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1856
DESCRIPTION:
Baker, John

DATE:
08/05/85

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Witnesses:

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Mrsw

Counsel,

Filed 5 day of Aug 1885

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John Baker

Grand Larceny in the 2nd degree.
(MONEY.)
(Sec. 528 and 531, Penal Code.)

1st Grand Larceny

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John F Scott
Aug 6/85

Lewis D. L. *Foreman.*

Recd Dec 1885

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Police Court— 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Julia O'Toole

of No. 60 Elm Street, aged 58 years, occupation Keep a Lafayette Store being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 14th day of July 1883 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 to the amount and value of thirty two 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 John Baker (now here) from the fact that on the above date deponent had said money in a sachel and the sachel was in a market basket in deponents store. deponent left said store for about thirty minutes and when she went out defendant was in said store. And when deponent returned she immediately missed said money and defendant had also gone. defendant has since admitted and confessed in the presence of deponents son and Officer John Cottrell of the 6th Precinct Police that he did take said money. Wherefore

Sworn to before me, this ___ day of ___ 188__

Police Justice

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deponent Charges the said Defendant with feloniously taking stealing and Carrying away the aforesaid property from deponents store 60 Elm St. said City

Julia A Foote

Sworn to before me this 25th day of July 1883

Solon D Smith

Police Justice

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

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

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

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

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 ---------- 188 ---------- *Police Justice.*

I have admitted the above named

Police Court, ----------

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

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Dated ----------

Witnesses, ----------

No. ----------

No. ----------

No. ----------

$ ---------- *to answer* ----------

District. *Offence*—LARCENY.

188 *Magistrate. Officer. Clerk.* *Street, Street, Street, Sessions.*

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Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

121 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John Baker

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 14 Franklin st about 8 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Printing

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

Answer. I am not guilty

John J. Baker

Taken before me this 7 *day of* 1888

Police Justice

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

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

Dated July 25th 188 3 Solomon B Smith *Police Justice.*

I have admitted the above-named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

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Police Court— 1st 78 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Julia O'Toole

vs.

John Baker

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Offence Larceny

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated July 25th 1885

Smith Magistrate

John Cottrell Officer.

6 Precinct.

Witnesses James O'Toole

No. 60 Elm Street.

No. Street,

No. Street,

$500 to answer G.S.

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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

[illegible]

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

— [illegible] —

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE [illegible] DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said [illegible],

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the [illegible] day of [illegible], in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty- [illegible], at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the — [illegible] — time of the same day, [illegible] one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars ——— ; [illegible] 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 [illegible] ; [illegible] 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 [illegible] ; [illegible] 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 [illegible] ; [illegible] 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 [illegible]; [illegible] promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars ——— ; [illegible] 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 [illegible] ; [illegible] 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 [illegible] ; and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of [illegible] dollars,

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels, and personal property of one ——— ~~on the person of the said~~ [illegible], then and there being found, ~~from the person of the said~~ ——— then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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BOX:
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Banes, Samuel

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Witnesses:

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Upon the affidavits of Louis Dorsin & Jacob Last, hereto attached, I recommend that the indictment herein be dismissed, & the bail discharged from further liability. RBM

N.Y. Mar. 21, 1887

Verum M. Davis.
Asst District Atty.

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A. Cohen
319 Bowery

Counsel,

Filed 6 day of Aug 1885

Pleads, Not guilty (7)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Samuel Banes

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 53 D, — Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John F. Elliott,

Foreman.

Part III Mch 21/87
Indictment dismissed

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District Police Court. Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Louis Doam

of No. 190 Henry Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 30 day of July 1885

at the ~~City of~~ New York,

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

the following property, viz: One gold plated scarf Pin of the value of Fifty cents

the property of Bertha Wachsberg ~~[illegible]~~ deponents mother deponent is 20 years old and is a silk fringe maker

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 Samuel Barnes (now here) That said defendant came up to deponent where he was drinking soda water at a stand corner of Rivington & Ridge Streets in said City and took stole and carried away said property from deponents scarf or neck tie then and there worn by deponent—

his

Louis x Doam

mark

Sworn before me this 31 day of July 188 5

Samuel C. McCullagh

POLICE JUSTICE,

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Sec. 198—200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Samuel Banes 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 Samuel Banes

Question. How old are you?

Answer 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Austria

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

Answer. 78 Orchard St 2 mos

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer 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 not guilty

Samuel Banes

Taken before me this 31 *day of* July 1887

Samuel Allen Police Justice.

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

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

Dated July 31 188 J Samuel A Reed *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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Complainant bailed in $500 by Charles Jackson 78 Bowery.

BAILED,

No. 1, by Isaac Gelles

Residence 37 Essex Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Police Court 3 District. 807

THE PEOPLE, &c., ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Quam
~~195 Henry~~
190 Henry St
Samuel Barnes
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Offence Larceny from the person in the night time

Dated July 31 1885

D O Reilly Magistrate.

Reilly Officer.

13 Precinct.

Witnesses Jacob Last
243 Delancey
No. ~~Ground St~~ Street.
Delancey St

Complainant committed to House of Detention in default of $500 to appear

No. Street,

No. Street.

$ 1000 to answer General Sessions.

AUG 3 1885 DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

William Reilly

of the 11th Precinct Police ~~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,~~ Louis Doam the

within named Complainant is a necessary and material witness for the prosecution and deponent ask that he give security to appear to testify against said defendant

William Reilly

Sworn to before me, this 31 day of July 1885

Daniel O'Reilly
Police Justice.

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Samuel Banes

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Mr Davis,
Dismiss on endorsement,

RDO

New York General Sessions.

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The People of the State of New York
on the complaint of Louis Doum
vs

Samuel Banes

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City and County of New York ss:

Louis Doum being duly sworn says, that he resides at No 60 Hester Street, with his father and mother; that deponent has known the defendantfor several years, and new himby sight before the alleged larceny in the complaint herein,

That in the evening of the day of July 1885, deponent was standing at the corner of Ridge and Rivington Streets this City, with his friend Jacob Last in - front of a soda water stand, each one drinking a glass of soda; that while deponent was drinking his glass of soda, the defendant and some others, came upto them, and the defendant greeted Jacob Last, and the defendant then said in a playful manner to his friends who were standing around, "Oh, what a nice diamond pin he has, "got" referring to Doum; to which Doum answered, "a person can wear for his money what he likes," and thereupon the defendant said, "let me look at your pin," and Doum being now in the act of drinking his soda, did not take out his pin, and the defendant thereupon, took it out himself,

The said Doum grew angry at this and demanded back his pin, and the defendant jestingly answered that he has not got it, and this childish talk and foolishness continued for a short time, the other persons joining

in, until the defendant at last said, "well you can have me arrested, there's a Policeman on the corner; the Police officer came over to where the crowd and the defendant Banes were standing, and the d eponent then related what had taken place; thereupon the defendant was arrested, although a few minutes thereafter the defendant through his brother offered to return the pin.

