE
vs. *R*
Burnard
Cannon
Grand Larceny *2nd* degree
(From the person.)
[Sections 528, 531, — Penal Code.]

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

George J. Jackson
Foreman.

July 23, 1884

Pleads guilty P.L.

C. M. os. Pen^{ty}

W. J.

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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

Bernard Cannon

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

Bernard Cannon
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *Second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Bernard Cannon*

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

*one silver coin of
the United States of America
of the kind commonly called
quarter dollars, of the value
of twenty five cents, and one
nickel coin of the United
States of America of the
kind commonly called five
cent piece of the value
of five cents;*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Eugene Hirschman*
on the person of *the said Eugene Hirschman*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Eugene Hirschman*
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.

Peter B. O'Leary
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, West District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
VS. THE COMPLAINANT OF

Agnes M. Cunningham
Wm. J. Cunningham
Edward Cunningham
Larceny from Person

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Dated _____ 188 _____
Offence _____

James A. O'Connell
Magistrate,
5th Precinct.

Witnesses,
No. _____
William J. Cunningham
5th Precinct Street.

No. _____
Street,

No. _____
Street,
\$ _____ to answer Sessions.

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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 *Bernard Cannon*

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 *July 14* 188 _____ *Solomon B. Sprague* 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.

7th District Police Court.

Bernard Cannon 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. Bernard Cannon

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Brooklyn

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

Answer. Oakland House in Chatham Street, about 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Caddy

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 -

Robert C. Lang

Taken before me this 14
day of July 1928
John J. Smith
Police Justice.

0026

Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 71 Division Avenue, Williamsburgh, Street, aged 15 years,
occupation office boy being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 14 day of July 1888 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money of the United
States amounting of one Silver Coin of
the denomination and value of twenty five
Cents and one Nickel Coin of the denomination
and value of five Cents; altogether amounting
to and of the value of thirty Cents (\$0.30)

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 Bernard Carmon (now here)

from the fact that about the hour
of 1:30 o'clock p.m. on the above date
Deponent was walking along Washington
Street between Harrison and Jay Streets
when the said Carmon came up to
deponent and snatched the aforesaid
sum of money from deponent's pocket
hand and then placed a ring here shown
in deponent's hand and walked away
with the afore-described property

Eugene M. inclosure.

Sworn to before me, this 14 day of July 1888
of Police Justice

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FOLDER:

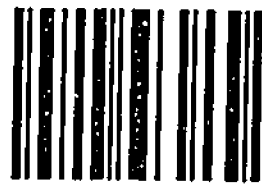
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DESCRIPTION:

Carey, Michael

DATE:

07/11/84



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Ex-officio
de facto that debt
has not been paid

Witnesses: *Accused*
F.D.

Counsel, *S*
Filed *11* day of *July* 188*4*
Pleads *July 14*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
P
Michael Carey
Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,
and *Exit* *Section 488, 506, 512 and 532*

PETER B. OLNEY,

July 17/84
Ad. 1 July 3
District Attorney.
A True Bill.

George J. ...

Foreman.
14th C. ...

F.D.

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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

Michael Carey

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

Michael Carey

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

The said *Michael Carey*

late of the *ninth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-ninth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *factory* of one *Annie*

Marrigott

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Annie Marrigott

in the said *factory* 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

— Michael Carey —

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY
committed as follows:

The said *Michael Carey*

late of the — *Ninth* — Ward of the City of New York in the
County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *29th* day of
June — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eighty-*four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *day*
time of said day, with force and arms, *one bag of white*

lead of the value of six
dollars, and one hundred
pounds of white lead of
the value of six cents
each pound

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one — *Annie*
Margoff — in the *factory* of
— *Annie Margoff* —

there situate, then and there being found, in the *factory*, 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.

Peter B. Olney,
District Attorney

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Police Court 1444 District 2

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas C. Jones
121
Michael Carey

Offence: Burglary and Larceny

BALIED,
No. 1, by
Residence
Street

No. 2, by
Residence
Street

No. 3, by
Residence
Street

No. 4, by
Residence
Street

Dated June 30 1884
William Magistrate.
John C. Jones Officer.
116 Precinct.

Witnesses: James M. Magistrate.
No. 536 4th Street.
Street

No. Street

No. Street

\$1000 to answer Court Sessions.
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

Michael Carey

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

Dated June 30 1884 H. M. 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

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Michael Carey*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Albany, New York.*

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

Answer. *350 West 17th St., 12 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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 have to say.*

Michael Carey

Taken before me this

29

day of

June

188

John J. Patterson Police Justice.

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Police Court—2^d District.City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 121 Ninth Avenue Street, aged 33 years,occupation Truck Driver being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 536 West 14th Street,in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building inthe 9th Ward of said Cityand which was occupied by Anna Marzole as a White Lead Manufacturing byand in which there was at the time a person being by name (Not at the timea person being by name andwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening arear window on the ground floorof said Manufacturing, at about thehour of 6 o'clock P. M.on the 29th day of June 1884 in the day time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Keg containing one hundredpounds of White Lead, of the valueof six dollarsthe property of said Annie Marzole

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

Michael Carey, now here,for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent is inthe employment of said Annieas a truck driver and wasthere in charge of said premisesand Manufacturing. That at thehour aforesaid deponent sawsaid deponent coming out

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of said Manufactory, through said
rear window, with the property
aforesaid in his possession.
That defendant then found that
the alley gate had been broken
and the window in the rear opened
and the catch securing the same
broken off. That said defendant
is not employed in said Manufactory
and had no lawful right or
business there.

Sworn to before me this
5th day of June 1884
J. M. Ottum

Thomas Dyer

Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1480

DESCRIPTION:

Carey, William E.

DATE:

07/10/84



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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Counsel
Filed 10 day of July 1884
Pleads "Abolition"

THE PEOPLE
vs.
P
William E. Carey
P. P. 11/10
Plead "abolition" 3/10
Pen 6000

Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code).

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN M. KILGORE,
District Attorney.

Aug 4/84
Med - very disfigured
A TRUE BILL. 7-5

George C. Farrell
Foreman.

Advised
Aug 21 84/10
View: 8/10
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0037

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William E. Carey

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

William E. Carey

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

The said William E. Carey

late of the City and County of New York, on the 20th day of
July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty four with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Edward Gardner

in the peace of the people of the said State then and there being, feloniously did
willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said William

E. Carey

with a certain knife which he the said

William E. Carey

in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there an
instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, him,
the said Edward Gardner then and there feloniously
did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and wound,
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT.

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

_____ *William E. Carey* _____

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

The said *William E. Carey* _____

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the *fourth*
day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*four*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and
upon one *Godfrey Gardner* _____

in the peace of the People of the State of New York then and there being, feloniously
did willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said *William*
E. Carey *thru* the said *Godfrey Gardner*
with a certain *knife* _____
which *he* ~~the said~~ in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in
and upon the *head* _____
of *him* the said *Godfrey Gardner*, _____
then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat, ~~beat~~, cut
bruise and wound, thereby then and there willfully and wrongfully, feloniously inflicting
upon the said *Godfrey Gardner*, _____
grievous bodily harm, to wit: *thereby then and*
there cutting and wounding
his head: _____

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MCKEON~~ District Attorney.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Charles Madden
No. 176 E 10th Ave
William C. Carey

Police Court *✓ 3 1451* District.

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated *July 5th* 188*4*
J. M. Patterson Magistrate.

William C. Carey Officer.
114 10th St Precinct.
Wm. C. Carey PC.
Witnesses *Wm. C. Carey*
6. 10th St
No. _____ Street.
Wm. C. Carey
912 E. Ave Street.
Wm. C. Carey
No. *7* *Alpha St* Street.
\$ *1000* to answer *July 6th*
Wm. C. Carey
7 E 10th Ave

Offence *William C. Carey*

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

Dated *July 6th* 188*4* *J. M. 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.

3d District Police Court.

William E. Corey 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 E. Corey*

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. *6 Extra Place four weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Watchman*

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*

William E. Corey

Taken before me this *3d* day of *July* 18*84*
William E. Corey
District Police Justice.

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Police Court— 3^d District.

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

Godfrey Gardner
of No. 7 Corta Place, aged 28
years, Painter being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Friday the 4 day of July
in the year 1884 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

William C. Carey, now
here, who struck and cut
deponent on the head with
the blade of a knife which
knife he, William, then
held in his hands.
That deponent was so
violently beaten

deponent gives
with the felonious intent to ~~take the life of deponent~~ to do him 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 5th day
of July 1884

Godfrey Gardner
A. M. P. J. POLICE JUSTICE.

