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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Parker, Jenny

**DATE:**

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Counsel,  
Filed 12 day of May 1881  
Reads *For Gentry (18)*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Wm. I. Jenny Carter*  
INDICTMENT  
Larceny from  
the Person.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
BENJ. K. PHELPS  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
*M. P. Rollins*  
Foreman.  
*May 17 1881*  
*Charles H. Ketchum*

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FORM 891.

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

Police Court--Second District.

of No 4 West 35th Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 7th day of May 1881  
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 the  
person of deponent

the following property, to wit:

Good and lawful  
money of the United States  
consisting of one  
silver dollar.

of the value of One Dollar  
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 Jennie Parker,

(now present) from the fact  
that deponent saw  
said Jennie Parker  
seize said dollar  
from deponent's hand,  
as he was about  
take said dollar from  
his pocket.  
She said Jennie Parker  
thereby deponent caught  
her, called Officer Thomas  
Stuart of the 24th Precinct,  
who found in the possession  
of said Jennie Parker  
said dollar.

Sworn to before me, this

day

of May 1881

William H. Morgan Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Jennie Parker* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*Jennie Parker*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*22*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*Newfoundland*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*481—6th Avenue*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*Seamstress*

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

ANSWER.—*I am not guilty*

*Jennie Parker*

Taken before me, this

*7th*

day of *May*

Police Justice.

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*[Signature]*

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(Form 89)

Police Court-Second District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Conrad*  
4 or 3870 St

*James Porter*

DATE *July 7th* 188

*John J. ...*  
MAGISTRATE

*John J. ...*  
OFFICER

*James Porter*  
*James Porter*

*John J. ...*



PAYED BY

NO. STREET

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York,*  
*upon their Oath, present:*

That *Jenny Parker* —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *seventh* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty - *one* at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms

*One silver coin (of the kind commonly  
called a dollar) of the value of one dollar.  
One silver coin (of the kind commonly  
called a trade dollar) of the value of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *James O'Connor*  
on the person of said *James O'Connor* then and there being found,  
from the person of said *James O'Connor* 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.

DANIEL C. COLLINS  
ALLEN T. FIELDS, District Attorney

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*

THAT the said

*Jenny Parker*

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

*One silver coin (of the kind commonly called a dollar) of the value of one dollar.*

*One silver coin (of the kind commonly called a trade dollar) of the value of one dollar.*

of the goods; chattels and personal property of the said

*James O'Connor*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from*

*the said James O'Connor*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Jenny Parker*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, ~~against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided,~~ *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.

**DANIEL C. ROLLINS,**  
~~PROSECUTOR~~ District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Pelham, Charles

**DATE:**

05/19/81



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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 19 day of May 1881

Pleas

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Pelham

Paul S. Patton  
District Attorney

District Attorney

Perk No. 1114, May 24, 1881

Att. Gen. prosequit entered.  
A TRUE BILL.

Mr. Patton  
Foreman.

Lack permission  
of Court to exhibit  
evidence prosequit  
in case. as claim  
framed after counsel  
examination that  
deficit not fault  
of charge -  
D. S. Patton  
May 24, 1881

BURGLARY—THIRD DEGREE.  
PROPERTY STOLEN.

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

Louis A Da Cunha

of No. 147 West 41 Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 769 Fifth Avenue  
Street, 22 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a vacant house  
and which was occupied by deponent as a vacant house

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means of forcing open the front door of said  
house

on the night of the 13 day of May 1881  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

with intent to steal and carry away  
a quantity of Lead Pipes and Gas fixtures  
of the value of about Fifty Dollars

the property of Joseph G De Murr  
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 Pelham now present

for the reasons following, to wit: deponent was informed  
by John G Meints that he found said  
Pelham in said building and the door  
open said door is the cellar door of said  
house fronting on the street

Sworn to before me this  
14 day of May 1881

Wm M. Murray  
Police Justice

Louis A Da Cunha

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City and County  
of New York ss John G. Minto of 22<sup>d</sup>  
Precinct being duly sworn say that on the  
night of the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May deponent found  
the cellar door of house No 767 Fifth Avenue  
open and found Charles Pelham therein  
said cellar door had been broken open  
Sworn to before me this  
14 day of May 1881 John G. Minto  
of the City of New York  
Police Justice

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**Police Court, Fourth District.**

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Charles Pelham* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles Pelham*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *48 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *767 6 avenue*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Shoe Maker*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so what,—relative to the charge here preferred against you?

Answer. *not guilty*

*Chas. G. Pelham*

Taken before me this  
*[Signature]*  
day of *[Month]* 1887  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

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Police Court—Fourth District,

THE PEOPLE &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Louis A Da Cunha*  
147 W 41 St N.Y.

vs.  
*Charles Pelham*



*Lawrence*  
Offence, *Lawrence*

BAILED:

No. 1, by.....