That deponent considered the whole thing a joke, but yet for the purpose of spiting thedefendant, had him arrested so as to get back his pin; that deponent has been fully compensated for the loss of said pin.

That deponent from statements made to him by Jacob Last whose affidavit is hereto annexed, believes that the whole transaction was a joke, and that the defendant Banes did not intend to steal the pin,

That deponent has received no reward or consideration nor promise of the same, for making this affidavit.

That deponent therefore asks that the indictment herein be dismissed and the bail relieved from liability.

Sworn to before me this 19th day of March 1887.

N D Burke
Notary Public
N.Y. Co.

Louis Lowm

New York General Sessions.

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The People of the State of New York
on the complaint of Louis Doun.
vs
Samuel Banes

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City and County of New York ss:

Jacob Last being dulysworn says, that he resides at No 243 Delancey Street, and has known the complainant and defendant for several years; that the defendant herein was a school mate of deponent, , that deponent is the person mentioned in the affidavit of the complainant hereto annexed, and has heard read and translated, the said complainants affidavit.

That in so far as the facts are within deponent's knowledge, the same is true.

That deponent has received no reward or consideration or promise of any for making this affidavit, and has done so from a sense of justice.

Sworn to before me this
19th day of March 1887

Jacob Last

A D Barker
Notary Public
N. Y. Co.

New York General Sessions.

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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

Samuel Barnes

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

— Samuel Barnes —

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

The said Samuel Barnes,

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

one pair of shoes of the value of

fifty cents,

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

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney

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Beale, Charles

DATE:
08/07/85

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Witnesses:

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Counsel,

Filed 7 day of Aug 1880

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Charles Beale

Burglary in the 2nd Degree.
and Petit Larceny
[Sections 497, 506, 528 and 532.]

19 No.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John O. Scott

Foreman.

Pen: One year.
Aug 17/80 Recd

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Police Court— ✓ District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Frank Schloeffel

of No. 929 3rd Avenue Street, aged 58 years, occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn deposes and says, that the premises No 929 3rd avenue Street, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a ~~Saloon and~~ three story building and which was occupied by deponent as a Saloon & dwelling House and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Magdalena Schloeffel were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the lock on a door to a bed Room on the 2nd floor

on the 30 day of July 1885 in the day time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: One Silver Watch and Steel chain attached of the Value of five dollars

the property of Gottlieb Schlehauf,

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 Charles Beale (unknown)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent is informed by Henry Michael of No 155 East 59th Street, that said defendant came in ~~[illegible]~~ Store at No 155 East 59th Street, and left said Watch saying he would return for the same in about 'minutes and for the further reason that after the commission of said Burglary and Larceny said

Defendant received said
process and served the
same by arresting the
within named defendant

Dated this 3 day of July 1885

Thos. J. Phillips
Constable

Police Court ..... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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vs.

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Burglary ..... Degree.

Dated 188

..... *Magistrate.*

..... *Officer.*

..... *Clerk.*

Witnesses : .....

Committed in default of $ ..... *Bail.*

Bailed by .....

No. ..... *Street.*

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Henry Michael

aged 48 years, occupation Grocery of No. 155 East 69 Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Friedrich Schloeffel and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 31 *day of* July 188 5

H Michael

John Kurman

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

District Police Court.

Charles Beale 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. Charles Beale

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Norfolk Va

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

Answer. 520 West 60 Street since 1st of May

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. Commercial Agent

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

Answer. I cant remember anything about it I was intoxicated

Charles Beale

Taken before me this 21 *day of* April 1885

Police Justice.

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

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 31 188 5 John [illegible] *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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Police Court 1 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Marion Schaffel
977 3rd av

1 Charles Reed
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Offence Burglary

Dated July 31 1885

Gorman Magistrate.

Gorasperd Officer.

28 Precinct.

Witnesses Henry Mortel
No. 155 E 59 Street.

No. Street,

No. Street.

$1000 to answer Gen'l Sessions.

Case

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Brade

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

Charles Brade

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

The said Charles Brade,

late of the Ninetieth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Ninteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-Nine, with force and arms, about the hour of twelve o'clock in the Night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

Frederick Schroeffel

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some human being, to wit: one Magdaline Schroeffel,

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

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 Charles Beale —

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

The said Charles Beale,

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

one watch of the value of five dollars, and one chain of the value of fifty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Frederick Schoolfield, —

in the dwelling house of ~~the said~~ Frederick Schoolfield.

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

Randolph B Martine
District Attorney

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BOX:
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1856
DESCRIPTION:
Becker, Elizabeth

DATE:
08/07/85

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Witnesses:

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C. Gottschalk.

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Counsel,

Filed 7 day of Aug 188[illegible]

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Elizabeth Becker

alias

Elizabeth Schwenk

[Sections — Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Aug 17/85

Pleads guilty

A True Bill.

City Prison, from 3rd

John O'Leary,

Foreman

The Magistrates must be subpoenaed

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

POLICE COURT— 3 —DISTRICT.

George L ~~Bak~~ Becker

of No. 307 E 44th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 31st day of May 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Elizabeth Becker knowingly and feloniously intermarry with and took deponent to husband the said defendant well knowing at the time that Charles Schwenk her lawful husband was then living and in full life that on said said date deponent and said defendant were married by the Rev ~~Mr~~ Huldecker ~~[illegible]~~ a Minister of Gospel authorized and empowered under the laws of the State of New York to perform the marriage ceremony and deponent further says that said defendant and husband have lived and cohabited together as man and wife at the City of New York for the space of nearly six weeks last past—

G. L. Becker

Sworn to before me
this 21st day of July 1885
W J Onley
Police Justice

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

POLICE COURT— 3 DISTRICT.

Charles Schwink

of No. 9 Stanton Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 11 day of March 188[illegible] at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Elizabeth Becker intermarried with deponent and took him to wife and that the ceremony of said marriage was duly performed and solemnized according to the rites and ceremonies of the Lutheran Church by Rev W. Bullemer a Minister of the Gospel duly authorized and empowered under the laws of the State of New York to perform the ceremony of marriage that said defendant and deponent from and after the time of said marriage lived and cohabited together as man and wife for the space of one year and deponent says that no decree of divorce has been made by any competent or lawful Court between deponent and said defendant and that said defendant is the lawful wife of deponent

Chas C Schwink

Sworn to before me
This 21st day of July 1885
[illegible] Police Justice

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3d **District.**

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York,* GREETING :

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the *Police Justices* for the City of New York, by George L Becker of No. 307 E 44th Street, that on the 31 day of May 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

against Elizabeth Becker who did feloniously and unlawfully marry Complainant she the said defendant was then and there married to Charles Schmidt who being then and there living and in full life

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said *Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen,* and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant, and bring her forthwith before me, at the 3d *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 21 *day of* July 188 5

[illegible] POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Elizabeth Becker

Question How old are you?