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FOLDER:

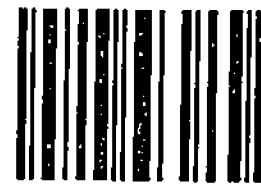
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DESCRIPTION:

Cassidy, James

DATE:

07/18/84



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Witnesses:

Thomas Amble

John McCauley

John
McC

The witnesses in this case cannot be found after repeated efforts as appears by enclosed app. & statement of Officer English & therefore recommend that depl. be discharged on his own recognizance

N.Y. Sept. 8th 1884

Just Vincent
Asst. Dist. Atty.

Counsel,
Filed
Pleads

Campbell
Sept 7
1884
Day of
July
1884
Filed
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Conisidine

Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code)

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MCKINNON~~

District Attorney.

Dep. Atty.
District Attorney

A True Bill.

George J. Jackson
Foreman.

W. H. H. H.
W. H. H. H.
W. H. H. H.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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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 Carridy

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

James Carridy

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

The said *James Carridy*

late of the City and County of New York, on the ~~twenty second~~ day of
June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-~~four~~ with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Thomas Stanley

in the peace of the people of the said State then and there being, feloniously did
willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said

James Carridy

with a certain *keen - sharp* which *he* the said

James Carridy

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a

knife likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *him*,

the said *Thomas Stanley*, then and there feloniously

did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat

bruise 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.

0045

SECOND COUNT

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

James Corridy

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

The said James Corridy

late of the City and County of New York, afterwards to wit: on the twenty second
day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-four, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and
upon one Thomas Hawley

in the peace of the People of the State of New York then and there being, feloniously
did willfully and wrongfully make an assault: and the said James
Corridy him the said Thomas Hawley
with a certain Iron Bar
which he ~~the~~ in his right hand then and there had and held, in
and upon the head
of him the said Thomas Hawley
then and there feloniously did willfully and wrongfully strike, beat
bruise and wound, thereby then and there willfully and wrongfully, feloniously inflicting
upon the said Thomas Hawley
grievous bodily harm, to wit: thereby then and
there bruising and wounding
his head

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,
~~JOHN MCKEON~~, District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions
The People

vs.
James Cassidy

City & County of New York :-

John Howley being duly sworn says :- I am a brother of Thomas Howley the complainant in the above entitled action. My brother and I boarded with a lady by the name of Mrs Lee at No. 299 Monroe Street in the City of New York, until July 28th 1884 when my brother left in company with another man to look for work and said he was going to Con-
muni-paw where he had been employed before. Since then I have not seen or heard from him either directly or indirectly and I do not know where he is or where he can be found. I do not know when he will return. He may have gone to the coal mines of Pennsylvania. I think so from the fact that the young man who went with him had just returned from there. I am also acquainted with Edward Flanagan a witness in this case who also boarded at the same place, the said Flanagan left

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his boarding house on Aug. 9. 1884,
but I cannot say where he has
gone to, or where he can be found.
I have heard from fellow boarders
that he had gone to Newark, but do
not know it of my own knowledge.
Sworn to before me this

14th day of Aug. 1884 } John Howley
Rudolph Scharf
Commissioner of Deeds
N. Y. City & Co.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People, &c.

VS.

James Brady

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney

Alfred of
John Howley

OFFENCE

Amount

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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 _____

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Hawley
James Cassidy

Police Court No. 3 District.

Offence *Felony's Assault*

Dated *July 16* 188*4*

McIntosh Magistrate.
McLeary Officer.
Regan Precinct.

WITNESSES
No. *257* *James Hawley* Street.
Edward Thompson
No. *255* *Thompson* Street.

No. *300* *July 16* Street.
3 P.M.
Anna Ann B.S.
Cornel

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 Cassidy*

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

Dated *July 16* 188*4* *J. M. 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.

3 District Police Court.

James Cassidy 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 Cassidy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

26 3 Monroe St. 18 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Envelope 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.

James Cassidy

Taken before me this

day of

1884

Police Justice.

0050

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation John Howley
Laborer of No.

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

Sworn to before me, this 16th
day of July 188 8 John Howley

W. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward Flanagan
aged 25 years, occupation Marble Polisher of No.

255 Monroe Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas Howley

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

Sworn to before me, this

16th

day of

July

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Edward Flanagan

A. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 District Police Court.

James Cassidy 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 Cassidy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

26 E Monroe St. 18 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Envelope 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.

James Cassidy

Taken before me this

day of

July 1884

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 3^d District.STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.Thomas Howleyof No. 299 Monroe Street,Laborer, aged 28 years, being duly sworn, deposes and says, thaton Sunday the 22^d day of Junein the year 1884 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

James Cassidy, now here,
who struck deponent on the
head with an empty lager
beer keg (he, James, threw
at deponent, thereupon cutting
deponent's head and knocking
deponent down insensible,
as deponent is now here informed
by deponents Arthur John
Howley and Edward Shanahan,
both here present. That deponent
was three weeks confined in
Bellview Hospital by reason of
the injuries so received (which
were inflicted upon deponent
by said defendant

with the felonious intent to ~~take the life of deponent~~ ^{deponent's} do ~~him~~ ^{deponent's} 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 16th day
 of July 1884

Thomas Howley
deponent

A. M. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

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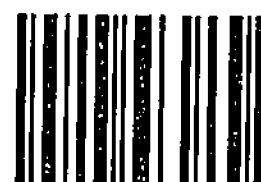
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DESCRIPTION:

Clark, George

DATE:

07/02/84



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4" Pin

John Drake

Agnes Hickey

4" Pin

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Counsel,

Filed 2 day of

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THE PEOPLE

215.

George Clark

PETER B. OLNEY.

~~JOHN JACKSON~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. Chapman

July 2 1887 Foreman

Plucks guilty—
S. I. Three years.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

George Clark

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

of Attempting to commit

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

The said George Clark

late of the ~~South~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 27th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four 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 John

Brooks, attempt to there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter,

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, the said John Brooks, within the said dwelling house, the said George Clark

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

Peter B. Olney
District Attorney

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
vs. THE COMPLAINANT OF

John Wickley
George Clark
Attorney

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Witnesses
John Wickley
George Clark
Street _____

Dated *June 29* 188
Magistrate.
Precinct.

No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
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 _____

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 *June 29* 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

George Clark

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.

520 W 52 St (resided there 4 yrs.)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Hatter

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.

George Clark

Taken before me this 29
day of March 1888
[Signature]
Police Justice.

0059

Police Court— District.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.:John Brooks
of No. 37 James Street, aged 42 years,
occupation Green being duly sworn.deposes and says, that the premises No 37 James Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a residence

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name John Brooks,

attempted to be

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly entering

the front room door on the second
floor of said premises the said
room being deponent's residence with
a Skeleton Keyon the 27 day of June 1884 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Gent's clothing

value 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

George Clark (now present)

for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that

deponent heard a noise
at the door of said room
deponent went from the front
room into the bedroom, from
a small window looking out
into the hallway deponent saw
George Clark having a key in
the lock trying to unlock the
doorSum to be paid to deponent
for the reasons following, to wit:
from the fact that deponent
heard a noise at the door of
said room deponent went from
the front room into the bedroom,
from a small window looking out
into the hallway deponent saw
George Clark having a key in the
lock trying to unlock the door

John Brooks

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Clinton, Michael J.

DATE:

07/22/84



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Witnesses:

From our examination
made by me of the facts
in this case ~~and~~ from
statements of deft &
Complainant enclosed
and certificate of charges
I am of opinion that a
conviction cannot be ob-
tained & I recommend
the discharge of bail and
that defendant go on his
own recognizance
Wm. April 17. 84
George McDermis
Clerk Dist. Ct.

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Hamburg
Berg

Counsel,

Filed 22 day of July 1884
Pleads Not Guilty (25)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Mid-east
Ginther*

Grand Larceny 2nd degree

[Sections 528, 531, — Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,

Disfranchisement Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

Wd. Nov 7. 84

Gray's Mitochondria
Mass Dist. Atty.

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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

Michael J. Clinton

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

Michael J. Clinton
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the Second degree, committed as follows:

The said Michael J. Clinton,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty-eighth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
feloniously did take from the
possession of one Robert M. Sengelin
the true owner thereof, certain property
to wit: eight promissory notes for the
payment of money of the kind known as
as. Bonds notes, the same being then and
there due and unsatisfied, for the payment
of and of the value of five dollars each,
and eight other promissory notes for the
payment of money of the kind known as
United States Treasury notes, the same
being then and there due and unsatisfied
for the payment of and of the value of
five dollars each, with intent to
deprive and fraud the said Robert
M. Sengelin of his said property and
of the use and benefit thereof, and
to appropriate the same to his
own use; and the said property

thereby then and there feloniously did steal, 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.