Residence, .....

No. 2, by.....

Residence, .....

No. 3, by.....

Residence, .....

No. 4, by.....

Residence, .....

No. 5, by.....

Residence, .....

No. 6, by.....

Residence, .....

Dated *May 14* 1881

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

*Murray*

*Mentz*

Witnesses,

*John G. Mentz.*

*22 Precinct*

*J. W. B. to Law.*

Received in District Atty's Office,

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present :

That

*Charles Pelham*

late of the *twenty-second* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid,  
on the *thirteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty-one* with force and arms,  
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *house and building* of

*building*

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

*Joseph C. De Muro.*

goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *house and building* with intent the said  
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.

*Daniel G. Rollins*  
**BENJ. R. HELPS**, District Attorney.

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Phillips, George

**DATE:**

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*with  
has been in  
New. [Signature]*

Counsel,  
Filed *3* day of *May*, 188*1*  
Pleads

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BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
Larceny.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*George Phillips*

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

Attorney at Law

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Mr. Palmer*  
Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should appear of which count.

*May 4, 1881*  
*George Phillips*  
*2. H. C. [Signature]*

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POLICE COURT—<sup>5th</sup> DISTRICT.

City and County }  
of New York, } #:

Oscar Townsend

of 153<sup>rd</sup> street near Cortland Avenue, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises <sup>on the</sup> North side of 153<sup>rd</sup> street near Cortland  
Avenue 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling  
the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

entered by means of force by opening the Lock on the front door leading into deponent's apartment with a key were BURGLARIOUSLY

on the afternoon of the 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 1881  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Cloth Coat and One pair of Pantaloons  
of the value of eighteen dollars

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

for the reasons following, to wit:

That said George Phillips acknowledged and confessed to deponent in the presence of officer Williams of the 33<sup>rd</sup> Precinct Police that he did Burglariously enter said premises on said day and did take said and carry away said property described aforesaid and did pawn the same

Oscar Townsend  
mark

Sworn to before me this  
28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1881  
Murray J. Over  
Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—FIFTH DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*George Phillip* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that he was at  
liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *George Phillip*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *157<sup>th</sup> & 152<sup>d</sup> Street Morris Avenue*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Walter*

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what,—relative to the charge here  
preferred against you?

Answer. *I only took them*

*George Phillip*

Taken before me, this *28<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *April* 18*81*

*Wm. J. ...*

Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT - DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. J. McDonald  
158 and 159 West Courtland Ave.

vs.  
George Phillips

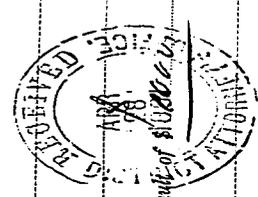
Dated April 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898

Wm. J. Power  
Magistrate

Wickham  
Officer

1 832 - Reservoir

Witness:  
Jacob R. Wickham 339 - Reservoir



Committed in default of \$1000.00 Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

Committed

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*George Phillips*

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

*Oscar Townsend*

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

he the said *George Phillips*

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

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

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, the said

*George Phillips*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One coat of the value of ten dollars*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value*  
*of eight dollars*

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

*Oscar Townsend*

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

**DANIEL C. ROLLINS,**  
~~BENJ. K. PHILLIPS~~ District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Pray, Edward E.

**DATE:**

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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 19 day of May 1881

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Henry*

*Edward C. Gray.*

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

~~Attorney at Law~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. A. Adams*  
Foreman.

*Sept 20*

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State of New York  
City and County of New York. S.S.

The Jurors of the people  
of the State of New York in and  
for the body of the City and  
County of New York upon their oath present:  
That heretofore on the tenth day  
of November in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and  
twenty nine, at the City of New York,  
in the County of New York aforesaid,  
Edward E. Pray appeared in his own  
proper person before Francis Sherman  
Smith who was then and there  
a police justice of the City of New York  
in the County of New York aforesaid,  
and then and there upon the oath of  
him the said Edward E. Pray charged  
one Theodore H. Sayre who was then  
and there present, in and by affidavit  
and complaint in writing of him the said  
Edward E. Pray then and there duly made  
and sworn to and before the said  
Francis Sherman Smith as such  
police justice as aforesaid with having  
among other things, in substance and effect,  
at the said City of New York

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in the County of New York aforesaid, in the month of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight threatened to verbally communicate and publish statements alleged to be and being injurious to the personal reputation and business standing of him the said Edward E. Gray with intent by such threatening to extort certain property and derive a pecuniary and valuable benefit to him the said Theodore H. Sayce from him the said Edward E. Gray, to wit, to extort and derive the sum of four hundred and seventy six dollars in money that being the amount of a certain promissory note made by said Edward E. Gray to him the said Theodore H. Sayce which is hereinafter <sup>set forth</sup> as by reference to said charge, affidavit and complaint in writing now duly on file more fully and at large appears, he the said Francis Sherman Smith as such justice of the peace as aforesaid having then and there full and competent jurisdiction and power to entertain, hear, receive and examine into the same.

