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Gaffney, Daniel

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Gaffney, James

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Counsel,  
Filed 11 day of Nov 1886  
Pleadg. Not guilty (in)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Daniel Gaffney  
and  
James Gaffney

(Section 219, Penal Code.)

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

3 copies by order  
True Bill. factual

*[Signature]*

Sent to Special Foreman  
24th Dec 1886  
A. H. ...

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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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

*Daniel Figgery*  
and  
*James Figgery*

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

*Daniel Figgery and James Figgery*

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

The said

*Daniel Figgery and*  
*James Figgery, both*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *18th* day of *July*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *William Ryan*,  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *in* the said *William Ryan*,  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *William Ryan*, 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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DESCRIPTION:

Gearon, William

DATE:

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J. B. House  
3/17 Bondman  
Counsel, *H. H. H.*  
Filed, *1/18* day of *Nov* 188 *6*  
Pleads, *Indictment*

Grand Larceny, *Indictment* degree  
(FROM THE PERSON)  
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*William Gearon*  
*Dec 21/88*

*Speed & Dependent*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Clear Lindy* Foreman.

*Dec 17/88 Dec 10/88*  
*J. S. P. G. P. A.*  
*Dec 21/88 S. P. B.*

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0716

Police Court—10th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 109 Malberry Street, aged 40 years,  
occupation Iron Merchant being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 7th day of November 1886 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and  
~~place~~ of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money of  
the United States consisting of  
a bank note of the denomination  
of Two Dollars and a gold tenth piece  
all being valued at 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 William Georn (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:  
at about the hour of eleven o'clock  
P. M. on the above described date  
as deponent was walking down  
 Canal Street having the said money  
and tenth piece in the left pocket  
of the over then worn by deponent  
as a portion of his travel clothing  
when the said defendant placed his  
defendant's hand in the said pocket  
and took therefrom the said property.

John Bonner

Sworn to before me, this 7th day

of November 1886  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*William Gearon*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*New York*

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

Answer.

*79 Baxter Street - 3 days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*Printer*

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 demand an examination*

*William Gearon*

Taken before me this

day of *August* 1886

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

X188 B 11909  
Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John P. Jones  
William M. Jones  
William M. Jones

1  
2  
3  
4  
Offence \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_

Magistrate.  
Precinct.

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

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No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer

\_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1886 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0719

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*William Fagan*

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

*William Fagan*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *First* DEGREE, committed  
as follows:

The said

*William Fagan,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*seventh* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the  
*night* time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one promissory note for the  
payment of money, to the  
said called United States  
Treasury notes, of the denom-  
ination and value of two  
dollars, and one hundred and  
the value of three dollars,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *John Bonner*,  
on the person of the said *John Bonner*, then and there being  
found, from the person of the said *John Bonner*, 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. Smith*

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Gerity, Michael

DATE:

11/03/86



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Crowley, Cornelius

DATE:

11/03/86



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Witnesses:

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Shelton

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1888

Pleads,

Indigently (4)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Gentry

and

Cornelius Crowley

Robbery, [unclear] degree.  
[Sections 224 and 22, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]

Foreman.

Chas. H. [unclear]

No. 1.

Fred. H. [unclear]

Chas. H. [unclear]

Q. Chas. H. [unclear]



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0723

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

of No. *Federick Kump* Street, aged *61* years,

occupation *Tailor*

that on the *23rd* day of *October* 188*6*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *He was violently*

*Assailed and assaulted on Canal Street*  
*And a gold watch and chain forcibly*  
*taken from his possession as more*  
*fully set forth in the accompanying*  
*Affidavit. That Cornelius Crowley*  
*now present deponent identifies*  
*as one of the persons who so assailed*  
*and assaulted him, and as the person*  
*referred to in said Affidavit as*  
*the one not arrested and who so*  
*held deponent during the commission of the felony*  
*of Robbery.*

*Subscribed before me this*  
*23rd day of October 1886*  
*at New York*  
*Police Justice.*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0724

Police Court--<sup>1st</sup> District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss  
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 62 Roosevelt Street, Aged 61 Years  
Occupation tailor being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
23rd day of October 1886, at the 6th Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One single cased gold watch  
and gold watch Chain together  
of the value of Seventy Dollars

~~of the value of~~

the property of

Deponent

~~DOLLARS~~

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was  
feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

Michael Gervy (now here) and  
another man not now arrested  
for the following reasons to wit:  
that at about the hour of nine  
o'clock & thirty minutes P.M. on said  
date deponent was standing on the  
corner of Canal & Baxter Streets at  
a Political Meeting the said other man  
not now arrested forcibly seized hold  
of deponent from behind deponent  
around the body with both of his  
arms and held deponent while the  
defendant Gervy forcibly jerked

attached to said watch  
the chain and abstracted the aforesaid  
watch from the left hand pocket  
of defendant worn by defendant  
as a portion of defendant's clothing  
and defendant shouted loudly stop  
thief, and defendant positively identifies  
the said defendant as the person  
that did forcibly take said watch and  
carry away said property

Sworn to before me  
this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1888  
Andrew J. White

Frederick H. Jones

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 1888 Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1888 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 1888 Police Justice.

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—ROBBERY.

1.  
2.  
3.  
4.

Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198—200.

10th

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Michael Gerity*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*28 Chrystie Street 2 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*Shoe Maker*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Michael Gerity*

Taken before me this

day of

*Michael Gerity*

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0727

Sec. 108-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

District Police Court.

*Cornelius Crowley* 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.

*Cornelius Crowley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*20 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*This City*

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

Answer.

*1074 Bayard Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Brass Polisher*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge  
I never saw the complainant  
in my life before I can produce  
witnesses to show when I was at the  
time of the alleged robbery*

*Cornelius Crowley*

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0728

The preceding Magistrate  
at the 1st Dist Police Court  
will please determine the  
within case in my absence

William Smith  
Robertson

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

Residence

X25- 1st 1012  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Smith  
Michael Smith  
Cornelius Crowley  
Offence

Dated

Oct 24 1886

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

Witnesses

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

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

Michael Gerity Cornelius Crowley  
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Ten 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 Oct 24 1886 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1886 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 1886 Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0729

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Michael Feghty  
and  
Cornelius Crowley

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

Michael Feghty and  
Cornelius Crowley

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the First degree, committed as follows:

The said

Michael Feghty and  
Cornelius Crowley, both -

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
Twenty third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-six, in the night time of the said day, at the Ward, City  
and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Fredericka Henry,  
in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

one watch of the value of  
fifty dollars, and one chain  
of the value of twenty  
dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Fredericka Henry,  
from the person of the said Fredericka Henry, against the will,  
and by violence to the person of the said Fredericka Henry,  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away,

of them the said Michael Feghty  
and Cornelius Crowley, being then  
and there aided by an accomplice  
actually present, to wit: each by the other

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.