Peter B. O'Leary
District Attorney

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Police Court Trial District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Robert McLaughlin
342 Washington St.

Michael Clinton

BAILED,
No. 1, by Patrick Burns
Residence 48 Hudson Avenue
Street

No. 2, by
Residence
Street

No. 3, by
Residence
Street

No. 4, by
Residence
Street

Dated July 14 1884

Smith Magistrate.

1040 Officer.

Witnesses
No. Street.
No. Street.
No. Street.

No. 500 to answer Sessions.
Street.
1040

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 Clinton

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 July 14 1884 Solon Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated 14 July 1884 Solon 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 1884 Police Justice.

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OFFICE OF THE
Superintendent of Police,
Municipal Building,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Inspector Byrnes,
300 Mulberry St.
N. Y. City.

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ESTABLISHED 1866.
Office of
R. McLAUGHLIN,
Produce Commission Merchant,
Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Poultry & Game.

344 Washington St.,

New York, Nov 12 1884

Assist Dist Attorney Adams Esq
New York city

Dear Sir

I have not received any money
from Mr Jerry Weinberg in settlement of
Suet, McLaughlin vs Clinton. Mr Reilly
wanted me to sign a clear release for
\$40⁰⁰. I want \$52⁰⁰ Twelve of which
comes under Brooklyn jurisdiction.
Cash paid, and incidental expense was
\$62²⁵ I am will to drop the
\$10²⁵ for his benefit, just now
the case stands as it was

Yours respectfully
R. McLaughlin

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Clinton

G. Loring

1. The first step is to identify the problem or question that needs to be answered. This involves understanding the context and the specific requirements of the task.

2. Next, gather relevant information and data. This may involve research, consultation with experts, or collecting data from various sources.

3. Once the information is gathered, analyze it to identify patterns, trends, and key factors that influence the outcome.

4. Based on the analysis, develop a plan or strategy to address the problem. This plan should outline the steps to be taken and the resources required.

5. Implement the plan and monitor the progress. It is important to stay flexible and adjust the plan as needed based on the results and feedback.

6. Finally, evaluate the results and draw conclusions. This involves comparing the actual outcomes with the expected results and identifying areas for improvement.

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Received Brooklyn November 12, 1884
from Jerry A. Winters, counsel for Michael J.
Clinton, the sum of Forty dollars
\$40.00

Nov 12th Rec^d. Payment
R. M. Laughton

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Room No. 3, County Court House.

Brooklyn Nov 14 1884

Sir,

I have had a personal acquaintance with Michael Clinton for the past three years and have in that time seen him almost daily in the vicinity of the Court house where he was connected with the Sheriff's office.

From my observation of him & personal acquaintance I take pleasure in recommending him to your consideration as an industrious & faithful young man of whom his acquaintances speak well.

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I am Sir
Respectfully

John F. Clarke
Asst. Dist. Atty.

To.
Asst. Dist. Atty. Adams.

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Brooklyn, Nov. 15th, 1884

This is to certify that
 Michael Clinton has been
 a Special Deputy Sheriff
 in my office during the
 past three years, and that
 in every particular case
 he has conducted himself
 well, receiving high praise
 from those in whose
 employ he has been; and
 in his office business he
 has attended faithfully to
 his duties.

I have had, and
 have now, the utmost
 confidence in his intelli-

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ties and in his integrity
in matters of business. I
have trusted him in many
relations and always found
him honest and square."

Very Respectfully,
Lewis K. Stegman,
Sheriff.

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OFFICE OF THE
Superintendent of Police,

CITY OF BROOKLYN,

Cor. Court and Livingston Streets,

Brooklyn, June 21st, 1884.

Inspector-

This will introduce you to Michael J. Clinton, Deputy Sheriff of this County. A friend of his look a watch.

He would like to have some assistance to look for it. Do what you can for him, as he is a friend of mine.

Yours truly,
P. Campbell.
Supt.

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ORIGINALS

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Please insert all the
information in the
following table
for 1971.

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Sec. 151.

1 District Police Court.

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 any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:

Whereas, Complaint on oath has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by Robert Mc Loughlin

of No. 344 Washington Street, that on the 28 day of June 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit :

Good and lawful money

of the value of Forty Dollars,
the property of couplemant
w as taken, stolen, and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by Nicholas Blueton

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith bring him before me, at the 18 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 18 day of June 1888

Solomon Sturges
POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT. DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated 188

Magistrate

Officer

The Defendant

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

Officer

Dated 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest,

Native of

Age,

Sex

Complexion,

Color

Profession,

Married

Single,

Read,

Write,

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Sec. 198-200

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.*Michael Guiton*

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.

Michael Guiton

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Brooklyn

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

Answer.

46 blymer St Brooklyn - 1885

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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 gave the money to the man
who wrote the letter and I
expected to get the watch. I
am willing to make the
money good Michael Guiton*

Taken before me this

17

day of

July

188

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Sealed with Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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Police Court First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Robert Mc Loughlin
of No. 344 Washington Street, aged 52 years,
occupation Produce dealer being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that on the 28th day of June 1884 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money consisting
of eight five dollar bills and in
all of the amount and value
of forty 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 Michael Blinton for the

following reasons, to wit: On June
18th, 1884, deponent had his watch
stolen from his person. On said June
28th said Blinton came to deponent
and told him, that he knew the
persons who had stolen deponent's
watch, and that he had received a
letter from said persons, offering to
return said watch for a certain sum
of money. Said Blinton also showed said
letter to deponent. Said Blinton then
told deponent that for the sum of
forty dollars he said Blinton would
get deponent's watch and return it.

Sworn to before me this

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Notary Public

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to deponent. Deponent believing that the representations made to him by said Blinton were true, gave to said Blinton said sum of forty dollars. Said Blinton has since failed to get said watch for deponent or to return said money to deponent wherefore deponent charges said Blinton with making said representations with intent to cheat and defraud deponent and obtain from him the said sum of forty dollars. Deponent prays said Blinton may be arrested and held to answer as the law directs

Sworn to before me, Robert McLaughlin
this 12th of July 1884

Robert McLaughlin
Police Justice

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

Dated 1884

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

Dated 1884

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

Dated 1884

Police Justice

Police Court, District, 10

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Robert McLaughlin vs. Michael Blinton

Offence—LARCENY.

Dated July 12 1884

Sworn Magistrate.

Joe Maguire Officer.

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Witnesses, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

to answer Sessions.

Court of
General Sessions.

The People

vs.

Clinton.

Affidavit of

Michael J. Clinton.

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Court of General Sessions.

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 The People, &c., :
 - vs. - :
 Michael J. Clinton. :
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City and County of New-York, SS.:

Michael J. Clinton, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I am the defendant herein. A short time prior to the 21st. day of June last, at Kennedy's saloon, at No. 85 Clymer street, Brooklyn, the complainant, myself and a number of others were present, and the complainant then stated that he had lost his watch and offered one hundred dollars if he could obtain the return of it by a certain day. Kennedy's barkeeper then suggested to Mr. Mc'Loughlin, the complainant, that if anybody could get the watch I could probably obtain it for him. It was then understood that I should see what I could do to obtain the return of the watch. Thereupon, on the 21st. day of June, 1884, I obtained from P. Campbell, Superintendent of Police of the City of Brooklyn, a letter to Inspector Byrnes of New-York, which is annexed to my affidavit, and I went to Inspector Byrnes with said letter and obtained from a Sergeant at Police Headquarters in this City the endorsement upon said letter of June 21st., 1884. I then made a search through the pawn shops in the vicinity of Chatham, Houston and Canal streets and the Bowery, in this City. The complainant at one time during the search gave me \$12 to pay my expenses and \$5 at another time. On one of the days when I was making this search, shortly after the 21st. of June, on coming out of a pawn shop in the Bowery, I was accosted by a man who asked me if I was the party who was looking for the "Super" (meaning the watch), and I told him I was; he asked me if I was the party he saw in Simpson's and I said I was; and he then asked me how much it was worth to get the watch; I told him I did not know, and asked him how much it was worth; he asked me if I would give up \$40, and I said yes. He made an engagement to meet me the next day near Simpson's pawn shop in the Bowery. On the next day I went to the place appointed for the meeting and didn't find this man, but a boy came to me and gave me a letter, stating "Meet me at Prince and Crosby streets at half past two or three o'clock, and have the stuff with you the next day". I showed that letter to Mr. Mc'Loughlin, the complainant, that afternoon. I have not got this letter; it was torn up at the time I showed it to Mr. Mc'Loughlin; the letter contained a request that it be destroyed. Mr. Mc'Loughlin gave me the \$40 to pay for the watch. I then told Mr. Mc'Loughlin that I would meet him between five and six o'clock that day at Kennedy's. I then went about my business, and went to Prince and Crosby streets, as requested in the said letter, and after remaining there a short time the same man approached me and said "Well, have you got the stuff"? (meaning the \$40). I told him yes, and asked him if he had the watch; he said no, he did not have it with him, that he must have the money first; I told him I did not do business that way; then he said to me that it was immaterial to him, that if I didn't want the watch he didn't want the money. He then said to me "You know what we said together, that I would not allow no third