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And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: that the examination into and upon the aforesaid complaint, charge and affidavit and the proceedings thereon were duly adjourned unto the twenty second day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy nine.

And the jurors aforesaid upon their oath aforesaid do further present: that he, the said Theodore H. Sayce, being then and there on the said twenty second day of November in the year last aforesaid present, he the said Francis Sherman Smith as such police justice as aforesaid did then and there on the said twenty second day of November in the year last aforesaid proceeded to examine and inquire into said charge and complaint of him the said Edward E. Gray against him the said Theodore H. Sayce and then and there and upon such examination and inquiry the following became and were material matters that is to say whether

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a certain promissory note in the words and figures in substance and effect following.

# 476 # New York March 26<sup>th</sup> 1878

On demand I promise to pay to the order of T. H. Sayre four hundred and seventy six dollars at No 31 Broad St. New York City.

Value received E. E. Pray

was wholly without consideration.

Whether there was any money consideration for the said note.

Whether any money had been at any time <sup>sent or</sup> delivered by him the said Theodore H. Sayre to him the said Edward E. Pray which entered into or formed any part of the consideration for the giving of said note by him the said Edward E. Pray to him the said Theodore H. Sayre.

Whether at the Star Tavern House in the City and County aforesaid in or about the month of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight he the said Edward E. Pray told him the said Theodore H. Sayre that he the said Edward E. Pray would never pay the said note. Whether in or about the month of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight

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he the said Edward E. Peay owed him  
the said Theodore H. Sayre any money.  
Whether he the said Theodore H. Sayre  
in the month of March one thousand  
eight hundred and seventy nine in  
the store of him the said Theodore H. Sayre  
said to him the said Edward E. Peay  
that he the said Theodore H. Sayre heard  
that he the said Edward E. Peay was  
engaged to be married. That he the said  
Theodore H. Sayre wanted the said note  
settled up. That if he the said Edward E. Peay  
did not pay the said note, he the said  
Theodore H. Sayre would go to one  
Frederick I. Locke's family and  
tell them that he the said Edward E. Peay  
was a seducer.

Whether he the said Edward E. Peay owed  
him the said Theodore H. Sayre any money  
when he the said Theodore H. Sayre got the said  
note from him the said Edward E. Peay.

And the jurors aforesaid upon  
their oath aforesaid, do further present:  
That the said Edward E. Peay  
on the said twenty second day of  
November in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and seventy nine

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at the said City of New York in  
the County of New York aforesaid  
upon such examination and inquiry  
into the charge aforesaid then and there  
offered himself as and became a witness  
to sustain said complaint charge and  
affidavit and was in due form of law  
sworn by and did take his corporal  
oath before him the said Francis  
Sherman Smith as such police justice  
as aforesaid to tell the truth the whole  
truth and nothing but the truth touching  
and concerning the charge affidavit  
and complaint so made as aforesaid,  
and the matters and things therein contained  
(he the said Francis Sherman Smith as  
such police justice as aforesaid having  
then and there full and competent  
power and authority to administer the said  
oath to him the said Edward E. Ray in  
that behalf) and he the said Edward E. Ray  
being so duly sworn as aforesaid, he the said  
Theodore H. Sayre being then and there present, did falsely,  
wilfully, wickedly, feloniously and corruptly say, swear, depose,  
make oath and testify among other <sup>things</sup> in substance and to the effect  
following that is to say: that the note then and there shown to him  
(the said note ~~being~~ which was then and there shown to him the said  
Edward E. Ray meaning thereby) was wholly without consideration.

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That there was no money consideration given for it (the said note meaning thereby) that there was no money consideration given for it (that no money had been at any time lent or delivered by him the said Theodore H. Sayre to him the said Edward E. Pray which entered into or formed part of the consideration for the giving of said note by him the said Edward E. Pray to him the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby) that at the Sturtevant House (the said Sturtevant House in the City and County aforesaid meaning thereby) in or about the month of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight, I (the said Edward E. Pray meaning thereby) told him (the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby) that I (the said Edward E. Pray meaning thereby) never would pay that note (the said note meaning thereby). That at the time (that in or about the month of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight meaning thereby) I (the said Edward E. Pray meaning thereby) did not owe Mr. Sayre (him the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby) any money. That he (the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby) owed me (in or about the month of April