Answer 36 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer Germany

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

Answer. 236 E 45th St 2 days

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. Laundry work

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

Answer. I am guilty of the charge

Elizabeth Becker

Taken before me this 2 *day of* July 188 9

Police Justice.

0806

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 deponent

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 150 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 22 188 5 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.*

0807

Rev. W. Berkemeier
26 State St.
Rev. M. Muldecker or
" Ed. F. Moldehuke
124 E. 46 St.

Police Court — 3 District.

W 761

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George L Becker
307 W. E. 44th

1 Elizabeth Becker
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Offence Bigamy

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Dated July 21 1885

O'Reilly Magistrate.

Philip Daab Officer.

17 Precinct.

Witnesses Charles Schmenk
No. 9 Stanton Street.
Frederick Bayan
No. 855 2d Avenue Street,
Elizabeth L Esolinger
No. Castle Garden Street.

$ 1500 to answer General Sessions.

0808

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Elizabeth Bodeen
otherwise called
Elizabeth Schneider

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Elizabeth Bodeen, otherwise called Elizabeth Schneider —

of the CRIME OF Bigamy —

committed as follows:

The said Elizabeth Bodeen, otherwise called Elizabeth Schneider —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Seventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the ~~Ward~~ City and County aforesaid, did marry one Theodore Schneider and with the said Theodore Schneider did then and there have for her husband, and afterwards, to wit: on the thirty-first day of March 1885, at the City and County aforesaid, did feloniously marry and take as her husband one Figoney B. Bodeen, and to the said Figoney B. Bodeen was then and there married, the said Theodore Schneider being then living and in full life; against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney.

0809

BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Bennett, Henry

DATE:
08/18/85

1856

Witnesses:

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495-B

P. M. Friend

Counsel,

Filed 18 day of Aug 1885

Pleads, Arraigned

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Henry Bennett

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree.
(From the Person.)
(Sections 528, 531 — Penal Code).

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. A. Scott
Foreman.

Aug 19/85

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0811

Police Court— 9 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Flora Freeman

of No. 485 — 4th Av Street, aged 35 years,

occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 15 day of Aug 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money of the United States, one silver piece of the denomination of fifty cents, and one dollar and fifty cents, in silver, nickel and copper coin all of the total value two dollars $2.00. Three Pawn tickets of the value of twelve dollars all of the total value of fourteen dollars ($14.)

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 Harry Benner (now her) in the following manner, deponent while standing on the corner of 46th St and 10th Av, the defendant came up and asked deponent how she sold "Corn", and while deponent was serving other patrons, the defendant took his hand in deponents pocket and her pocket book therefrom, and the deponent felt the defendants hand in her pocket and saw him take her property, for which she prays the defendant be dealt with as the law directs

Sworn to before me, this 16 day of August 1885

Police Justice.

her
Flora X Freeman
mark

08 12

POLICE COURT 2 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Harry Benner

On Complaint of Ora Fuman

For Larceny

Harry Benner

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

Dated Aug 16 1885

Henry Benner

Henry Murray

Police Justice.

0813

Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Henry Benner 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 Henry Benner

Question. How old are you?

Answer 15 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. United States

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

Answer. 585 — 11 Av (8 Mon)

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Work in a 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

Henry Bennett

Taken before me this 16 *day of* July 1885

Patrick Hennessy Police Justice.

08 14

Police Court 2 District. 841

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Thos Freeman
485 7th ave
vs.
Harry Benson
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Offence Grand Larceny

AUG 17 1885

Dated Aug 16 1885

Murray Magistrate.

Hughes Officer.

26 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

$ 300 — to answer

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street

No 4, by

Residence Street.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to detain 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 1885.

Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 . Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 . Police Justice.

08 15

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 Bennett

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

— Thomas Bennett —

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

The said Thomas Bennett,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Eighteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, in the night time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, one pocket book of the value of fifty cents, one silver coin of the kind known as half dollars, of the value of fifty cents, twenty other coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one dollar and fifty cents, and three written instruments and evidences of contract of the kind known as season tickets, of the value of four dollars each, —

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

Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney.

08 16

BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Bergowzer, Bernardo

DATE:
08/07/85

1856

Witnesses:

a Boy

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Counsel,

Filed 7 day of Aug 188 5

Pleads, Not guilty (Ro)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Bernardo Bergonzer

a Boy

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm O'Leary,
Foreman.

Aug 14. 1885

Tried and convicted.
House of Refuge.

0818

Police Court— 1 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Julia Tranfaglia

of No. 5 Elizabeth Street, aged 26 years,

occupation Home Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 28th day of July 188 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:

and person

A Pocket Book containing Good and lawful money of the United States consisting of Two Half Dollars, and one Twenty Five cent Piece, also two Coach Tickets valued at Twenty One Dollars the whole of the value of Twenty Two Dollars and Twenty Five 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 Bernardo Bergnzer (Mulen) from the fact that Defendant did grab said Pocket book from the person of Deponent. Therefore Deponent charges said Defendant with having taken stolen and carried away said property

Giulia Tranfaglia

Sworn to before me, this 28 day of July 188

Police Justice

0819

Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1 District Police Court.

Bernardo Bergonzer 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. Bernardo Bergonzer

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 13 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Italy

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

Answer. 3 6/2 Baxter st about 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. go to school

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

Bernardo Bergonzer

Taken before me this 7 day of May 1888

Police Justice

0820

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 _____

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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 _____ 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 he to be discharged.*

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

0821

Police Court 1 District. 797

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Julia Tranfaglia
5 Elizabeth

vs.

1 Bernard Bergauzer
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Offence Larceny from Person

Dated July 28 188

Smith Magistrate

Harrington Officer.

6 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street,

No. Street,

$ 500 to answer G J

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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
vs.
Bernardo Bergowzer.

Court of General Sessions, Part I.
Before Judge Gildersleeve.

Friday, August 14, 1885.

Indictment for larceny.

Julia Tranfaglie sworn and examined through the interpreter.

By Mr Purdy. Ask where she lives? 5 Elizabeth Street. As her what her business is? I am a married woman. Ask her if she recollects the 28th day of July of this year? I do not know exactly the day but I recollect the circumstance. Tell her to tell the Jury what this boy did with her pocket-book, all about it? I went out to purchas something and he came along side of me and pulled my pocket-book out, I noticed it and I got holdof him, he had the pocket-book in his hand and tried to get away from me; then some people called for the policeman and he dropped the pocket-book right on the sidewalk, the policeman took him into custody. Ask her if she had ever seen him before? No, I held him until the policeman came and took him into custody. Ask her where the pocket-book was? I had it in this pocket in another dress. Ask her what was in the pocket-book? In all $22.25 in different denominations.