Charles H. Smith,  
District Attorney

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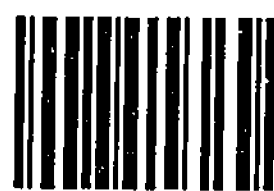
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DESCRIPTION:

Gersch, Joseph

DATE:

11/12/86



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POOR QUALITY  
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Witnesses:  
J. H. Winger

Counsel,  
Filed day of Nov 1886  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Joseph Gersch  
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree  
[Sections 628, 68 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. H. Chamberlain  
Clerk of Court  
Foreman.  
Charles J. D.  
J. H. Winger

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0732

Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 120 Princeton Street, aged 54 years,  
occupation Restaurant keeper being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 9th day of November 1886 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 :

cloak  
One over-coat valued at  
Forty Dollars  
\$40.00  
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 Joseph Gersch (now dead)

for the reasons following to wit:  
on the hour of 2. A. M. on the  
above described date the said defendant  
came into deponent's restaurant  
the said coat being at the time  
on a hook in said restaurant,  
deponent having received the said  
overcoat saw the said defendant  
leaving said store and is informed  
by Officer Cottrell of the Sixth  
Precinct that he Cottrell found the  
said property in the possession  
of defendant and deponent fully  
identifies the same as the property  
stated.

Wm. T. Dechner

Sworn to before me this

day

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0733

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 33 years occupation Police Officer of No.

6th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Teseanu

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

9th } John Cottrell  
November 1888

PLA Kuffly

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0734

Sec. 198—200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me this  
day of *January* 188*8*

Police Justice.

*I am guilty of*  
*the charge*  
*Joseph Gersch.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0735

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

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
OF THE COMPLAINT OF

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Office

Dated Nov 9 188

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
Magistrate  
Criminal Officer  
Precinct 6

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

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 Nov 9 188 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0736

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Joseph T. Farnsworth*

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

*Joseph T. Farnsworth* —

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

The said

*Joseph T. Farnsworth,*

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

*one parcel of the value of*

*forty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*William Farnsworth,* —

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. Smith*

District Attorney.

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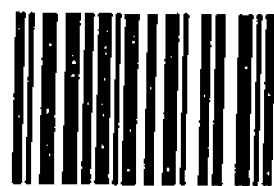
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Gieseke, Henry

**DATE:**

11/19/86



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Witnesses :

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L. Ansbacher.  
Counsel, *W. Chambers*  
Filed 14 day of *Nov* 1886.  
Pleads *Not guilty* 13

*Not guilty*  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*H. B.*  
*Henry Giesche*  
*36 Putzger St.*  
*Nov. 3, 1886*  
Violation of Excise Law.  
(Sunday).  
[III Rev. Stat., (7th Edition), page 1083 Sec. 21, and  
page 1080, Sec. 5].

RANDOLPH B. MARTENE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill, *Dec 8/86.*

*I Plead Guilty*

*Fine \$20.00*

*Alcaro Andy Foreman.*

*will plead*

0739

Excise Violation—Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT—3 DISTRICT.City and County } ss.  
of New York,

E. J. Donnelly  
 of No. 7th Precinct Police Street,  
 of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 7th day  
 of November 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at  
 premises No. 5th Avenue Street,

Henry Giesaka (now here)  
 did then and there SELL, CAUSE, SUFFER and permit to be sold, and GIVEN AWAY under his  
 direction or authority strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors,  
 to be drunk as a beverage contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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

Sworn to before me, this 7th day }  
 of November 1888 } Edward J. Donnelly  
A. J. Patterson Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss

Henry Giesecke 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 Giesecke

Question How old are you?

Answer

19 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer

Germany

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

Answer

56 Rutgers St - 3 weeks

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Sailor

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 demand a trial by jury

Henry Giesecke

Taken before me this

7th

day of

March

1888

John H. Watson

Police Justice.

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by Wm. J. Newton  
Residence 147th Street, 1st St.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court - 3rd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

E. J. Smully

vs.

Henry Gieraka

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Offence Viol. 1st  
Class. Gen.

Dated Nov 7 1886

Pollman Magistrate.

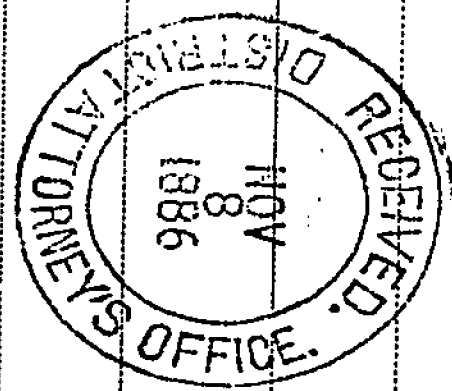
Smully Officer.

7 Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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



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

\$ 100. to answer E. J.

Bailed

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

Henry Gieraka

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of one 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 Nov 7 1886 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated November 7 1886 J. M. Patterson 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1886 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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ORIGINAL

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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

*Harry Alexander*

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

*Harry Alexander*

of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE  
ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said

*Harry Alexander*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*seventh* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same  
being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms,  
certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit : One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one  
gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill  
of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain  
intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to

*Edward J. Donnelly, and to*

certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against  
the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People  
of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

*Harry Alexander*

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE, ON SUNDAY  
committed as follows :

The said

*Harry Alexander*

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, the same being the first day of the week,

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commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away as a beverage to

*Edward J. Donnelly, Asst. -*

certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**THIRD COUNT:**

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

*- Henry Fiesche -*

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

*Henry Fiesche.*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of certain premises at number

*56 Rutger Street -*

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, 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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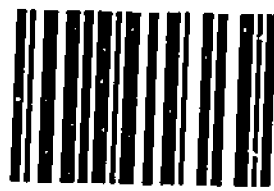
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DESCRIPTION:

Gill, William

DATE:

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Sheehan, James P.

**DATE:**

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DESCRIPTION:

Lynch, Daniel

DATE:

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hart, Abe

**DATE:**

11/12/86



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Shine, William

DATE:

11/12/86



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1. 2 & 3. H. Chelmon  
3. R. Butler

Counsel, *[Signature]*  
Filed day of Nov 1886  
Pleads 1. 2 & 3  
445 *Chelmon* 23.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
William Gill  
James P. Sheehan  
Daniel Lynch  
Abel Hart  
William Shine  
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree  
[Sections 628, 68 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
445 - Court Sq. Ct.  
Nov 22/86

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*  
Let it stand  
*[Signature]*  
S. I. Two years each.