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party to be brought between". He didn't want to let me know anything about where he got the watch. So I gave him the \$40 and he said he would be back between twenty minutes and half an hour. I believed at the time I gave this man the money that he was acting in good faith with me, and I gave him the money intending to get the watch, and for no other purpose. This man I did not know before the time I saw him near the pawn shop on the Bowery, as above stated, but from his appearance and the way he talked I honestly believed that he intended to bring the watch, and I thought that I was justified in taking the risk that I did. I remained there waiting for the man about two hours, and then fearing that I had been deceived I went home. Either that or the next day I report^{ed} to Mr. Mc'Loughlin or his son Willie, I don't remember which; I told him what had been done. I don't know whether or not I saw Mr. Mc'Loughlin again after that. I did not know that Mr. Mc'Loughlin was going to make a criminal charge against me on account of this matter until I heard that the complaint had been made and that there was a warrant out for me. I had prior to this time told the son of Mr. Mc'Loughlin that I would try to make the money good and would pay him five dollars a week as soon as I got to work on the Island, where I expected to be engaged, and where I have been engaged since last summer as an officer. I also saw Mr. Campbell, the Chief of the Police of Brooklyn, and asked him to write a letter for me to Mr. Mc'Loughlin to the same effect, that I would pay this money back at the rate of five dollars a week as soon as I got the employment which I expected. I never intended to deprive Mr. Mc'Loughlin of his money, and whatever I did in this matter I did in good faith, believing that I was acting for the best interests and in such a way as would assure the recovery of the watch. The day after I was bailed from the Tombs I deposited with Mr. Wernberg, counsellor at law, 367 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, \$40, with instructions for him to pay it to Mr. Mc'Loughlin on his demand. That money has ever since remained and now remains in Mr. Wernberg's hands for the same purpose.

Sworn to before me, this : *Michael J. Clinton*
 17 day of November, 1884. : *James H. Haddam*
 Notary Public, N. Y. Co.

Mr. Mc'Loughlin, the complainant, states that the affidavit of Mr. Clinton, so far as to personal interviews between them is concerned, is in the main true, but he says that he does not remember that there was any appointment for him to meet Mr. Clinton, as he states, at Kennedy's saloon, nor did he know that there was a promise on his part to pay five dollars a week, or any other sum; that he went on several occasions to Mr. Clinton's house to find him but could get no satisfaction and could not find him, and did not see him until he was arrested under this proceeding.

James H. Haddam *Robt. Mc'Loughlin*

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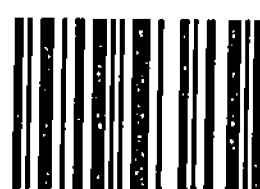
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Cole, James P.

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Pindar, William H.

DATE:

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Gail pay at
\$3000

Witnesses:

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In the preparation of the
case for trial against Cole,
it became necessary to add
Jeff Pindus as a witness on
behalf of the People, and
Pindus was notified of the
fact and agreed to testify.
Having accepted him
as a witness, and the
plea of guilty by Cole
being in all probability
induced by his knowledge
of the fact that Pindus would
appear against him, I
recommend that Jeff
Pindus be discharged
NY Oct. 23. 1884
J. P. 2
W. H. 23. 28.

Counsel,
Filed
Pleadings
23 day of July 1884
J. P. 2
W. H. 23. 28.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James P. Cole
2nd
William P. Pindus

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney.

Ch. W. G. Discharged by Court
A True Bill.

W. H. 23. 28.

Foreman.

W. H. 23. 28.

W. H. 23. 28.

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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 B. Cole, and
William H. Binder

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

James B. Cole and William H. Binder
of the CRIME OF Forgery in the said degree,

committed as follows:

The said James B. Cole and William
H. Binder, each

late of the — Third — Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York aforesaid, on the — 21st — day of — July — in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty four, at the Ward, City
and County aforesaid, with intent to defraud,
 feloniously did have in their pos-
session a certain forged and counter-
feited ticket and writing purporting
to entitle the holder thereof to a passage
upon the railway of the Manhattan
Railway Company, which said forged
and counterfeited ticket and writing is
as follows, that is to say:

Manhattan Railway
Good for one continuous
trip on any division
and upon the back of which are the words
and figures following that is to say:

Now this is
Copy not 10 before
entering the train.

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that the said James B. Cole and
William H. Cauden then and
there well knowing the same to
be forged and counterfeited and
with intent then and there
the said forged and counter-
feited ticket and writing to
procure to them, dispose of
and put off as true - 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

James B. Cole

James H. Cauden

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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 _____

It appearing from an examination of the returns in this case that the offence committed in Kings County, three before should be sent to the City Prison.

Witnesses: Edward Bleum
Facid Van Buren
William E. Frank
Central Office
A. Bladen Lane, 154 Nassau
Frank O. Hany, 113 Broadway
\$5000 to answer

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Edward Bleum
T. C.
James P. Cole
William H. Pendon
August C. Spitt
Offence Forgery

Dated July 3 1884
D. O'Reilly Magistrate
Inspector Hyman Officer

Police Court 2 District 1446

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 P. Cole, William H. Pendon, August C. Spitt guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of \$5000, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated July 3d 1884 Daniel C. Reilly 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.

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District Police Court.

William H. Pindar 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 H Pindar

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Hudson N.Y.

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

Answer. 2 Walden Ave Jersey City

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Telegraph operator

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

Answer.

I am guilty of selling some of those tickets. I got from Cole

W.H. Pindar

Taken before me this

day of

July

1884

Samuel O. Kelly Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

James P Cole

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. *James P Cole*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *36 Irving St Newark N.J.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Telegraph operator*

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

James P Cole

Taken before me this

day of

July

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Samuel J. Brady Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

August C. Spelt 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. *August C. Spelt.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *1873 Atlantic Ave Brooklyn*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Letter grapher*

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*
August C. Spelt.

Taken before me this *22*
day of *July* 188*8*
Samuel J. Kelly
Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT Secs DISTRICT.

Frank K. Hain
 of Albany Flat Broadway 51st Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
 says that on the _____ day of _____ 188____
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

That he is the General Manager
 of The Manhattan Railway Company
 That all tickets used by the said
 Company for passengers are
 issued by the direction of the
 defendant, that all the tickets used
 by the said Company are printed by
 The Franklin Bank Note Company
 doing business in the City of New York
 who are the only persons authorized
 by the said Manhattan Railway Company
 to make or print the said tickets.

That the tickets as printed by the
 said Franklin Bank Note Company are
 delivered by them to the General Ticket
 agent of the said Manhattan Railway Company
 who is under defendant's direction, and such
 tickets are thereafter distributed by the
 said General Ticket agent to the various
 Station agents of the said Manhattan
 Railway Company for sale to persons
 desiring passage on the Manhattan Railway
 in the City of New York. That the tickets
 so printed by the ~~Manhattan Railway Company~~
 Franklin Bank Note Company & so distributed
 by the General Ticket agent as aforesaid
 are the only genuine tickets of the said
 Manhattan Railway Company.

Frank K. Hain
 San'ee' Billy Police Justice

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

POLICE COURT—DISTRICT.

William E. Fink

of No. 300 ~~William~~ ^{1st} Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says that on the 1st day of July 1884at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he stated as follows

William H. Pindar, that on his person, when searched, were found ~~two~~ ^{one} ~~fraudulent~~ tickets of the Manhattan Railway Company, entitled or purporting to entitle the bearer for one continuous ride or trip on the Elevated Rail Road in the City of New York, that the said Pindar was found to contain the said tickets and fifty for additional tickets of the said Company. That two hundred and eighty two genuine tickets of said Company, which Pindar also was found to have. That the said Pindar told this deponent that he had received the said forged or counterfeit tickets from James P. Cole and was to give him in place thereof the genuine tickets of the said Manhattan Railway Company which he Pindar had taken from the Company, he being a Station Agent substituting forged tickets for the genuine ones which he gave to the said Cole.