Cross Examined. Are you a married lady? Yes sir, I have four children. Was the place where she says she lost the pocket-book near her house? I was going into the house and he was coming out. I want to know if it was in the entry or not that she lost the pocket-book? It was in the hallwayngoing to the yard and he was coming out. Was it dark or light in the hallway? No sir, it was not

dark. How many boy were in that hallway? He and two or three other little children three or four years old. Was there a larger boy there than this boy? No sir, he was the largest. She saw everybody then that was there? There were little children three or four years old and he was the largest. Was not these children all playing together? I do not know, they were walking, I did not know what they did. You did notpay any particular attention? It seemed to me that he was goin after the so little children. Where abouts was this pocket-book before it was taken, I mean about her person? Here in this side. (Pointing). Was it not in the pocket of the apron she had on? Yes sir. Did it not drop on the floor? He took it; when I held him he had it in his handyet and tried to get away. Did any children knock up against her as she came into the entry first? No sir. Had she ever seen this boy before? No sir, not until that day. Do I understand the lady to say that she caught this boy with the pocket-book in his hand and held him until arrested by the police? Yes sir, I caught hold of his arm and he had the pocket-book in his hand.

Bernardo Bergowser sworn and examined in his own behalf, testified:

By Counsel. How old are you? Thirteen. Where do you live? 36½Baxter Street. Who do you live with? Father and mother. What does your father do for a living? Longshoreman. I want you to tell the Court and Jury just how you came to be arrested on this charge? I was

standing in the hallway playin with little children and this woman came in and a large boy came in andbumped against her, I heard son thing drop, I locked back and she took hold of me by the arm until the police came. Did you take her pocket-book out of her dress or apron and did you have it in your hand? No sir. She says she took it away from you? No sir. How long have you been in prison now? Eighteen days to-day.

Cross Examined. Bernardo, how old are you? I am thirteen going on fourteen. Are you sure about that? I was thirteen the 21st of July last. Where were you born? Italy. Howlong have you been in this country? Eight years I think. What do you do for a living? Going to school. You were not going to school this day? No sir. What were you doing in this place? I was playing with little children, little boys that I knew. You did notknow anybody in that house? Yes sir. How old were these little boys? Three or four years old. Did you know the big boy? No sir., he bumped up against her an ran out. And when you were playin with the little children she seized you? Yes sir. And did you tell the officer about this? I told him the same. You told him the same as you tell us now? Yes sir. The lady says you had the pocket-book in your han and you dropped it? No sir, I heard something rop, I lookedback and I saw some fellow running out. You think it was him that grabbed the pocket-book? Yes sir; it was not me, the lady did not drop the pocket- book herself.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty with a recommensation to mercy.

Testimony in the case
of
Bernardo Bergouzer
filed Aug. 1883.

0826

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Bernardo Bragunza

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

— Bernardo Bragunza —

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

The said Bernardo Bragunza,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-fifth day of — July — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, in the night time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one pocket book of the value of fifty cents, two silver coins of the kind known as half-dollars, of the value of fifty cents each, one silver coin of the kind known as quarter-dollars, of the value of twenty-five cents, and two written instruments and evidences of contract of the kind commonly called pawn tickets, of the value of twelve dollars each, ——

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

Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney.

0827

BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Bogle, Martin

DATE:
08/10/85

1856

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BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Heinz, Charles
DATE:
08/10/85

1856

Witnesses:

104 B

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L. A. Binsky

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of Aug 1885

Pleads Not guilty (11)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Martin Bögle

and P

Charles Steinz

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. T. Scott,
Aug 13/85 *Foreman.*
(Both)

Tried & Acquitted

0830

Police Court— 3 ..... District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

August Leickhardt

of No. 138 East Third Street, aged 38 years, occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 1st day of August 188 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at the night time he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Martin Biegler and Charles Hienz, both men then, who did together assault and beat deponent with Carpenters Saws they held in their hands. that deponent was cut and wounded on both arms by blows given deponent by said Martin and said Charles with said saws, each of said defendants having a saw in his hands and striking deponent with the same

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 assailants

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

Sworn to before me, this 2d day of August 188 } August Leickhardt

A. M. Patterson Police Justice.

0831

Sec. 198—200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Martin Boyle 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 Martin Boyle

Question. How old are you?

Answer 22 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. No 174 Clinton St. 2 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Carpenter

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

Answer. I am not guilty. I did not have a knife in my hand. That is all I have to say.

Martin Boyle

Taken before me this 2d *day of* August 188 5

Butler *Police Justice.*

0832

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss

3 District Police Court.

Charles Hiens 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. Charles Hiens

Question. How old are you?

Answer 20 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 14 East 3rd St. 2 weeks

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Carpenter

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

Answer. I was assaulted by the Complainant first. I had a Can in my hand and I used it for was in Self defence.

Charles Heinz

Taken before me this 8 *day of* March 188 }

Sandautzen *Police Justice.*

0833

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 Martin Brizlin and Charles Heinz

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

Dated August 2 188 8 — 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.*

0834

Police Court 3rd District. 804

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

August Leickhardt
138 E. 3rd

Martin Beigler
Charles Heinz
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Offence Felonious Assault

Dated August 2nd 1885

Patterson Magistrate.

Wm. Reynolds Officer.

17 Precinct.

Witnesses Charles Ash
No. 126 St. Marks Street.
Place.
No. Henry Messner Street,
607 East 16th St.
No. Park Gen. Street.
$1000 to answer Sessions.

RECEIVED AUG 3 1885 DISTRICT ATTORNEY

BAILED,

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

0835

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Martin Bäge

and Charles Steinert

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

Martin Bäge and Charles Steinert

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

The said Martin Bäge and Charles Steinert each —

late of the City and County of New York, on the first — day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty five, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one — August Seidenadt —

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault; and the said Martin Bäge and Charles Steinert, —

with ~~a certain~~ two certain sticks which they the said Martin Bäge and Charles Steinert in their ~~right~~ hands then and there had and held, the same being then and there ~~an~~ instruments likely to produce grievous bodily harm, him, the said August Seidenadt, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, 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.

Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney.

0836

BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Borker, John C.

DATE:
08/17/85

1856

Witnesses:

Friday

173-B

B.W. Mch 26/86

Counsel,

Filed, 17 day of Aug 1885

Pleads, Not guilty (18)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John C. Borker

(Sections 278 and 218, Penal Code.)

CRIMINAL RAPE.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

April 22-5.80

Foreman

LEB

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE,

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

The People
v.
John C. Barker.

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE.

The prisoner, John C. Barker, is indicted for an attempted rape on Sunday, August 9th, 1885, between 8 and 9 P.M., in his hall bedroom, at 794 Second Avenue, on Ida Miller of 802 Second Avenue, a child aged 6 years. The defendant is an old man, employed as bank messenger by Pottier & Stymus, furniture manufacturing Co., 489 Fifth Avenue, for many years. He is a widower and an American by birth, from the neighborhood of Westchester County. He is said to have been faithful, with the one failing of getting drunk occasionally.