Witnesses:



CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 102 DISTRICT.

of No. 25 Roosevelt Street, aged 21 years,  
occupation Cin Smith  
that on the 28th day of October 1886

~~being duly sworn deposes and says~~  
~~at the City of New York, in the County of New York,~~ deponent Met  
the defendant James Sheehan  
at about the hour of two o'clock  
P.M. in company with three or  
four other boys in New Chamber  
Street between William & Pearl Streets  
Sheehan called deponent and asked  
deponent if he desired to purchase  
a watch and deponent said let me  
see the watch and he Sheehan showed  
deponent the watch and deponent asked  
him Sheehan where he got the watch

Police Justice

and Sheehan said he found the watch on Broadway in the Parade and deponent asked how much do want for the watch and one of the other boys said Forty Dollars and deponent said Keep the watch deponent offered them seven dollars for the watch and they refused to take the money and Sheehan and the other boys went into a pawn shop opposite where deponent was talking to them and pawned the watch and deponent gave Sheehan three dollars for the pawn ticket and deponent gave Sheehan fifty cents for the chain the deponent thought the chain was brass and watch represented by pawn ticket was identified by complainant  
I went to before the  
this 5th day of November 1886 Eugene Russell

Police Court,  
District,

THE PEOPLE

ON THE COMPLAINING

Dated

Witness,

Police Justice

Disposition,

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation William F. Burgholte of No. Police Officer

27 Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Annice Van Hamme

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

Sworn to before me, this 5th

day of November 1886

W. F. Burgholte

PLG Puffy  
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation Patrick T. Feeney of No. Police Officer

27 Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Annice Van Hamme

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 5th

day of Nov 1886

Patrick T. Feeney

PLG Puffy  
Police Justice.



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ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 23 years, occupation Smith of No.

25 Roosevelt Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of Nov 1888

Joseph Russell  
Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 123 Washington Street, aged 39 years,  
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1886 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:

✓ One ~~small~~ small case gold watch with gold  
chain attached, valued at One Hundred and fifty dollars  
✓ One pair of opera glasses valued at Twenty-five dollars  
✓ One box containing a pair of gold cuff buttons  
valued at Fifteen dollars  
✓ One diamond pin valued at One Hundred  
and fifty dollars.

✓ One pair of cuff buttons valued at Eight dollars  
✓ One ladies' brass pin valued at Twenty-five dollars.  
and Good and lawful money of the United States  
consisting of Bank Notes of the denomination of Five  
the property of the property of amounting to One Hundred and  
five dollars, and European coins valued at Five  
dollars all being of the amount and value of  
One Hundred and fifty dollars the property of deponent  
and her husband, and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by William Gill, Samuel Sheehan,

James Lynch, Ah Stark, and a man  
named Shine who were acting in

✓ concert for the reasons following  
to wit: on the above described date  
the said property was in a bureau

✓ drawer in deponent's premises, and  
deponent having missed the said  
property is informed by August  
✓ Plough of 44 Oak Street that  
✓ he Plough saw the said Gill, said  
✓ Sheehan, and said Lynch with two  
others standing in front of deponent's  
premises and afterwards saw them enter  
the hallway of said premises. After an

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

day

Police Justice.

how afterwards said informant saw  
the said defendants and said defendant  
two men leave the said premises. Inform-  
ant went to defendant who lives in  
Greening in said premises and asked  
her if she had lost any thing. The  
defendant then went to the room over  
the greening store in said premises  
and found the said property was  
missing. Defendant is further inform-  
ed by Margaret M. Durkin that present  
that said Lynch and said Sheehan came  
into ~~said~~ Margaret M. Durkin's store and  
having wrapped a small blue box  
in wrapping paper asked her Margaret  
M. Durkin to mind the box for them.  
The said Lynch and said Sheehan afterwards  
came after said box and received from  
said Margaret M. Durkin <sup>the said</sup> box. Defendant  
tells the said box which Margaret M. Durkin  
had in keeping for the said Lynch and  
said Sheehan was the box which contained  
the cuff buttons and which was a portion  
of the property stolen. Defendant is  
further informed by Captain Beeghly  
and officer Patrick Henry <sup>of the 2nd Police Precinct</sup> that the  
said William Gill admitted to the  
Captain and officer that he still remains  
outside of the defendant's premises while  
the said Lynch, said Sheehan, said Hart  
and said Shine ~~stole~~ went into the said  
premises and that all he still received  
~~of the proceeds~~ of the larceny was  
one dollar. Defendant is further  
informed by Eugene Russell as <sup>per</sup>  
annexed affidavits and fully identifies  
the watch as a portion of the property  
which was stolen.

Given to defendant  
this 8th day of November 1885 <sup>at</sup> Greening, Vandewater  
J. J. Puffer  
Police Justice



POOR QUALITY  
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Sec. 198—200

15<sup>th</sup> District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. *William Gill*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *New York City*

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

Answer. *19 Morris Street 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, *No Occupation*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*William Gill*

Taken before me this  
*19th* day of *July* 1908  
*[Signature]*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0757

Sec. 108-200

10th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*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.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

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

Answer.

*James P. Sheehan*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



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ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

*Daniel Lynch* 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.

*Daniel Lynch*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*19 West Street 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*Drive a Horse*

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*

*Daniel Lynch*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Police Court - District

1. Miss Tan Diamond  
 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-103

Dated Nov 188

Magistrate.

..... Officer.

Precinct: Ward 10 Precinct 27

Witnesses Alfred Marshall

No. 2164722

WYLLIE & CO. N.Y.

No. 11127 *Washburn* Street.

Wampack Pike Church

Street.

to answer 43

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*Defendants*  
guilty thereof, I order that *each* 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 November 10, 1886 Wm. J. Deady 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.*

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William Tipt, James  
P. Sheehan, Daniel Sugden,  
Ole Mark, and John  
Shine, whose Christian  
name is unknown

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
William Tipt, James P. Sheehan, Daniel  
Sugden, Ole Mark and John Shine, whose real  
Christian name is to the Grand Jury unknown,  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed  
as follows:

The said William Tipt, James P. Sheehan,  
Daniel Sugden, Ole Mark and John Shine, all

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid  
on the twenty eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six —, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, one watch of the value of  
one hundred dollars, one chain of the  
value of twenty dollars, one pair of  
glasses of the value of twenty five dollars,  
one box of the value of five dollars, two sets of  
buttons of the value of seven dollars and  
fifty cents each, two other sets of buttons of  
the value of four dollars each, one diamond  
pin of the value of one hundred and fifty  
dollars, one breast pin of the value of  
twenty five dollars, the sum of one  
hundred and five dollars in money,  
lawful money of the United States and  
of the value of one hundred and five  
dollars, and divers coins, of a number,  
kind and denomination to the Grand  
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of  
two dollars, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Annie Van Damm.

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. Smart

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

William T. L., James  
P. Sheehan, Daniel Synder,  
Alfred Stark, and John  
Shine, whose Christian  
name is unknown

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
William T. L., James P. Sheehan, Daniel  
Synder, Alfred Stark and John Shine, whose real  
Christian name is to the Grand Jury unknown,  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed  
as follows:

The said William T. L., James P. Sheehan,  
Daniel Synder, Alfred Stark and John Shine, all

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid  
on the twenty-eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, one watch of the value of  
one hundred dollars, one chain of the  
value of twenty dollars, one pair of opera  
glasses of the value of twenty-five dollars,  
one box of the value of five dollars, two sets of  
trunk locks of the value of twenty dollars and  
fifty cents each, two other sets of trunk locks of  
the value of twenty dollars each, one diamond  
pin of the value of one hundred and fifty  
dollars, one breast pin of the value of  
twenty-five dollars, the sum of one  
hundred and seven dollars in money,  
bank money of the United States and  
of the value of one hundred and five  
dollars, and divers coins, of a number,  
kind and denomination to the Grand  
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of  
two dollars, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Annie Van Dams, —

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.