That the said James P. Cole stated to this deponent in substance that Pindar was one of the persons whom he had taken in to the station to take care of the

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of the Manhattan Railway Company
the found one that he was
bound to go to the
...
... 1884

William E. Frank

Served before me
this 3^d day of July 1884
Samuel O'Reilly Police Justice

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRIDA VIT.

vs.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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STATE OF NEW YORK.
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.POLICE COURT Second DISTRICT.of No. 3132 Sixth Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says that on the _____ day of _____ 188

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

That he is the Vice President & Manager
of the Franklin Bank Note Company
located at 154 Nassau Street
in the City of New York. That the said
Franklin Bank Note Company is the
creator of the Memorandum Receipts
which are the tickets of the
Grand Railway Company. That
he has examined the tickets
found on the person of William H
Parker by the tickets attached
to this affidavit and that from
the pattern of tickets so found on
the person of the said Parker is
a counterfeited ticket printed by the
Franklin Bank Note Company. That
deponent has examined the bills
stamped containing the tickets to be
the tickets of the Grand Railway
Company now in the possession of Captain
Byrne at Police Station No. 1 and which
were found on the person of deponent & C.
August C. Speth, were not made
by the said Franklin Bank Note
and the tickets in sheets are counterfeited
of the tickets printed by the Franklin
Bank Note Company for the said Grand
Railway Company.

Sworn to before me

Samuel Kelly Police Justice

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

POLICE COURT—DISTRICT.

Jacob Von Gerichten
 of No. *300 Wm. St.* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
 says ~~that~~ on the *evening of 2nd* day of *July* 188*4*
~~at the City of New York, in the County of New York,~~ *he searched the*

residence of James P. Cole 35
Dwight Street Woodside New York
and he there found about
Eighteen Thomas and 1 for sale on
Contrafit ten cents tickets of the
M. & N. H. R. Co. of New York City
and also two for sale of
ten cents tickets of said N. Y. & N. H. R. Co.
containing in all about six
hundred 10 cent tickets. He also
two hand stamps used for
the purpose of recording number
of the tickets of the N. Y. & N. H. R. Co.
at the place of sale.

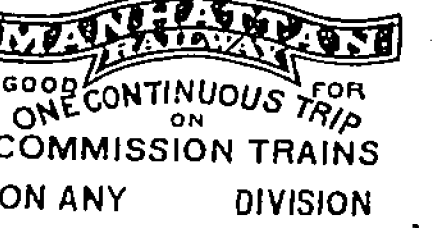
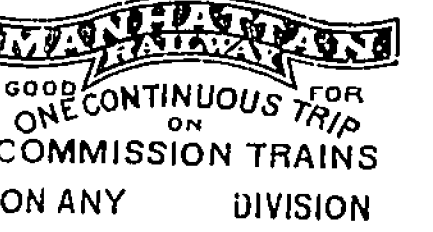
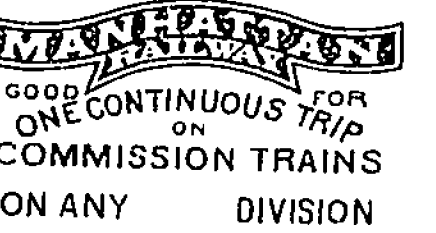
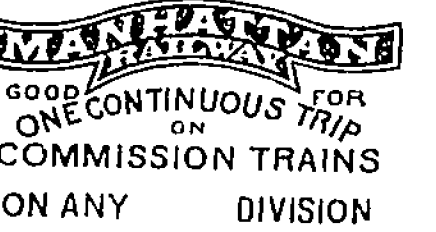
Jacob Von Gerichten

Sworn to before me

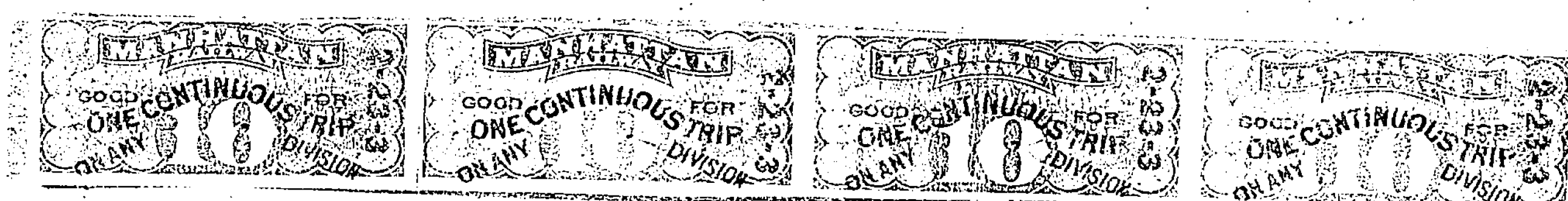
this 3 day of July 1884

Samuel Kelly Police Justice

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

POLICE COURT—

2d DISTRICT.

Edward Slevin

of No. 300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says that on the _____ day of _____, 1884

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

James P. Cole, William B. Pindar and August b. Speth now here, did falsely and feloniously make, forge, counterfeit and utter a certain printed ticket hereto annexed and purporting to be a ticket of the Manhattan Railway Company and good for one continuous trip on any division of the Elevated Railway in the City of New York. That as this deponent is informed by Frank K. Bain, General Manager of the Manhattan Railway Company and the Vice President of the Franklin Bank Note Company, that the said ticket is false and forged, that the same was not issued or authorized by the Manhattan Railway Company.

Deponent charges on the 1st day of July, 1884, in the City and County of New York, that the said James P. Cole, William B. Pindar and August b. Speth did make, forge and utter said ticket with intent to cheat and defraud the Manhattan Railway Company.

That deponent on the 2nd day of July, 1884, at the City of New York arrested August b. Speth who was accused of printing the false and forged ticket, one of which is hereto attached; that the said Speth admitted in my presence that he had printed 21,000, of said forged tickets; that he said Speth told me that some of the said tickets were

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at his house No 1873 Atlantic Avenue, Brook-
lyn, New York; that deponent went over to
the house of the said Speth and there found
ten lithographic stones for five and ten
cent tickets of the Manhattan Railway
company, and also a large quantity
of tickets of said company which are false
and forged, also a printing press used
for the printing of said tickets.

Edward Slavin

Sworn to before me
This 3^d day of July 1884
Samuel C. Berthoff Police Justice

Witnesses

Detention

etc

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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Established 1842.

OFFICE OF

Established 1842

W. DAZIAN,

IMPORTER & MANUFACTURER OF

THEATRICAL GOODS,

COSTUMERS' SUPPLIES.

GYMNASIUM OUTFITS.

MILITARY TRIMMINGS.

SOCIETY GOODS.

26 UNION SQUARE.

New York, Oct 20th 1884
To Whom it May Concern
This is to
Certify that we have known one
J. P. Cole - for the past two years or
so, and in what ever business
transactions we have had with
him we have all ways found him
straight forward. Honorable &
We feel very
sorry for his present misfortune
and would ask the Mercy of the
Court in his behalf.
Very Respic
W. Dazian

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Southfield

Oct. 21st

Mr. John C. Costello

Sir:

In answer to your
telegram just received
enquiring the character
of James P. Cole, I
can say he was reared
near here, by respectable
parents who were considered
good people. I always
supposed him to be

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an excellent young man
and never heard a word
said against him.

I am sorry to hear
he is in trouble

Yours truly
Elizabeth McMillen
(Mrs J. F. McMillen)

To
Mrs J. C. Costello.

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The People
or
Cole & Purman

Memoirs of William
H. -

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

People New York, 2 188

^{vs}
Cole & Pinar

That the tickets secured
to the lithographic stones
were not made by his
Co. but counterfeits &c.

Robt. Stewart Supt. of
the Co. to same point.

M. J. Frink Detective American

Pinar - found tickets on
his person. Pinar made
admissions - also Cole -

Frank K. Hair - Supt. Mass.
Railway Co - All their tickets
are printed by Franklin Co. that
Co. alone authorized -

Also subpoena ^{the} End Ticket agent.

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The People
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,
New York, Sept 3, 1884

Cole & Peindler Co
merchants
Edward Stearns
detectives

Amstel Spith and Seachurn
his name & found counterfeit
tickets - that Cole & Peindler
on July 1st were there
counterfeit tickets

Jacob Von Goretchen Stearns
searched deft Coles residence
& found 18000 forged tickets
there &c.

Adelupion Cary vice pres
Franklin Bank Note Co. 154
Massachusetts - His Co. prints
the Man-Railway Tickets

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Prison Association of New York,

CHARTERED 1846.