EVIDENCE.

IDA MILLER: - 802 Second Avenue. Will be 7 years old on October 18, 1885. Knows the defendant who is known as Uncle John. On the evening in question he gave her an orange, and took her up-stairs into his bed-room, and then unbuttoned her drawers and lay upon her. He had previously done this to her last summer, and had also done the same to another girl, Minnie Peters, aged 7, who now lives in Allen Street. Once he told her to feel in his pocket for 10 cents, and she put her hands there and found his privates. She submitted to his embraces for the pennies and

candies that he was in the habit of giving her. On the present occasion she says he dragged her up-stairs.

REBECCA MULLER: - 802 Second Avenue, is mother of the child Ida and will prove her age. While the family were sitting by their grocery store at 802 Second Avenue on Sunday evening, August 9th, about 8 o'clock, Ida was missed. Her mother after searching the neighborhood met little Annie Weite, aged 5, of 794 Second Avenue, who said that Uncle John had taken Ida away; that he gave her and Ida an orange and she went with him. Mrs. Muller accordingly went to his room, it being a hall bed-room over White's saloon at 794 Second Avenue, and knocked at his door. No response came, and she was on the stairs going down when she heard his door open and saw Ida coming along the landing from his room. She asked Ida where she had been, and she replied "In Uncle John's bed-room. Ida's face was flushed and she spoke hoarse. Her mother thereupon accused him of having child in his room. He at first denied it, and afterwards he said "How can I help it if she follows me around." She then sent for an officer, James Mulvey of 19th Precinct, who told her to examine Ida, which she did, and found the child's private parts red, and her drawers were wet where the man had spent himself, she said. The drawers were washed the next morning.

POLICE OFFICER JAMES MULVEY: - 19th Precinct. Will corroborate statement of Mrs. Muller. Arrested defendant, who remarked to him in going to the Precinct, that "Whiskey has done all this."

POLICE SURGEON P. WOOD: - Made an examination of the private parts of the child, and found redness indicating that they had been recently tampered with. His certificate is with papers in District Attorney's office, which see.

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS

THE PEOPLE

AGAINST

John C. Barker

Rape on Child

PENAL CODE, §

BRIEF FOR THE PEOPLE.

0842

THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children

100 EAST 23D ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, October 29 1885

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

The People
against
John C. Barker

} Notice of Prosecution.

To the District Attorney of the
City and County of New York,

Sir: This Society is interested in the prosecution of the above defendant, and is familiar with the facts of the case. It respectfully requests that before sending the papers to the Grand Jury, fixing the day of trial, consenting to any postponement thereof, or to any reduction of bail, or final disposition of the charge, you will duly notify me as its President and Counsel, so that I may confer with you in regard thereto. This request is made pursuant to the statute (Laws of 1875, Chapter 130, Section 3), and in furtherance of the ends of Justice.

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

Elbridge T. Gerry,
President, &c.

N. Y. GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE

against

John C Barber

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

Rape.

NOTICE OF PROSECUTION

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No.

New York, 188

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

John C. Barker

Case –

Let this case be tried on 22d inst. in Part 2. peremptorily –

Notify Counsel.

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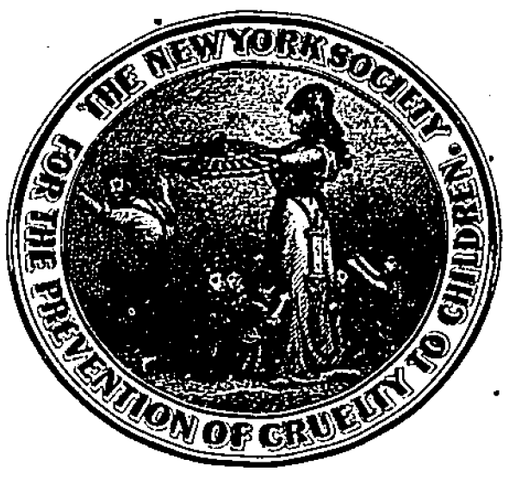

The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children,

Nº 100 EAST 23D STREET, (CORNER 4TH AVE.)

New York March 13, 1886

The People
v.
John C. Barker.

Hon. Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney &c.

Dear Sir:

The above prisoner was indicted August 17, 1885, for an attempted rape on a little girl aged 6 years, named Ida Miller, on Sunday August 9, at No. 794 Second Avenue in this City. The case was an atrocious one, and the defendant on being indicted promptly gave bail. The Society has endeavored ever since to have this case tried; it has repeatedly been on the calendar, and as repeatedly the defence obtained an adjournment. Four or five times the witnesses have been brought down to Court to no purpose. Finally, the case was again placed on the calendar for trial on March 10th, 1886, when it was ascertained that the complainant "has removed to Hoboken, New Jersey." The Society is very anxious to have this case disposed of, and to bring this man to justice. If you will induce the Court to fix a day peremptorily for trial when the defendant must proceed, the Society will endeavor to procure the attendance of the child in question, having been informed of its whereabouts in New Jersey.

It looks very much as if the prisoner was endeavoring to escape the ends of justice by enticing the complainant to leave the State, and although the Society has no evidence of this, I would respectfully suggest that the Court should be urged to make a peremptory rule so far as the defence is concerned, fixing a day when the case must proceed. I beg you will not understand me as finding any fault with the gentlemen representing your office in this case; the difficulty is in having a day fixed peremptorily for the trial.

I remain, with great respect,

Unrige O'Gerry
President &c.

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Sec. 198—200.

4th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John C. Barker

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 63 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. United States

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

Answer. 794 — 2nd Avenue. 2 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. Porter

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. Not guilty. The chief followed me to my room & asked me for money. Demand trial by jury

John C. Barker
his mark

Taken before me this 11 *day of* August 1886

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 4 District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Ida Miller

of No. 2 B - 2nd Avenue Street, aged 7 years,

occupation School girl being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on the 9 day of August 1885 at the City of New York,

in the County of New York,

She was violently indecently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by John C. Booker (Nowhere) who dragged deponent into a room, and attempted to have sexual connection with deponent

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 10 day of August 1885 } Ida Miller

P. G. Ehrhardt Police Justice

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

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

Dated August 11 188 5 *Police Justice.*

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

Dated Aug 11 188 5 *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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BAILED,

No. 1, by Theodore F. Smith

Residence 489 — 5 Avenue Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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Police Court — 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ida Miller

802 — 2nd Ave

John A. Burke

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Offence Felonious Assault

Dated August 11 1885

Duffy Magistrate.

Mulvey Officer.

19 Precinct.

Witnesses Rebecca Miller

No. 802 — 2 Ave Street.

E. F. Jenkins

No. 100 E 23 Street,

Dr. B. Wood Jr.

No. 218 E. 70 Street.

$ 500 to answer G. Sessions.