Handwritten signature of District Attorney

District Attorney.



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gillen, John

DATE:

11/03/86



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POOR QUALITY  
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13. B

Counsel, *Heckler*  
Filed *Nov. 3* 1886

Pleads *Not guilty* 14

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*John Wilson*  
*Dec 13/86*

*Officer Henry B. B.*

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Per. Two m.*

A True Bill.

*W. J. Martin*  
Dec 13/86

Foreman.

*H. S. P.*  
*Nov 29 1886*

*G. S. P.*  
*Dec 1 1886*

*G. S. P.*  
*Dec 1 1886*

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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15th  
Police Court— District

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

of No. 129 Mulberry Street,

Friday the 22nd day of October being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

in the year 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John Gillen (now here)  
Who did wilfully and maliciously  
cut and stab deponent  
on the head and in the left  
leg with the blade of a knife  
then and there held in his  
hands and said assault  
was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me this 23rd day  
of October 1886

Francis P Boyle

POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198—200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

10th District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty of stabbing  
the complainant  
John Gillen

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

13. 13  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Maurice H. H. H.  
John Gillen  
Offence Glorious Assault

Dated Oct 23 188

White  
Magistrate  
Martin Hogan Officer.

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

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

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

John Gillen  
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 Oct 23 188  
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.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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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 Fiddler*

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

*John Fiddler*

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

The said

*John Fiddler,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*Twenty-second* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force of arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Francis C. Boyle* -  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *in* the said *Francis C. Boyle* -  
with a certain *knife* -

which the said

*John Fiddler* -

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound,

with intent

*in* the said *Francis C. Boyle* -

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

*John Fiddler* -

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

The said

*John Fiddler,*

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 *Francis C. Boyle* -  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make an assault, and *in* the said

*Francis C. Boyle* -

with a certain

*knife* -

which

*in* the said *John Fiddler* -

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

*Read and returned*

*Subscribed and sworn to*

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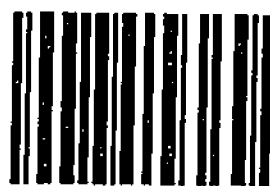
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DESCRIPTION:

Gilmore, Edward

DATE:

11/29/86



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gilmore, Edward

DATE:

11/29/86



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Witnesses:

It appearing by the within affidavits that it is impossible to secure the attendance of Wm. H. Wagner 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 Edward

Gilmore

be discharged on his own recognizance.

N. Y. Feb'y. 4 1887

Randolph B. Martine  
District Attorney

Counsel, Atty

Filed 29 day of Nov 1886

Pleads, Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Gilmore

Affidavit Wanted

[Sections 224 and 22 Penal Code.]  
Robbery, 1st degree.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Feb'y 4/87 District Attorney.

Discharged on his own

recognizance

A True Bill.

J. W. Martine

Jan'y 13/87

G.S.

Jan'y 5/87

Dec 24/86

Jan'y 13/87

Jan'y 6th Dec 29/86

G.S.



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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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PART I.

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

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To

of No.

William H. Wegner  
364 Bleecker 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 Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the 5 day of January instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

Edw. Gilmore

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 Dec., in the year of our Lord 1886

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the Precinct,

in the City of New York. On the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1887

I called at No. 364 Bleecker Street.

the alleged residence of William H. Wegner

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the sister of the said Wegner that her brother formerly boarded with her but left there about 2 weeks ago and that she has not seen him since and does not know where he now resides or where he can be found, and that she does not know where he is employed. I have called on two or three previous occasions but have been unable to ascertain the present whereabouts of the said William H. Wegner

Sworn to before me, this

5 day

of

January, 1887  
Randolph L. Schaaf  
Clerk of Deeds  
N.Y. City & Co.

Andrew Nugent

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*A. Gilmore*

City of New York, ss.:

*Andrew Nugent*  
*15<sup>th</sup>*

being duly

Precinct,

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the

in the City of New York. On the

day of

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I called at

*No. 364 Bleeker Street.*

the alleged residence

of *William H. Wegner*

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the sister of the said Wegner that her brother formerly boarded with her but left there about 2 weeks ago and that she has not seen him since and does not know where he now resides or where he can be found, and that she does not know where he is employed. I have called on two or three previous occasions but have been unable to ascertain the present whereabouts of the said William H. Wegner

Sworn to before me, this

day

of

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*Rudolph L. Schaaf*  
County of Deeds  
N.Y. City & Co.

*Andrew Nugent*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0773

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Wm. H. Wagner

vs.

Edward Gilmore

Offense: Robbery

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of Police Officer

Andrew Nugent

15<sup>th</sup>

Precinct.

Failure to Find Witness.

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ORIGINAL

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*Affidavit Wanted*

**PART I.**

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue. Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Wm. H. Wegner*  
of No. *364* *Bleecker* 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 Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the *5* day of *January* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Edw. Gilmore*  
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 *Dec*, in the year of our Lord 188*6*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 188*7*, I called at *No. 364 Bleecker Street*

the alleged residence of *William H. Wegner* the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by *his* sister that her brother left there sometime ago and that she has not seen or heard of him since and does not know where he resides or where he is employed.

I have called on several previous occasions and have made diligent inquiry but have been unable to ascertain the present whereabouts of the said *William H. Wegner*.

Sworn to before me, this

*5* day

188*7*

*Rudolph L. Schauf*  
Court of Deeds  
N.Y. Cit

*Dennis Halman*  
Subpoena Server.



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ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Rudolph L. Schauf*

County of New York, ss.

*Dennis Halman*

being duly

and says: I reside at No. *76 Mott*

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 188*7*, I called at *No. 364 Bleeker Street*

the alleged residence of *William H. Wegner* the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by *his* sister that her brother left there some time ago and that she has not seen or heard of him since and does not know where he resides or where he is employed.

I have called on several previous occasions and have made diligent inquiry but have been unable to ascertain the present whereabouts of the said *William H. Wegner*.

Sworn to before me, this *5* day

*January* 188*7*  
*Rudolph L. Schauf*  
Court of Deeds  
N.Y. Cit

*Dennis Halman*  
Subpoena Server.

being duly sworn, deposes and says he

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon

*Dec 29* at

*Jan 3* 188*7* by

on the day of

Sworn to before me, this day of 188

Notary Public,  
N. Y. Co.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Wm. H. Wegner

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Edward Gilmore

Offense: *Arson*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Dennis Palmer

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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POOR QUALITY  
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PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

Affidavit Wanted

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To

William H. Wegner

of No.