Theodore W. Dwight, L. L. D., President.
Charlton T. Lewis, Chairman Executive Committee.
Cornelius B. Gold, Treasurer.
Eugene Smith, Secretary.
Wm. M. F. Round, Corresponding Secretary.
Stephen Cutter, General Agent.

Office of Corresponding Secretary,

65 BIBLE HOUSE,

The people
versus
James P Cole

New York, October 18th 1884

My intercourse with the prisoner in the last two or three months, induces me to commend him to the favorable consideration of the presiding Judge.

Aside from the hope I have that the prisoner will appreciate the favor and make a good use of being sent to the State Reformatory at Elmira, I have a deep sympathy for his gentle wife and those lovely children, one little girl of 2½ years and 2 boys of 5 and 7 years. These 4 individuals are innocent, de facto. I have several times obtained permission ~~from~~ them to visit him in the Counsellors room, rather than in a prison cell. ~~that with right views of this unfortunate prisoner would not ask for justice without mercy. we are all human and liable to err, and all need mercy day by day.~~

I trust your honor will decide to send James P Cole to Elmira, that he may return to his family and to free life determined to be a good husband, and father, for the remainder of his days.

Respectfully Yours

S Cutter

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New York, October 18th 1884

My intercourse with the prisoner in the last two or three months, induces me to commend him to the favorable consideration of the presiding Judge.

Aside from the hope I have that the prisoner will appreciate the favor and make a good use of being sent to the State Reformatory at Elmira, I have a deep sympathy for his gentle wife and those lovely children, one little girl of 2½ years and 2 boys of 5 and 7 years.

These 4 individuals are innocent, de facto. I have several times obtained permission ~~from~~ them to visit him in the Comptroller's room, rather than in a prison cell. ~~It is my~~ that with right views of this unfortunate prisoner would not ask for justice without mercy. we are all human and liable to err, and all need mercy day by day.

I trust your honor will decide to send James P. Cole to Elmira, that he may return to his family and to free life determined to be a good husband, and father, for the remainder of his days.

Respectfully Yours

S. Cutler

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Court of General Sessions, N.Y. City.

The People of the
State of New York
against
James P. Cole,
and ano.

City and County of New York, ss:

Charles Saver
being duly sworn says; that he is of
the age of fifty-five years and is, and
has been for the past thirty years,
a resident in the City and County
of New York, where he at present,
and has for the past eighteen
years, occupies the position
of "Superintendent of ~~The Royal~~
~~The National City Bank, and N.Y. Life and Trust Co.~~
~~Insurance~~ Buildings ~~Numbered~~
~~at~~ 52 Wall Street". That he
is well acquainted with James
P. Cole one of the defendants above
named having known him for
the past fifteen years and
that he was also well acquainted
with the parents of said Cole
in their lifetime that his
father was a man who was
eminently respected and his
mother a most estimable lady.
That he knew said James P.
Cole as a child and has known

J.C.B.

him continuously ever since.
 That he knows many persons
 who are well acquainted with
 said Cole and has never heard
 anything said by anyone against
 J.C.C. ^{previous to his indictment on this present charge.}
 his character. That believing
 said Cole to be an honest
 young man he has received
 him at his house where, as
 on all other occasions of their
 meeting, he has always found
 him a frank, open, and straight
 forward young man.

Deponent desires to say further
 that it is not through the solicitation
 of any person or persons that he
 makes this statement but that he
 makes it purely with the hope
 of showing to This Honorable Court
 that James P. Cole is not thoroughly
 bad and that in its mercy it
 may extend to him that clemency
 which may be the means of reform-
 ing him and returning him to the
 world a reformed man with
 the solemn resolve to live an honest
 upright life.

Sworn to before
 me this 23^d day of October
 1887

C. E. Tamer

John C. Costello
 Notary Public
 (74) N. Y. Co.

0110

Court of General Sessions in city of N.Y.

The People vs, }
against
James P. Cole ^{and} }
and

City and County of New York, SS:

John B. Wood
being duly sworn says: That he is
a produce commission merchant doing
business at Number 178 Chambers Street
in the City of New York and has been
so engaged for the past eleven years;
that he well knew Robert M. Cole
father of James P. Cole, above named
in his lifetime; that he used to meet
said Robert M. Cole frequently, often
spending much time in his company
and that he never knew him to be
anything else than a good respectable
man, and that such was the general
reputation of said Robert M. Cole.

Deponent says that he never
knew James P. Cole, him named as
one of the defendants above, until
about six years ago, but that
since, he has met him frequently and
always thought him as he found him
an honest respectable young man;
that he is well acquainted with
many people who know said

James P. Cole and that he has
never heard of anything against
the character of said J. P. Cole
until this present charge was brought
against him.

Sworn to before me *3* *John D. Wood*
this 23^d day of October 1884
John B. Costello
Notary Public
(74) N. Y. Co.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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Court of General Sessions in N.Y. City.

The People vs, }
against }
James P. Cole }
Ind and.

City and County of New York, ss:

Denis Daly,
being duly sworn says: That he
is the Secretary and one of the two
managers of The Irish Emigrant
Society Number 81 Chambers
Street in the City of New York; that
he has been such Secretary for
the past eleven years; that
he is well acquainted with James
P. Cole one of the defendants
above named having known
him and his family for the past
fifteen years. That Robert M.
Cole and his wife, father and
mother of said James P. Cole
were always considered highly
respectable people enjoying the
confidence of all good people of
Southfields, Orange County, N.Y.,
where they resided; that he
always found James P. Cole above
named to be a person worthy the
respect of honest people; that
he is well acquainted with

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a number of persons who know
said James P. Cole and that
until the bringing of this present
charge he has never heard of
anything against his character.

Sworn to before me this
23. day of October, 1884.

John C. Costello
Notary Public
(74) N. Y. Co.

James Cole

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1480

DESCRIPTION:

Collins, Thomas

DATE:

07/02/84



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Witnesses:

Oppm McCombs

20th Court

Let apper in
app. family
behearer.

Cur Company
Cur. - Property
McCombs,

FA

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Counsel,

Filed 2 day of

Pleads

July 1884
Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

I

Thomas Collins

1st. 1st.

Buyling, Dore and Lawrence,
(Sections 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, and 112.)
and Receiving Stolen Goods,
Larceny,
Burglary,
and Receiving Stolen Goods,
(Sections 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, and 112.)

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN M. MCMON~~

District Attorney.

July 8. 1884

Pleads P.L.

A TRUE BILL.

Don Chapman

Foreman.

Grave Plot

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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0116

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 Collins

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

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE *Second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Collins*

late of the *Twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *24th* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, 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 William J. Donogh*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter,

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one *Eva Donogh* within the said dwelling house, the said *Thomas Collins*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods chattels and personal property of *the said William J. Donogh*, 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 Collins
of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND~~ LARCENY ~~IN THE~~ DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Thomas Collins

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said Twenty
fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty- four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the
night time of said day, with force and arms, one clock

of the value of four dollars
and fifty cents.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one William J. Dougherty
Dougherty in the dwelling house of one the
said William J. Dougherty, there situate, then and there being found
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.

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THIRD COUNT.

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

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

The said Thomas Collins

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said Twenty
fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-four, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, one sack of the value
of four dollars and fifty
cents.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one William
J. Strong
by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously stolen of the said William J. Strong

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have (the said

Thomas Collins

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN McLEOD~~

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 District. 2/436
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Eva Brown
430 West 135th St.
Thomas Collins
Jury
Dated June 27 188
White Magistrate.
McConnell & Kelly Officer.
Witnesses Sarah Stanley
No. 40 West 38th Street.
Call the Officers
No. _____ Street,
Cui prima jury 27/88
No. _____ Street,
to answer
Court

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 Collins

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 June 27 188
C. J. F. 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.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Thomas Collins 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 Collins

Question. How old are you?

Answer

16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

442 West 35 Street six years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Paper Factory

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 a man gave me the cloth to pawn

TC

Thomas Collins

Taken before me this *27* day of *June* 189*4*
Charles J. Smith
Police Justice.