Bond Bailed

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

John E. Barker

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse John E. Barker of the Crime of Attempting to commit ~~of~~ the CRIME OF RAPE, committed as follows:

The said John E. Barker,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Ninth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Ida Miller, then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, and her the said Ida Miller, then and there, by force and with violence to her the said Ida Miller, against her will and without her consent, did willfully and feloniously attempt to ravish and carnally know, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said John E. Barker of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said John E. Barker,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon her the said Ida Miller, willfully and feloniously did make an assault, with intent her the said Ida Miller, against her will, and without her consent, by force and violence, to then and there willfully and feloniously ravish and carnally know, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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Broderick, Patrick

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Sheehan, James
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Joyce, Michael

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Witnesses :

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A. Bleman

Counsel,

Filed 18 day of Aug 188 5

Pleads, Not guilty 19

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Patrick Broderick P

James Sheehan P

David Sheehan P

Michael Joyce P

Burglary in the Third Degree.

[Sections 498, 501, 528 Penal Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Aug 21/85

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N.Y.C.

A True Bill.

John A Scott

Foreman

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Police Court— 1st District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

Bernard Ward

of No. 215 East 74th Street, aged 26 years,

occupation Watchman

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 20, 21, 123 Prospect avenue Washington Market Street

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Produce Stand and Office

and which was occupied by ~~deponent~~ Owen Mullaney as a Produce Stand

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

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of ~~forcibly~~ entering the said premises by the Scuttle and then forcibly breaking in door leading to the office

on the 9th day of August 1885 in the day time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz:

Butcher Knives Pencils, Pens and Gas Pipe and other property of said office all of the value of five dollars

the property of Owen Mullaney

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 Patrick Broderick, James Sheehan, David Sheehan, and Michael Joyce (all nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: That said premises was securely fastened and that at about 4 o'clock PM on said day deponent caught and detected said defendants in said premises with said property in their possession ~~at about 4 o'clock PM said day~~ with which they were attempting to take steal and carry away said property

Bernard C Ward

Sworn to before me this 10th day of August 1885 [illegible]

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Sec. 198—200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Michael Joyce 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 Michael Joyce

Question. How old are you?

Answer 13 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 137 Washington street 3 days

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer School Boy

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Michael Joyce

Taken before me this 10 *day of* August 188 3

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

14 District Police Court.

Patrick Broderick 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. Patrick Broderick

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 14 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 38 Washington Street; 6 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. School Boy

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

Answer. I am not guilty

P. Broderick

Taken before me this 14 *day of* July 188 8

Geo. A. Ellis

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1st District Police Court.

David Sullivan 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. David Sullivan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 13 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 2 Mott Street; 2 mont

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Messenger

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

D. Sullivan

Taken before me this [illegible]

day of [illegible] 188

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

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Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

14th District Police Court.

James Sheehan 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 Sheehan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 14 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New Jersey

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

Answer. 2 Morris Street. 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Nothing

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

J. Sheehan

Taken before me this 1 *day of* July 188 [illegible]

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Patrick Broderick James Sheehan David Sheehan & Michael Joyce *guilty thereof, I order that* the *be held to answer the same and* the *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 August 10 188 5 *Police Justice.*

I have admitted the above-named _____

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

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$ 500 each
2 P.M. Aug. 10.
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Police Court 1st District. 831

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Bernard Ward
215 vs. 8 74th

1 Patrick Broderick
2 James Sheehan
3 David Sheehan
4 Michael Joyce

Offence Burglary

Dated August 10 1885

W. Murray Magistrate

Flynn Officer.

27 Precinct.

Witnesses G. G. Barkley

No. 108 E 23d Street.

No. Street,

No. Street,

$ 1000 to answer G. S.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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The People ue
Bernard E. Ward
vs:
Patrick Broderick
et al:

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23 STREET,

New York, Aug. 12 1885

CASE NO. 19669
DATE OF ARREST August 9th
OFFICER Barkley
CHARGE Burglary - Breaking into Stand
No. 50 West Washington Market St.

AGE OF CHILD Fourteen
RELIGION Catholic
FATHER Dead

MOTHER Bridget

RESIDENCE No. home - Found at 28 Washington St

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT the mother has no home and is stopping temporarily with neighbors. No record appears against the boy otherwise than his associations which have been bad.

All which is respectfully submitted,

E. Fellows Jenkins
~~President~~
Supt

To District Attorney.

Court of
General Sessions:

The People in Bernard Edward vs: Patrick Broderick & others	Burglary: PENAL CODE, §§

Report of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,
100 East 23d Street,
New York City.

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The People i.e.
Bernard E. Ward
vs:
Michael Joyce et al

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23 STREET.

New York, Aug. 12 1885-

CASE NO. 19669. OFFICER Barkley
DATE OF ARREST August 9th.
CHARGE Burglary — Breaking into stand No. 50 W. Washington Market.

AGE OF CHILD Thirteen
RELIGION Catholic.
FATHER Patrick a laborer and intemperate.
MOTHER Jane —

RESIDENCE 137 Washington Street.

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT The home of the boy is filthy and uninviting; he has not been to school for some time; has been arrested once before; his mother says he is very bad and the father and herself wish him punished.

All which is respectfully submitted,

E. Fellows Jenkins
~~President~~ Supt.

To District Attorney.

Court of
General Sessions.

The People ex
Bernard E. Ward
vs.
Michael Joyce
et al

Burglary.

PENAL CODE, §§

Report of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,
100 East 23d Street,
New York City.

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The People ie
Bernard E. Ward
vs:
James Sheehan
Leand Sheehan } et al

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23 STREET,

New York, Aug. 12 1885—

CASE NO. 19669 OFFICER Barkley
DATE OF ARREST Aug. 9th
CHARGE Burglary—

AGE OF CHILDREN — James — 14 — Leand 13.
RELIGION Catholic
FATHER Daniel — a plasterer — + temperate
MOTHER Dead.

RESIDENCE No. 2 Morris Street

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT the boys have been keeping bad company — there is no previous criminal record known against them. The home is creditable and kept by sisters of the boys.

All which is respectfully submitted,

E. Fellows Jenkins
~~President~~ Supt

To District Attorney.

Court of
General Sessions

The People vs
Bernard E. Ward
vs.
James David } Sheehan
et al

Burglary

PENAL CODE, §§

Report of The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,
100 East 23d Street,
New York City.

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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

Patrick Carabinda
James Sheehan,
David Sheehan and
Michael Sayer

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Patrick Carabinda, James Sheehan, David Sheehan and Michael Sayer

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

The said Patrick, James, David and Michael, each —

late of the Third — Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ninth — day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the Office of one

Bernard E. Ward, —

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

Bernard E. Ward, —

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 Patrick Broderick, James Freeman, David Freeman and ~~Patrick~~ Michael Joyce of the CRIME OF Petit LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said Patrick, James, David and Michael, each,

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

ten lemons of the value of fifty cents each, ten pencils of the value of five cents each, ten pens of the value of five cents each, and ten pounds of gas pipe of the value of ten cents each pound,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Bernard E. Ward,

in the office of the said Bernard E. Ward,

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.