364 Bleeker

Street,

not known there

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 Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the 2 day of Feb. instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

Edw. Gilmore

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 Jan. in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 31 day of January 1887, I called at 364 Bleeker Street

the alleged residence of William H. Wegner the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by a lady who resides there that she has not seen him in about 2 or 3 weeks and does not know where he is or where he can be found.

Sworn to before me, this 2 day

of February, 1887

Rudolph L. Schauf  
Clerk of Deeds  
N. Y. City

John W. Huntley

Subpoena Server.

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Ed Gilmore*

County of New York, ss.

*John W. Huntley* being duly  
sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *602 Triton Ave*

Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the  
City and County of New York. On the *31* day of *January* 188*7*,  
I called at *364 Bleeker Street*

the alleged *residence* of *William H. Wegner*  
the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by a lady  
who resides there that she has not seen  
him in about 2 or 3 weeks and does not  
know where he is or where he can be  
found.

Sworn to before me, this *2* day

of *February*, 188*7*

*Rudolph St. Schauf*  
Clerk of Deeds  
N. Y. City

*John W. Huntley*  
Subpoena Server.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE on the Complaint of

Wm. H. Wagner

vs.

Edw. Gilmore

Offense:

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

John W. Huntley

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

N.Y. General Sessions

The People &c.  
v.  
Edward Gilmore

Please to take notice that we shall move this Court before Hon. Henry A. Gildersleeve, holding Part II thereof on Monday January 21<sup>st</sup> 1884, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, for the discharge of the above named defendant, on the ground that two terms and more have elapsed since the finding of the indictment, and the prisoner has not been brought to trial.

Dated Jan'y. 22<sup>d</sup> 1884.

Yours &c.

Howe & Hummel  
Counsel for Plff.

To

Randolph B. Martine, Esq.,  
Dist. Atty.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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

being duly  
sworn, says that he resides at No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, in the City of  
New York; that he is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age; that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
18\_\_\_\_\_, at Number \_\_\_\_\_ in the City of New  
York, he served the within \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
the \_\_\_\_\_ by leaving a copy thereof with \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to before me, this  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 }  
\_\_\_\_\_

N. D. General Sessions

The People of

Plaintiff,

against

Edward Gilmore

Defendant.

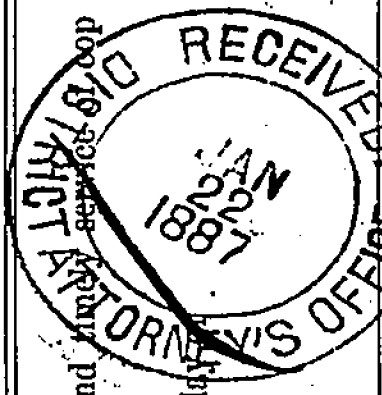
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Notice to Dist. Atty.

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

87 & 89 CENTRE ST., New York City.

Due and proper service of the within  
copy hereby admitted  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney.



To: Randolph B. Martineau, Esq.,  
Dist. Atty.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. 15

New York, Jan 11<sup>th</sup> 1887

Hon Canning S Bedford  
Asst-Dist Attorney  
Dear Sir

I have tried every manner to get information as to the whereabouts of William Wegner, Comp Laiment in case of Robbery against Edward Gilmore, now in custody if you can hold back Gilmore for a while, I think we will be able to get Wegner.

Respectfully  
John D. Hogan  
Capt. 15<sup>th</sup> Precinct



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0783

People  
vs  
Edward G. Bremer  
Capt. Bremer  
Jan 11 - '86

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0784

Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Gilmore

Robbery

Compt can't be found.  
See affs inside. Let  
to kill end of jury term.  
After dinner.

ADP

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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CHARLES J. WEGENER,  
GENERAL PRODUCE  
COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
BUTTER, CHEESE EGGS LARD, ETC.  
28 Little 12th Street,  
*Edward [unclear]*

NEW YORK,

*Jan 6<sup>th</sup>* 1887

*Gunning S Bedford*  
Dear Sir

My Brother William<sup>was</sup>  
Last employed by me and  
he left me suddenly without  
stating where he was going  
in fact I do not know where he is  
Since he left me I am as much  
interested in the case as you are  
if there is any possible means  
of finding him I will do so  
with pleasure

Yours Respectfully  
*Charles J. Wegener*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0786

Police Court-- District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, }

of No 364 Bleeker Street, Aged 32 Years

Occupation Salesman being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the

21 day of Nov 1886, at the 15 Ward of the City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One Pocket Book, containing  
two dollars and fifty cents, in  
good and lawful money of  
the United States

of the value of Two Dollars and 50 DOLLARS,

the property of William H. Wegner

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

Edward Gilmore (now here)  
in the manner following,  
namely: on the night of the  
above date at about two o'clock  
a.m. deponent was standing on  
the corner of West 4<sup>th</sup> St and  
Wooster, when three men (one of  
whom was, and is the defendant)  
approached deponent and one of the  
three said "Give us a drink", at  
the same instant deponent was  
seized from behind by the arms  
and his body bent backwards

day of

Sworn to before me, this

Police Justice



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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And they and there the said  
Gilmore forcibly, violently and  
against deponents will, opened  
deponents bear and from a pocket  
of the same took, stole and carried  
away with said pocket book  
for which reason deponent asks  
that said defendant be dealt with  
as the law directs

Sworn to before me } Wm. A. P. Keegan.  
this 27 day of Nov 1886 }  
J. A. Kilbuck  
Police Justice

Dated 1886 Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 1886 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1886 Police Justice.

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of

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

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
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Dated	1886
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witnesses,	
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
\$ to answer General Sessions.	

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Edward Gilmore*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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No. 1750  
 Police Court District.  
 THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Wm. H. McQuinn  
of the County of Cook  
vs  
Robert  
Robinson  
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 Dated Nov 22 1886  
William H. McQuinn Magistrate.  
William H. McQuinn Officer.  
 Precinct. 15  
 With fees 86  
 No. 1750  
 No. 1750  
 No. 1750  
 Street. St. S.  
 to answer Robert Robinson

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 10th July 1880 188 0 W. K. L. M. J. 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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PART I.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *William H. Wegner*  
of No. *364* *Bleecker* 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 Sessions Building in the Park of the said City, on the *2* day of *February* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Edw. Gilmore*

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 *January*, in the year of our Lord 188

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the Precinct,

in the City of New York. On the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *February* 188

I called at *No. 364 Bleecker Street*

the alleged residence of *William H. Wegner*

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by *the sister* of the said Wegner that she has not seen him in about six weeks, and has not heard of him and does not know where he is. I have called on several previous occasions with the same result. I have also made diligent search and inquiry in that neighborhood and among his friends and have also seen his two brothers but have been unable to ascertain his present whereabouts or where he can be found.

Sworn to before me, this *2* day

of *February*, 188

*Rudolph H. Scharf*  
Com. of Deeds  
N. Y. City & Co.