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Police Court—2 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 420 West 35th St Eva Hough Street, aged 27 years,
occupation Married Woman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 420 West 35th St Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Two Story Brick Building
Near House in the 20th Ward

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling
and in which there was at the time being by name Charles J. Farley

Sarah J. Farley William Hough and deponent
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly Raising a

Window leading from a balcony to the
above apartments

on the 24th day of June 188X in the Night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One eight day black walnut
clock of the value of Four
Dollars & Fifty Cents

the property of Deponent and her husband Wm J Hough
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 Collins
for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent saw the

said window closed on the night of the 24th day
of June 1884 at the hour of eleven o'clock
and ten minutes when deponent was
retiring for the night and deponent

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Awoke at the hour of Three o'clock
A.M. on the morning of the 25th day of
June 1884 and found the said Window
open and deponent went to the Mantle
piece to see what time it was and missed
the aforesaid clock and deponent was
informed by Matthew McCormell an
officer of the 20th District Police that
he found the aforesaid clock in the
possession of defendant and deponent
identified the clock found in possession
of said defendant as the property taken
stolen and carried away as aforesaid

Sworn to before me
this 25th day of June 1884 } Emma Hough
Sunderland 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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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1480

DESCRIPTION:

Connelly, William

DATE:

07/16/84



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1480

DESCRIPTION:

O'Brien, James

DATE:

07/16/84



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No 89

Counsel,
Filed 16 day of July 1884
Pleads

Witnesses:

THE PEOPLE
vs.
William Connolly
and
James O'Brien
Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,
and Exit from the
[Sections 498, 506, 529 and 532]

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

George V. Jackson

Spent Clerk
Foreman.
July 16/84 J.P.

0125

0126

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Connolly
and James O'Brien

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

William Connolly and James O'Brien

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

The said *William Connolly and*
James O'Brien, each

late of the *Seventh* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *July* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force
and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain _____ building
there situate, to wit: the *Office* of one *Calvin*

Tampkins, _____

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some
crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

_____ *Calvin Tampkins,* _____

in the said *Office* 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

William Connolly and James O'Brien

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY
committed as follows:

The said *William Connolly and*
James O'Brien, each

late of the *Seventh* Ward of the City of New York in the
County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *twelfth* day of
July — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eighty-*four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night*
time of said day, with force and arms,

one ring of the value of five dollars;
one paper-weights of the value of one dollar, one stamp of the value of three dollars, one ink stand of the value of one dollar, one pad-lock of the value of twenty cents and twenty keys of the value of ten cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Calvin Tompkins*, — in the *office* of the said *Calvin Tompkins*, there situate, then and there being found, in the *office* 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.

Peter B. O'Hara,
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 34
District.

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

Calvin Stanton
387 23rd St.

William Connors
James O'Brien

Offence
Burglary
& Larceny

Dated Aug 13 1884

William Magistrate.
Callahan Officer.
13 Precinct.

Witness Samuel Callahan
13 West 10th St.

James Mitchell
313 West 13th St.

No. _____
Street, _____
to answer _____
Sam. back
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 _____

William Connors and James O'Brien
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five
each 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 Aug 13 1884 W. 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.

J District Police Court.

James C. Brinn 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 C. Brinn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *12 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *I don't know*

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

Answer. *654 Water St. 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I have none*

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*

James C. Brinn
(Mark)

Taken before me this

day of

July

1884

James C. Brinn

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

William Connelly 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 Connelly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *14 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *364 Madison St. 3 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I have none*

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*
William Connelly

Taken before me this

day of

1884

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 50 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 13th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 15th
day of July 1888

J. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

Timothy J. Callaghan

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

I,
aged 33 years, occupation Night Watchman of No. 315 East 32nd Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Calvin J. J. J.
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 13th
day of May 1888

A. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

James. Mitchell

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0133

Police Court—3^d District.

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

of No. 387 South Calvin Tomkins Street, aged 26 years,

occupation Construction Supplies being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 387 South Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building in the

7th Ward of the City of New York

and which was occupied by deponent as an office

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

Becke and
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the
rear window of said office at
about the hour of 8 o'clock P.M.

on the 12th day of July 1884 in the Night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

one spy-glass, one glass paper weight,
one plated rubber stamp, one
ink molder, a pad lock and
branch of keys, said property being
in all of the value of fifteen
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

William Connolly and James O'Brien,

with him (himself),

for the reasons following, to wit: that said office was
securely closed and fastened at
about the hour of 7 1/2 o'clock P.M. of

said day, and said property was then
within said office. That on the

morning of the 13th instant deponent
discovered that said office had

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been broken open and said property
 stolen therefrom. That defendant
 is now fully informed by James
 Mitchell, here present, that he,
 said Mitchell, then saw the
 defendant Connolly, and three
 other boys, climb over the fence
 into the yard of defendant said
 premises behind rear of said office,
 and defendant is further informed
 by officer Callahan, here present,
 that he, said officer, arrested
 said defendants and found said
 stolen property in their possession.

Sworn to before me this
 13th day of July 1884 Edwin Tompkins
 J. W. Patterson
 Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Dated _____ 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Street.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1480

DESCRIPTION:

Cortesi, Guiseppe

DATE:

07/11/84



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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No 63.

Day of Trial, *Sept 11*
Counsel, *Edw. M. Lynde*
Filed, 11 day of July 1884
Pleads *Not Guilty*

Assault in the First Degree. (1884 & 218)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Quinn's Case

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN JACKSON~~

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

George J. Jackson

Foreman.

Aug. 18, 1884

discharged on his own

recognizance

John J. Jackson

Witnesses:

*The Complainant in above
case cannot be found
& there being no proof
the people cannot
prove their case I consent*

that deft. be discharged

M. J. Aug. 18, 1884

Indigent

Appl. Dist. Atty.

0137

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Giuseppe Cortesi

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Giuseppe Cortesi*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Seventh* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Arnoldo Gallo* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Arnoldo Gallo* with a certain *knife* which the said *Giuseppe Cortesi*

in *his* 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 *in* the said *Arnoldo Gallo* 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

Giuseppe Cortesi

of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:

The said *Giuseppe Cortesi*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Arnoldo Gallo* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *in* the said *Arnoldo Gallo* with a certain *knife* which the said *Giuseppe*

Cortesi in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

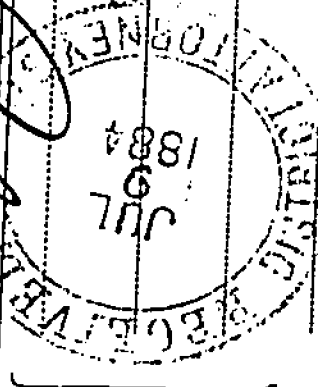
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BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
OF THE COMPLAINANT OF

Gerardo Valle
61 Mulberry St.
Giuseppe Cortesi



Offence *Fel. Assault*
And Battery

Dated *July 7* 188*4*

Magistrate
William H. Smith

Witnesses
Micaela Colaninno

No. *59 1/2* *Madison* Street

No. _____ Street

No. *504* *First* Street
to answer Sessions.

Decker

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 *Giuseppe Cortesi*

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 *July 7* 188*4* *Salomon 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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District Attorney's Office.

Part One

PEOPLE

vs.

Giuseppe Cortesi

Monday Aug 18th

Served

Count of Gulchassano

The People

and

Giuseppe Cortesi

vs

Off Wm Holder

Peter O'Brien

dict of the

No 32 (Hampden St)

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Court of General Sessions

The People

vs

Giuseppe Cortesi

City and County of New York ss:

William Holder, being duly sworn deposes & says That he is an Officer attached to the 6th Precinct, and resides at No 1630 Second Avenue in the City of New York. That on the 18th day of August 1884 he called at No 61 Mulberry Street, the alleged place of residence of the Complainant in this case, but could not find him and was informed by residents & occupants of said premises, that he, Gerald Gally the Complainant had gone to the Country.

That on said day he called at No 59 1/2 Mulberry Street the alleged place of residence of Nicola Calomchia a witness in this case but could not find him, and was informed by the occupants of said premises that said Calomchia was gone to Italy and deponent was unable to learn anything more definite in regard to their whereabouts.

Sworn to before me

aug 18 1884

William Holder

Charles J. McLaughlin
Commissioner of the Court

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK }

First District Police Court.

Giuseppe Cortese 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. Giuseppe Cortese

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Italy

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

Answer. 61 Mulberry Street, and 8 months.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laborer

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

Answer. The Complainant struck me with his fist ^{then} I then stabbed him with a knife

Giuseppe Cortese
his mark

Taken before me this
day of July 1888
John J. Smith
Police Justice

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Police Court First District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

of No.

age 30 years Laborer.

Geraldo Gallo
61 Mulberry

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Monday the 7th day of July

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

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Giuseppe
Cortesi (now here) who did
wilfully and feloniously stab
and cut deponent on the left
shoulder with a knife which
he the said Giuseppe held in
his hand, inflicting a serious
wound. That the said
Giuseppe assaulted deponent
as aforesaid

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 7 day
of July 1888

Edouard Smith
POLICE JUSTICE.

Geraldo Gallo
mark

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DESCRIPTION:

Crawford, Walter

DATE:

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Counsel,
Filed 22 day of July 1884
Pleads Not Guilty 23

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Walter Crawford
et al.
332 East
moules.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN WILKINSON~~

I W. left 1/24.
District Attorney.
Med. removed.