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney

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BOX:
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FOLDER:
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DESCRIPTION:
Brown, Alexander

DATE:
08/13/85

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Witnesses:

Counsel, ...

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Pleads .....

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Alexander Brown

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Grand Larceny, 2d degree

[Sections 528, 531, 550, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John O'Leary

Aug 14/85

Foreman.

Pleads guilty

S. P. Twogrote Atty

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Sec. 198—200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Alexander Brown 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 Alexander Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer 30

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Baltimore

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

Answer. 4 Catherine Lane, ~~[illegible]~~ 8 days

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Seaman

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 dont know anything about it I was intoxicated but the ~~[illegible]~~ note was found in my Boot, I dont know how they got there

Alexander Brown

Taken before me this 12 *day of* August 188[illegible]

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

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Police Court— 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York } ss.:

Joseph Campbell

of No. 4 Catherine Lane Street, aged 39 years, occupation Cook on sailing Ship being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 11th day of August 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz:

Nine five pound English Bank Notes and three English Gold Sovereigns and one Australian Gold Sovereign — all of the value of two hundred and twenty five dollars and more — $225.00/100

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 Alexander Brown (now here).

from the fact that deponent had said Money concealed in a Rubber Belt which was in his Trunk at said premises that said defendant is a boarder in said House that at about 9½ o'clock A.M. on said day deponent saw his said money in said Trunk and the defendant saw him taking some money from his said Trunk at the time. That at about 8½ o'clock A.M. on the morning of the 12th day of August 1885 he returned to his lodgings when he discovered that his Trunk had been broken open and the above property stolen. Deponent further says that he made a complaint at the Station House when officer Lake was detailed to work up the case. That he arrested defendant and that he

Sworn to before me, this day of 188

Police Justice.

officer Lake informed deponent that he found Six of the five pound English Notes described in defendants Boot and that he defendant said that is all the money I have got belonging to Complainant

Deponent therefore charges said defendant with the Larceny of said money and property and he asks that he be held to answer and dealt with according to law

Joseph Campbell

Sworn to before me this
12th day of August 1885
M J Power
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 Alexander Brown guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Fifteen 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 August 12 1885 M J Power 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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Police Court, 1 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of
Joseph Campbell
#4 Catharine Lane
vs.
1 Alexander Brown
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Offence—LARCENY.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY RECEIVED AUG 13 1885

Dated August 12 1885
M J Power Magistrate.
Franklin W Lake Officer.
6th Precinct

Witnesses, Franklin W Lake
No. 6th Precinct Police Street,
No. Street,
Hattie Mitchell
No. 105 Bayard Street,
now in House of Detention in lieu of bail in $500
$ to answer Sessions.
James Robinson, 24 Catharine Lane
now in House of detention in lieu of a bond in $500
Com

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Franklin W Lake

aged 38 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 4th
6th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Joseph Campbell
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 17
day of August 188 9 Franklin W Lake

M J Power

Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against
Alexander Brown

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

— Alexander Brown —

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

The said Alexander Brown,

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

nine twenty notes of the Bank of England, for the payment of five pounds each in lawful money of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, being then and there currently constituted and of the value of twenty five dollars each, three gold coins of the Kingdom aforesaid, of the kind known as sovereigns of the value of five dollars each, and one other gold coin of the value of five dollars. —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Joseph Rampfield,

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

— Alexander Brown —

of the Crime of CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said Alexander Brown,

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

one Bank-notes of the Bank of England, for the payment of five pounds each in lawful money of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, being then and there wholly unsatisfied and of the value of twenty five dollars each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Joseph Campbell,

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

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

Alexander Brown

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Brown, Henry

DATE:
08/20/85

1856

Witnesses:

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It appearing by the within affidavits that it is impossible to secure the attendance of David McCarthy *a material and necessary witness for the People and without whose evidence a conviction cannot be had. I therefore respectfully recommend that the defendant herein* .....

..... *be discharged on his own recognizance.*

N. Y., Mar 15 *, 1887.*

Vernon M. Davis

Dep. Asst. District Attorney.

208 B

J Oliver

Counsel,

Filed 20 day of Aug 1885

Pleads Not guilty (2d)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Henry Brown

Complaint for Assault

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm J Scott

Part III March 15 1887 *Foreman.*

Nov 5th 1887

Bail discharged

0882

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Henry Brown

City and County of New York, ss.:

John W Huntley being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 150th St and Simpson Ave Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpœna server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 10th day of March 188 7, I called at 345 Greenwich Street

the alleged Residence of David McCarthy the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpœna, and was informed by Housekeeper of the above house. That David McCarthy moved away from the neighborhood about one year ago. Deponent has made search for the aforesaid McCarthy 3 or 4 times before, with the same result

Sworn to before me, this 14 day of March, 188 7

Wm Von Gerichten
Notary Public (47)
N. Y. Co.

John W Huntley
Subpœna Server.

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, *on the Complaint of*

David McCarthy

vs.

Henry Brown

Offense: Assault

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

John W. Hunley

Subpœna Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

0884

Police Court 9th District.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

David McCarthy

of No. 345 Greenwich Street, aged 47 years, occupation Laborer being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 6th day of August 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Henry O'Brien who did point and aim a loaded revolving pistol at the body of deponent then and there held in his hands and struck deponent on the face with said pistol

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 dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of August 1885.

David McCarthy

J. Henry Wood Police Justice.

Police Court, _____ District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,
on the complaint of
_____
vs.
1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence—Felonious Assault & Battery

Dated _____ 188 _____

_____ Magistrate.
_____ Officer.
_____ Clerk.

Witnesses,
No. _____ Street,
_____
No. _____ Street,
_____
No. _____ Street,
_____
$ _____ to answer General 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 _____ 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 _____ 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. 151.

18 — 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, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, ~~one of the~~ *Police Justices* for the City of New York, by David McCarthy of No. 326 Bleecker Street, that on the 16 day of Jan 188 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously **Assaulted** and **Beaten** by Henry Brown

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said *Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen,* and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the ..... 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 17th *day of* August 188 5

J. Kennefick ..... POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT, ... **DISTRICT.**

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David McCarthy

vs.

Henry Brown

Warrant—A. & B.

Dated Aug 17 188 5

Ford *Magistrate.*

Finn *Officer.*

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

Finn *Officer*

Dated Aug 18 188 5

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 5 40 pm

Native of Germany

Age, 27

Sex

Complexion,

Color Br

Profession, Sailor

Married No

Single,

Read, No

Write, No

345 Greenwich Street

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Sec. 198—200.