*Andrew Nugent*



Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Gilmore

City and County of New York, ss.:

Andrew Nugent

being duly

Sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the

15<sup>th</sup>

Precinct,

in the City of New York.

On the

1<sup>st</sup>

day of

February

1887,

I called at

No. 364 Bleeker Street

the alleged

residence

of

William H. Wegner

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the sister

of the said Wegner that she has not seen him in about six weeks, and has not heard of him and does not know where he is. I have called on several previous occasions with the same result. I have also made diligent search and inquiry in that neighborhood and among his friends and have also seen his two brothers but have been unable to ascertain his present whereabouts or where he can be found.

Sworn to before me, this

day

of

February

, 1887

Rudolph H. Scharf  
Com. of Deeds  
N. Y. City & Co.

Andrew Nugent

being duly sworn, deposes and says he

State of New York,  
City and County of New York, ss.

Should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.  
If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the Court Attorney's Office.  
If you know of more testimony than was produced before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think material was not there brought out, please state the same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Wm. H. Wagner

vs.

Edward Gilmore

Offense

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

Affidavit of Police Officer

Andrew Urgent

15th

Precinct.

Failure to Find Witness.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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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

*Edward Fignore*

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

*Edward Fignore*

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the *First* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Fignore*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty First* day of *November*, 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, in and upon one *William H. Wagner*, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*one pocket book of the value of fifty cents, one United States Treasury Note of the denomination and value of two dollars, two United States Treasury Notes of the denomination and value of one dollar each, two silver coins of the value of one dollar each, five silver coins of the value of fifty cents each, and three coins of a smaller denomination to the grand jury unknown of the value of two dollars and fifty cents* of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *William H. Wagner*, from the person of the said *William H. Wagner*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *William H. Wagner*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *the said Edward Fignore* being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown

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

*Randolph B. Smith*

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

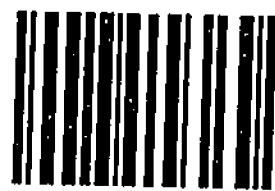
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Gleason, Arthur

**DATE:**

11/01/86



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Witnesses:

On reading and filing  
the indictment, the  
consent to the discharge  
of the defendant on his  
verbal recognizance

G. J. S.  
A. S. H.

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1886

Pleads

Not guilty - (3)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Arthur Gleason

Robbery, 1st degree,  
[Sections 224 and 22, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dec. 10th. District Attorney.

Discharged on his own  
recognizance

A True Bill.

W. J. Amherst

Foreman.

Dec 10th

G. J. S.

Dec 10th

G. J. S.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court-- 3rd District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Samuel Woodward  
of No 246 West 20 Street, Aged 32 Years  
Occupation Salesman being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

21 day of October 1886, at the 10 Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

good and lawful money of the issue of  
the United States consisting of one note  
of the denomination and value of five dollars,  
three notes of the value of one dollar each,  
and one silver coin of the value of one dollar,  
said property being in all

of the value of Five DOLLARS,  
the property of deponent,

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was  
feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

Arthur Sherman (now here) and another  
person not associated, and whose name  
is unknown to deponent but who has been arrested  
since the taking of this deponent and is now in custody of the  
police and that said Arthur seized value  
hold of deponent's watch and held  
deponent when deponent resisted, and  
said Arthur requested said unknown  
person to kick deponent in the stomach  
that said unknown person did kick  
deponent in the abdomen and at  
the same time placed his hands in  
deponent's pockets, deponent had said  
money in the pants pocket of the pants

day of 1886  
Summons to before me, this  
Police Justice

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then worn upon defendant's person  
Defendant gave an alarm and  
said <sup>whereas I am in father's house</sup> ~~unlawfully~~ <sup>to</sup> flee away said  
Arthur was then ~~there~~ arrested by  
officer James J. Ryan of the 10th Precinct  
Police

Sworn to before me this } Samuel Wood.  
21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1886 }  
John J. Gorman  
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime herein 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 1886 Police Justice  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.  
Dated 1886 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 1886 Police Justice

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
vs.	
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3	4
Offence—ROBBERY.	
Dated 1886	Magistrate.
Witnesses,	Officer.
No. Street,	Clerk.
No. Street,	
No. Street,	
\$ to answer General Sessions.	



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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Arthur Sherman* 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

*Arthur Sherman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

*Cincinnati, Ohio*

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

Answer

*324 West 24 Street, 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Butcher*

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*  
*Arthur Sherman.*

Taken before me this

*21*

day of *October* 188*8*

*Henry J. Sherman*  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer *Arthur Gleason*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *England.*

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

Answer. *43 Bowery, 1 year*

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*

*Arthur Gleason*

Taken before me this

*29th*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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11/24 last for 2 PM Oct 22/86

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

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Samuel Ward  
vs. Arthur Sherman  
Arthur Sherman  
Offence Robbery

Dated Oct 31 1886

(Seal) Samuel Sherman  
Magistrate  
Office  
Precinct

Witnesses  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer \$ 1500  
City

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Arthur Sherman Arthur Sherman  
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 Oct 31 1886  
October 29 1886  
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.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0001

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Arthur T. Pearson

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

Arthur T. Pearson -  
of the CRIME of ROBBERY in the 1st degree, committed as follows:

The said Arthur T. Pearson,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Twenty-first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, in the time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Samuel Wood, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

and United States Treasury Note of the denomination and value of five dollars, one Bank Note of the denomination and value of five dollars, three United States Treasury Notes of the denomination and value of one dollar each, and one silver coin of the value of one dollar, -

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said Samuel Wood, from the person of the said Samuel Wood, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said Samuel Wood, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, the said Arthur T. Pearson being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, to wit: by one Arthur Sherman. -

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

David J. B. Martin,  
District Attorney

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0002

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Arthur T. Pearson*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Arthur T. Pearson* -

*attempting to commit*  
of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Arthur T. Pearson*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty-first* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, in the ~~time of the said day~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Samuel Wood* - in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*one United States Treasury Note of the denomination and value of five dollars, one Bank Note of the denomination and value of five dollars, three United States Treasury Notes of the denomination and value of one dollar each, and one silver coin of the value of one dollar,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Samuel Wood*, from the person of the said *Samuel Wood*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *Samuel Wood*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *the said Arthur T. Pearson* being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, to wit: by one *Arthur Sherman* -

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

*David B. Smith,*  
*Prosecutor*



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0003

Manhattan Clothing Co.

183-185 Eighth Ave.

NEAR 19TH ST.

New York, 7<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1886

Mr James M. Guire

Detective Agent

Sir I notify you that I do not  
think I shall be able to appear at  
Court tomorrow as I am not feeling  
well, but should you give me  
for Thursday or Friday. I am  
~~not~~ sure to be in attendance;  
I have caught a severe cold and  
have been obliged to go home so  
do not think I can appear.

Please to notify me whether Thursday  
or Friday will suit  
me. Hoping this will be all  
sufficient. Most Respectfully  
Samuel Wood.