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one thousand eight hundred and  
seventy eight owed him the said  
Edward E. Pray (meaning thereby)

money.  
That in March one thousand eight hundred  
and seventy nine (that in the month of  
March one thousand eight hundred and  
seventy nine meaning thereby) he  
(the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby)  
said (said to him the said Edward E. Pray  
meaning thereby) I hear (that he the said  
Theodore H. Sayre heard meaning thereby)  
that you (that he the said Edward E. Pray meaning  
thereby) was engaged to be married and I  
(the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby)  
want the note (the aforesaid note  
meaning thereby) settled up, that if you (he the said  
Edward E. Pray meaning thereby) do not pay it  
(the said note meaning thereby) I (he the said  
Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby) would go  
to General Locke's family (to one Frederick  
T. Locke's family meaning thereby)  
and tell them I (that he the said Edward E. Pray  
meaning thereby) was a seducer.

That I (the said Edward E. Pray meaning thereby) did  
not owe him (the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby)  
when he (the said Theodore H. Sayre meaning thereby)  
got the note (got the said note from him the said Edward E. Pray meaning thereby)

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Whereas in truth and in fact the said note was not wholly without consideration, but was made and given by the said Edward E. Pray to the said Theodore H. Sayre for the consideration of merchandise received and obtained from the said Theodore H. Sayre by him the said Edward E. Pray and money received by him the said Edward E. Pray from him the said Theodore H. Sayre and money expended by him the said Theodore H. Sayre for him the said Edward E. Pray to the full amount of said note as he the said Edward E. Pray then and there well knew and <sup>in truth and in fact</sup> Whereas there was and had been a money consideration for the said note, to wit, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars in money which he the said Theodore H. Sayre had lent to him the said Edward E. Pray before the giving of said note by him the said Edward E. Pray to him the said Theodore H. Sayre which was unpaid and undischarged at the time of such giving of said note as he the said Edward E. Pray then and there well knew and <sup>in truth and in fact</sup> Whereas in truth and in fact divers sums of money amounting in the aggregate to the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars in money

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had been at divers times lent and delivered by him the said Theodore H. Sayre to him the said Edward E. Pray which entered into and formed part of the consideration for the giving of said note by him the said Edward E. Pray to him the said Theodore H. Sayre as he the said Edward E. Pray then and there well knew and

Whereas in truth and in fact he the said Edward E. Pray did not tell him the said Theodore H. Sayre at the said Sturtevant House in the City and County aforesaid in or about the month of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight or at any other time or place that he the said Edward E. Pray would never pay the said note all which he the said Edward E. Pray then and there well knew and

Whereas in truth and in fact he the said Edward E. Pray in and about the month of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight did owe to him the said Theodore H. Sayre the aforesaid sum of four hundred and seventy six dollars in money being the amount of the note aforesaid which was then due, owing and unpaid, and divers other sums of money to the jurors aforesaid unknown, all which he the said Edward E. Pray then and there well knew and

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Whereas in truth and in fact he the said Theodore H. Sayre did not in the month of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy nine in the store of him the said Theodore H. Sayre or at any other time or place say to him the said Edward E. Pray that he the said Theodore H. Sayre heard that he the said Edward E. Pray was engaged to be married, that he the said Theodore H. Sayre wanted the said note settled up, that if he the said Edward E. Pray did not pay the said note, he the said Theodore H. Sayre would go to the said Frederick G. Locke's family and tell them that he the said Edward E. Pray was a seducer, nor did he the said Theodore H. Sayre then and there make any of such statements to him the said Edward E. Pray all which he the said Edward E. Pray then and there well knew and whereas in truth and in fact he the said Edward E. Pray did then and there when he the said Theodore H. Sayre got the said note from him the said Edward E. Pray owe him the said Theodore H. Sayre the aforesaid sum of four hundred and seventy six dollars in money and ~~over~~ <sup>divided</sup> other sums of money to the jurors aforesaid untill now, all which he the said Edward E. Pray then and there well knew

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And ~~the~~ <sup>also</sup> jurors aforesaid upon  
their oath aforesaid do further present:  
That he the said Edward E. Peay  
on the said twenty second day  
of November in the year of  
our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and seventy nine  
at the City and County aforesaid  
before the Honorable Francis Sherman Smith  
as such Police Justice as aforesaid  
(he the said Francis Sherman Smith  
having then <sup>as such Police Justice as aforesaid</sup> full, competent  
and lawful power and authority  
to administer the said oath to him  
the said Edward E. Peay)  
of his own act and accord  
feloniously, wilfully, wickedly, maliciously  
and corruptly did commit wilful and  
corrupt perjury against the form  
of the Statute in such case made  
and provided and against the peace  
of the people of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

Daniel G. Polling  
District Attorney.