First District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Henry Brown 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 Henry Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer 24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. 345 Bleecker Street 6 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Deck Hand on Ferry Boat

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

Henry Brown

Taken before me this 8th day of March 1888

Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Three *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 August 18 188 3 J. Henry Ford *Police Justice.*

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

Dated August 18 188 J. Henry Ford *Police Justice.*

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

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Police Court— First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David McCarthy
345 Greenwich St
Henry Brown

Offence Felonious Assault

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated Aug 18 1885

_____ Magistrate
_____ Officer.
First Court Precinct.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

$ 300 to answer G. S.

Bailed

BAILED,

No. 1, by Richard Miller

Residence ~~152 Bleecker~~ Street.

No. 2, by 41 Ann

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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PART III.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY.

☞ If this Subpœna is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue

☞ Bring this Subpœna with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room Door that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPŒNA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

Moved a year ago don't know where

The People of the State of New York,

To David McCarthy

of No. 345 Greenwich Street.

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Park of the said City, on the 11 day of March instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf against

Henry Brown

in a case of Felony, whereof *he stands* indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of March, in the year of our Lord 1887.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *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

Henry Brown

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Henry Brown of the Crime of ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Henry Brown,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one David McCarthy, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and him the said David McCarthy with a certain pistol

which the said Henry Brown 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 him the said David McCarthy thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Henry Brown of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Henry Brown,

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

with a certain pistol

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

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney.

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BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Brown, John

DATE:
08/10/85

1856

Witnesses:

93-B

G.G.P.

A V-P

Counsel, ...

Filed 10 day of Aug 188 5

Pleads Arraigned (11)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Brown P

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree

[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm F Scott

Aug 13/85

Foreman.

Discharged by Court.

0895

New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,

VERSUS

John Brown

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. I have known the Defendant since he was a child, I have often trusted with money before and he has always paid me back. He comes from a good respectable family & is a distant relative, I don't think he meant to rob or steal the pawn-tickets. I think he has been punished enough for what he has done, & wish to withdraw the Complaint

Witnessed by

Wm A Von Gerichten

August 13th 83

Moses Rosenfeld

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3rd District Police Court. **Affidavit—Larceny.**

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Marcus Schaefer

of No. 196 Allen Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 12 day of May 188 3

at the City of New York,

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

the following property, viz :

One pawnticket representing one gold necklace, one wallet, Jacket one opera glass and one pair of shoes in all of the value of sixty seven dollars $67.—

the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by John Brown (aliaes here) from the fact that the defendant admitted and confessed in open court in the presence of deponent and officer Robinson of the 17th Precinct Police that he, the defendant did take steal and carrie away the above described property. and for the further reason that the defendant showed said

Sworn before me this day of 188

Police Justice.

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Frauen Ticket representing the said gold watch to one Frederick J. Morrowe, pawnbroker, admitting to said Morrowe that he, the defendant took said pawnticket from the said Mrs Lehaefer, and said Morrowe sure the name of Mrs Lehaefer on said ticket.

Merrier Griffiths

Sworn to before me this 4th day of August 1885.

H M Patterson Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

8898

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Frederick J. Merwede

aged 20 years, occupation Book-Keeper of No.

168 East 3d Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Maria Schaefer

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 4 *day of* August 188 4 } Frederick J. Merwede

H M Patterson

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

3d District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer John Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. Jersey City Heights 12 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Surgical instrument 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 guilty of the charge of Larceny

John Brown

Taken before me this 7 *day of* August 188 7

[illegible] *Police Justice.*

0900

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

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 August 4 188 5 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.*

0901

Police Court 3rd District. 8815

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Morris Schneider
196 Allen
John Brown
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Offence Assault & Battery

Dated August 4 1885
Patterson Magistrate.
Robinson Officer.
17 Precinct.

Witnesses Frederick J Hare
No. 768 East 3d Street.

No. Street,

No. Street.

$1000 to answer Gen. Sessions.
Cond

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

0902

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

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

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

The said

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

one written instrument and evidence of contract of the kind commonly called pawn-ticket, of the value of eighty seven dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney

0903

BOX:
183
FOLDER:
1856
DESCRIPTION:
Brown, Samuel

DATE:
08/04/85

1856

Witnesses :

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Counsel,

Filed 4 day of Aug 188 5

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Samuel Brown
alias
James S. Brown

Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 53 1, — Penal Code].

29 Witnesses

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John F Lord
Aug 7/85
Foreman.

Grand Larceny Attempt
S.P. Two years.

606

0905

Police Court— 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, } ss.:

of No. 72 Grange St Brooklyn Street, aged 21 years, occupation Servant

deposes and says, that on the 23 day of July 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

from the person

money of the United States of the following denominations

Three One dollar bills, 2 ten cent silver pieces and one five cent piece of the total value of

Three Dollars and twenty five cents ($3 25/100)

the property of Deponent

Sworn to before me this day 188

Police Justice

has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Samuel Brown and that this deponent

The following circumstances, Deponent was on board of an excursion boat, which made a landing at the foot of 34th St, during the excitement, incident to the going and coming off and on the boat, Deponent felt the hand of the said Samuel Brown ~~[illegible]~~ in her right hand side dress pocket and take the above named pocketbook and contents therefrom, Deponent followed the defendant around to the North side of the boat, caught him, and as she held him he passed the pocket book to a confederate, from whom it was

Police Court, _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

on the complaint of

vs.

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

Offence—LARCENY.

Dated _____ 188

_____ *Magistrate.*

_____ *Officer.*

_____ *Clerk.*

Witnesses,

No. _____ *Street.*

No. _____ *Street,*

No. _____ *Street,*

$ _____ *to answer* _____ *Sessions.*

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

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 _____ 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.*

Offenders released and returned to Police Court Upon Master Warden Bail Commissioner Dismissed Upon Order of the Magistrate Discharge in Default of Bail Other Disposition

Dismissed & Defendant Discharged } Other Disposition
This 24th day of May 1880

C. H. Allen — Police Justice

0907

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

22 District Police Court.

James Brown 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 Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer 29 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New Jersey

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

Answer. 34 Cornelius St

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Waiter

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

Answer. I am not Guilty

James. S. Brown

Taken before me this 22 *day of* May 188 }

Police Justice.

0908

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 ..... 188 5 ..... 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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BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Kathie Henry
72 Orange st.
Brooklyn

1 Samuel Brown

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Larceny
from person

Offence

Date July 24 1885

Kilbreth Magistrate.

Francis Martin Officer.

2d Precinct.

Witnesses .....

No. ..... Street.

No. ..... Street.

No. ..... Street.

Committed Gs

0910

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Samuel Brown, otherwise called James D. Brown

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Samuel Brown, otherwise called James D. Brown of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said Samuel Brown, otherwise called James D. Brown —

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

three promissory notes for the payment of money, of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the denomination and value of one dollar each, —

two silver coins, of the kind known as dimes, of the value of ten cents each, —

and one nickel coin, of the kind known as five cent pieces, of the value of five cents, —

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

Randolph B. Martine,
District Attorney.