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10<sup>th</sup> Dec 1886

246 West 20<sup>th</sup> St

To District Attorney  
New York.

In the Case of Arthur Gleason  
on Trial for Robbery & Larceny.  
I would respectfully state that  
Henry Jones is the person and  
not Arthur Gleason that  
assaulted me. A mistake was  
made in relation to the said  
Gleason, and after seeing the  
above mentioned Jones I fully  
identified him Jones as the  
robber and not Gleason.  
I would therefore humbly pray  
you to discharge the said  
Gleason from Custody.  
Samuel Wood.

Witness

James M. Jones Det. Sen. &c

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gleason, Martin

DATE:

11/09/86



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#100.3

Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed, 9 day of Nov 1886  
Pleads, \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses:

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Martin Gleason*

Grand Larceny, *first* degree  
(From the Person),  
[Sections 528, 58, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Swaffa* Foreman.

*Heard by 2 day*  
*24th Nov 86*



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## Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

*Patrick Henry*  
of No. *18 Gregory St. Jersey City* Street, aged *25* years,  
occupation *day laborer* being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the *5* day of *November* 188*6* 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 *Eight* time, the following property viz :

~~the property of~~

the reason I left about the hour of 1 o'clock on the night of the aforesaid day, defendant was on the ferry boat. Myself and he had said property attached to said claim in the left hand rear pocket of the vest he then had on. And while defendant was asleep on a seat on said boat, he felt a tug at his claim and aware and found said property gone. And caused said defendant to be arrested by officer Gibson of the 77th precinct police who found said property in his possession. Which defendant fully identifies as being his. And charges said defendant with the larceny of the property aforesaid. D. M. A.

Patrice R. Agnew

*Suorn to before me, this*

day

of 1887

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 29 years, occupation Pass. Officer of No.

74th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Patrick J. [unclear]

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

Sworn to before me, this 3rd  
day of November 1888

Patrick Giblin

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0009

Sec. 198—200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

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

Answer.

*I was drunk. I am not guilty  
I dont know if I took it or not*

*Martin Gleason  
mark*

Taken before me this

day of  
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY  
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0010

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

Ans B  
Police Court 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1st District  
2  
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4  
Offence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated

November 5 1886

Residence

Magistrate.

No. 3, by

Officer.

Residence

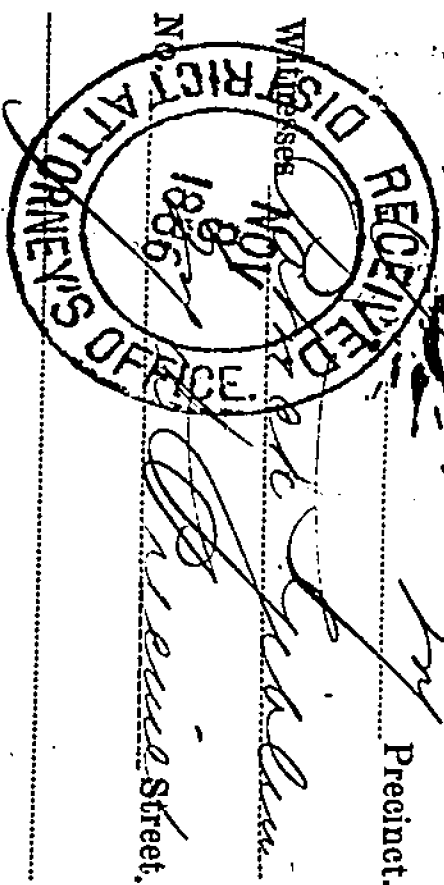
Precinct.

No. 4, by

Street.

Residence

Street.



No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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500 to answer

(Signature)

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

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

Dated November 5 1886 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0011

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 T. Pearson*

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

*Martin T. Pearson* —

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

The said

*Martin T. Pearson,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the

*27th* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the  
*night* time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of*  
*Twenty dollars, and one*  
*chain of the value of*  
*Two dollars, —*

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

*David M. Smith*

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Grady, John F.

DATE:

11/03/86



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Witnesses:

Lee J. McKinnon

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He is extremely poor

Believe it to be his

first offense

7th

Counsel, *P. J. McKinnon*  
Filed *Nov. 1886*

Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John F. Grady*

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. J. McKinnon*

*Nov 1886* Foreman.

*Glenn*

*Not Guilty*

POOR QUALITY  
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0814

Police Court—

1<sup>st</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

Sylvan A. Hammerslough  
of No. 478 Broadway Street, aged 21 years,  
occupation Superintendent of Clothing Manufacturing being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886 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 :

The materials for the man-  
ufacture of Eight Diagonal  
Coats valued at Sixty-  
three Dollars \$63.00  
63 100

the property of The Hammerslough Brothers  
and in the care and custody  
of deponent as Superintendent

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 Grady Smith  
for the reasons following, to wit:  
on or about the above described  
date, the aforesaid property  
was given to the said defendant  
by Samuel Jacobson the  
foreman in deponent's clothing  
manufacture to be made into  
coats. The said defendant having  
failed to return the said coats  
or the value thereof deponent  
charges the said defendant with  
taking, stealing and carrying  
away the aforesaid property.  
Deponent further says that the said de-  
fendant gave back to deponent some less representing  
said property.  
Sylvan A. Hammerslough

Sworn to before me, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September 1886

Edw. J. O'Brien  
Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Samuel Leobenstein*

aged 51 years, occupation Tanner in clothing Manufg of No. 478 Broadway Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me this 2 day of September 1886 } *Samuel Leobenstein*

*W. J. O'Neil*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0015

Sec. 193-200

152

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*  
*John F. Grady*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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New York November 9<sup>th</sup> 1886

To Whom This may Concern  
I hereby certify that I have  
known Mr and Mrs Grady  
of 21 East 4<sup>th</sup> Street for the past  
six months and have always been  
a on her best character and at present  
Mrs Grady is in a delicate condition  
being some five months pregnant  
and wholly dependent upon her  
Husband for support. It would be  
crual to cause her any more  
trouble by prosecuting or sending  
her Husband to Prison in her  
delicate or present condition as it would  
cause a miscarriage and endanger  
her life. Respectfully

Wm. The S. W. H. H. H.  
Office 21 East 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
W. J. G. G.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0010

Sec. 151.

District Police Court.

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

Whereas, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices in and for the said City, by *Stephen A. Haunersloagh*

of No. *478 Broadway* Street, that on the *6* day of *August*  
188*6* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

*The materials for the manufacture*  
*of eight diamond coats*  
of the value of *Sixty-three* Dollars,  
the property of *Stephen A. Haunersloagh Brothers*  
w *as* taken, stolen, and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and  
believe, by *John Brady*

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

Therefore, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said Defendant and forthwith  
bring *him* before me, at the *1* DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence  
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to  
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this *One* day of *September* 188*6*

*ey omh* POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Stephen A. Haunersloagh*  
vs.