A TRUE BILL.

George J. Sullivan

154m J. P. Foreman
Juguet J. P.

Witnesses:

James B. Sullivan

Suphas Don
a man in
S.P.

J.P.

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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

Walter Crawford

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

Walter Crawford
of the crime of Rodney IN THE First DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Walter Crawford

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the Second day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty four at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon
one John Van Dusen, then and there being, feloniously did
make an assault upon the said Walter Crawford, then and there
aided by an accomplice actually present whose name is to the Grand Jury
unknown, and ten 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; 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 ten dollars, and of the value
of ten 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 five dollars, and of the
value of five 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 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; 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 twenty
dollars each; twenty 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; twenty 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; twenty 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; twenty
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, divers coins of the United
States of America, of a number, kind and de-
nomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid un-
known, of the value of one dollar and
thirty cents, and one pocket book of the value
of one dollar, of the goods, chattels and
personal property of the said John Van
Dusen, from the person of the said John
Van Dusen, against the will and by
violence to the person of the said John
Van Dusen, then and there violently
and feloniously did rob,

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN W. WATSON, District Attorney.

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Police Court-- 2d District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

John Van Deusen

of No 152 West 20th Street, Aged 43 Years

Occupation Janitor being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 2d day of July 1884, at the 18th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

A pocket book containing good and lawful money consisting of divers bills of divers denominations of the value of Two hundred and seventy one dollars and silver and nickel coin of the value of one dollar and thirty cents all of the value of Two hundred and twenty two dollars and thirty cents \$272³⁰/₁₀₀

day of

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice.

of the value of the property of John Nicholas Richard R. Tracy Mrs Marshall and 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 force and violence as aforesaid by

Walter Cranford (now here) and another whose name is unknown that about 20 minutes to eight o'clock P M on said date the deponent was in the cellar of premises no 152 West 20th Street when he saw said Cranford and another man whose name is unknown in said cellar. That immediately said Cranford walked towards deponent and threw a quantity of red pepper in deponent's eyes. That deponent caught hold of said Cranford by the shirt collar and called help several times when

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said Crawford threw some more pepper
in his eyes and said Crawford caught
hold of deponent by the arms and
~~and~~ said deponent was struck in
the head with some hard substance
by said unknown man and both
Crawford and said unknown man
attempted to throw him down and
in their attempt deponent fell their
hands in the pockets of the pants
brought him and then vom by deponent
and when said pocket book containing
said money was contained ^{That} they then
and then threw him ^{said deponent down} and ran
away and immediately thereafter deponent
discovered that his pocket containing said
money had been feloniously stolen as
aforesaid

John Van Buren

Sworn to before me this
11th day of July 1884

J. H. McNeill
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named ~~defendant~~
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and ~~he be admitted to bail in the same of~~
~~Hundred Dollars~~ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, ~~until he give such bail~~
Dated July 11 1884
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1884
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Police Justice

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Police Court, 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

John Van Buren
160 West 20 Street

1 Walter Crawford

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Dated July 11 1884

J. H. McNeill Magistrate.

J. H. Price 29 Officer.

W. E. Clerk.

Witness, George Egan

No. 160 W 20th Street,

Mabel Egan

No. 160 W 20th Street,

Officer

No. Street,

\$ Comm. to answer General Sessions.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Walter Crawford 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. Walter Crawford

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 332 E 21st St - 4 mo

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. 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.

It is all false
Walter Crawford

Taken before me this

day of July 188

J. J. McLaughlin
Police Justice

City of New York: James
Crawford - 33 years of age - residing at 332
E 21st St. plumber & gas fitter being duly
sworn or sworn in behalf of Dept. City,

I reside with my wife & family. Dept
is my brother & resides with me. On the
evening of July 2 - he came home at 7 o'clock
& did not leave the home again until the
next morning. He had come home at that hour
and remained home all night every night for the
past 3 months. The next morning he had no money
and asked me for 10 cents to get a drink
and I gave him 10 cents.
11 day of July 1884 J. J. McLaughlin - Police Justice
Walter Crawford

Sworn before me this
11 day of July 1884

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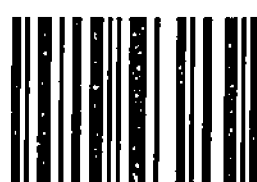
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Cummings, William

DATE:

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Nethercoat, Stephen

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Every reasonable attempt
has been made to
obtain attendance of
the complainant, but
he cannot be found,
and there is no
reasonable hope of obtaining
such attendance. No
other evidence can be
offered in support of
the charge in this
indictment
My Dec 8 1884
J. W. McKeown
Prosecutor

No 2 Bk - July 10
Filed 10 day of July 1884
Pleads
Counsel, J. W. McKeown
vs.
THE PEOPLE
William Cummings
and Peter
Stephen Wetherwood
Robbery in the
1st Degree
(Sections 224 and 225)
PETER B. O'NEVY
JOHN McKEOWN
District Attorney
2. County Court
A True Bill.
George J. McKeown
Foreman
J. W. McKeown
J. W. McKeown
Ch. 1
Discharged by Court
and his own resignation

The District Attorney has made every
possible attempt to find the
complainant in this case,
but has failed. This is the
only evidence for the people.
In view of these facts, I recommend
that the defendant be discharged
in his own resignation.
J. W. McKeown
District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against

William Cummings
and Stephen Wethercock

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse, William Cummings and Stephen Wethercock of the CRIME OF ROBBERY IN THE First DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said William Cummings and Stephen Wethercock, each

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-first day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Henry Moly and

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault each of them the said William Cummings and Stephen Wethercock being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present) and two metal coins of the United States of America of the kind known as five cent pieces of the value of five cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Henry Moly from the person of said Henry Moly and against the will and by violence to the person of the said Henry Moly then and there violently and feloniously did rob, 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,

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN JACKSON~~ District Attorney.

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District Attorney's Office.

Part One

PEOPLE

vs.

Stephen Kethercoat

July 13. 1885

All served

as entered

*Complainant
should be
committed to*

~~without bail~~

H. D.

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District Attorney's Office.

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PEOPLE

vs.

Stephen Nethercoat

Monday July 13. /83-

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July 13.
Counsel notified*

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*Langdon Nethercoat
Brother - RSM*

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Form No. 1.

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Court of General Session
32 thirty two Chambers St N.Y.

Please hold case of Nethercott,
will be in court at one o'clock and
am ready detained now by will
business Michael H. Ligerson

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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 District 1443
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
vs. William Cummings
Charged with Robbery
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1887
JULY 13
OFFICE OF THE CLERK
OFFENCE Robbery
Dated June 30 1887
Magistrate John H. H. H.
Officer McCauley & Lupton
Precinct 13
Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
to answer \$ 1000 W. J. L.
Carroll

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 Cummings

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he 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 he give such bail.

Dated June 30 1887 John H. H. H. Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1887 _____ 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 _____ 1887 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

3rd District Police Court.

William Cummings 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 Cummings*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *480 Cherry Street, since last October*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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*
Wm. Cummings

Taken before me this *28*
day of *June* 188*8*
John J. Brown
Police Justice.

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Police Court 3rd District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

a Salceman Henry Maltz aged 38 years
of No 698 Water Street,

being duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that on the 29 day of June
1884, at the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, in the County
of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent
by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ:

good and lawful money of the United
States consisting of two Nickel coins
of the value of five cents Each in all

of the value of Ten cents
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 force and violence as aforesaid by

William Cummings (now here) and
Stephen Wethercat, and another person
not arrested and whose name is
unknown to deponent from the fact,
that at the hour of about 4 o'clock
in the morning of said 29th day of June
1884 deponent was walking along
Corlear Street and when on the corner
of Cherry Street, the said three defendants
came up to deponent, when said unknown
person seized hold of deponent from
behind, and held deponent while said
Cummings placed his hand in the

day of

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Peace Justice.

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right hand pocket of the Pants worn
upon deponents person, and which pocket
contained the within described Nickel Coin
and took the same by force and violence
from deponent as aforesaid,
said Butcher took a pipe from
deponents Mouth at the time said
unknown person held deponent

Sworn to before me this 1 Henry Holz
30th day of June 1884

John Gorman Police Justice

Police Court— District.

AFFIDAVIT—ROBBERY.
THE PEOPLE, & c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witnesses:

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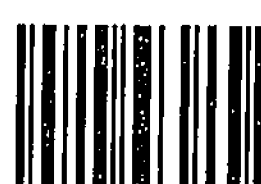
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Curtis, Michael

DATE:

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