*John Brady*

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated

*Sept 22* 188*6*

*Power* Magistrate

*David* Officer

The Defendant

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

Officer.

Dated

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This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest,

Native of

Age,

Sex

Complexion,

Color

Profession,

Married

Single,

Read,

Write,



POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

(w) No. 1028  
Police Court District  
THE PEOPLE & C. Y.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Charles J. Hammond  
478 Broadway  
John Gady  
1  
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Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188  
Magistrate.  
James J. Hendon  
14th St.  
Wingate  
James J. Hendon  
No. 478 Broadway Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 5.00 to answer  
J. G.  
(Cam)

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 Fine 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 Oct 28 188 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0820

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. Fitzgerald

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

John E. Fitzgerald

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

The said

John E. Fitzgerald

late of the First 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- ~~nine~~ —, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

eight rods of the value of  
eight dollars each, fifty pieces  
of steel of the value of two  
dollars each piece, and material  
for the manufacture of eight  
rods (a more particular description  
whereof is to the Grand Jury  
aforesaid returned) of the value of fifty-three dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John H. Hammond, —

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.

Charles J. B. Smith,  
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gray, Robert

DATE:

11/03/86



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44-124-13

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1886

Pleads,

*Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*By 1 J. M. [unclear]*

*Robert Gray*

*Burglary in the Third Degree.*

[Sections 408, 506, 528, 435, 324]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney.*

*22 Nov 1886*

*Read 1 Burg 3d*

A True Bill.

*S. P. 24 Jan*

*[Signature]*

*Foreman*

*See Detainer*

*Callio*

Witnesses:



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ORIGINAL

0823

Police Court—<sup>1st</sup> District.

City and County { ss.:  
of New York,

of No. <sup>10</sup> Counties Slip Nathanial B Thurston Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation Clerk Dep. Rife P. N. G. H. being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 3 St 10 Counties Slip Ward  
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Four story Brick

building

and which was occupied by deponent as an office

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

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking

Open a door in a partition on the second floor of said building leading into said office and entering therein

on the 14th day of October 1886 in the day time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One coat one hat & one umbrella together of the value of Five Dollars

General G. F. Robbins  
the property of In Care and Custody 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

Robert Gray  
(now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: deponent is informed

by Frederick Wurtz of Nos 8 & 10 Counties

Slip that at about the hour of ten

o'clock P.M. on the night of the 23rd

Instant he secretly peeked and fastened

the doors in said premises and at about

the hour of eleven o'clock A.M. on the

Morning of the 24th day of October he saw

the said defendant going out of the

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back room leading to said Office  
with a coat hat and umbrella which  
the defendant did not have when he  
defendant came into the building  
and deponent found in the possession  
of the said defendant and with by  
defendant the above described coat  
and deponent identified said coat  
as a portion of the property taken stolen  
and carried away as aforesaid  
Sworn to before me this A. B. Thurman  
27<sup>th</sup> day of October 1888

Police Justice

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

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

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
1	
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Dated 1888	
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witness,	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	to answer General Sessions.
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ORIGINAL

0025

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation Frederick Wurtz  
Boneless Cod fish of No.

84 Wocentia Slip Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Nathaniel B. Thurston

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

Sworn to before me, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1888 Frederick Wurtz

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0826

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

1st District Police Court.

Robert Gray 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.

Robert Gray

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

New York City

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

Answer.

Windsor Hotel 41 Bowery 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Cook

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

Answer.

I am not guilty  
Robert. Gray

Taken before me this

September 27th  
1885

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0027

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

#14  
1st-16th  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nathaniel O. Thompson  
Prison Superintendent  
Detail - Gray  
Burglary  
Larceny  
Offence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Dec 22 1886

Almonsey Magistrate.

Qales & O'Malley 1887 Officer.

Witnesses Frederick W. Hunt  
No. 4 N. Clinton St. Precinct.

No. 4 N. Clinton St. Street.

St. 14 Crutcher St. Street.

No. 1 St. 14 Crutcher St. Street.

to answer \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Dated Dec 22 1886 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1886 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1886 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0028

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Robert Fugate*

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

*Robert Fugate*

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

The said

*Robert Fugate*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fourteenth* day of *October*, 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

*Charles T. Robinson,*

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

*Charles T. Robinson.*

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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ORIGINAL

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SECOND COUNT—

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

of the CRIME OF *Robert Taylor* *Petit* LARCENY, — committed as follows :

The said

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

*one coat of the value of three  
dollars, one hat of the value  
of one dollar, and one umbrella  
of the value of one dollar,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Charles F. Robbins.* —

in the *Office* of the said

*Charles F. Robbins.* —

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 J. Robertson*  
*District Attorney*

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Griffin, Pard

DATE:

11/12/86



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0031

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Counsel, [Signature] 1836  
Filed, [Signature]  
Pleads, Christy

THE PEOPLE  
vs. [Signature] vs.  
[Signature]  
Grand Larceny, (From the Person),  
degree  
[Sections 628, 629, 630, Penal Code].

Sard Griffin

H.D.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
22 Nov 14/87  
Trick & convicted & L & d.  
A True Bill. S.P.O. 2 years,  
[Signature]  
Foreman.

Nov-19/87  
9.30

Witnesses:

[Signature]  
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Witnesses for Defense  
Martin Ryan  
226 New St

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ORIGINAL

0032

Police Court—

1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County  
of New York, ss.

of No. Thomaston State of Maine Street, aged 39 years,

occupation Stone cutter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9 day of November 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

One open face brass watch  
of the value of twenty 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 David Griffin (now here)

for the following reasons, to wit:  
On the above mentioned date about the hour of 7 o'clock p.m. deponent had the afore-described property in the left hand pocket of his Vest which was then worn on the person of Deponent who was in Company with said defendant. That about one hour thereafter deponent missed said property as having been stolen from said pocket. That deponent subsequently caused the arrest of said defendant by Police officer Thomas J. Kehoe of the 5th Precinct who saw said property drop from

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of November 1886

Notary Public

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0033

Said defendant Cap. That defendant  
then saw said property so dropped  
from said defendant Cap. and fully  
identifies the same as the property  
stolen from his person and possession

Sworn to before me  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November 1886 } Hiram A. Hills

Police Justice



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0834

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 28 years, occupation Police officer of No.

5th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Samuel Hill

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

Sworn to before me, this 10

day of November 1836

Thomas F. Kehoe

P. J. Duffy

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0035

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Paul Griffin* 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.

*Paul Griffin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

*Maine, U.S.*

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

Answer

*Star Lodging House, And one day.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Paul Griffin*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*9*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0836

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 12<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT.

of the 5<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, aged 28 years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of

~~at the City of New York, in the County of New York,~~ *Jersey A*  
*Hills (now here) is a material*  
*witness in the Case of the people*  
*against Paul Griffin on a*  
*Charge of Larceny from the*  
*Person, and deponent prays*  
*that said Hills may be*  
*committed to the House of*  
*detention, as deponent believes*  
*there is good reason to believe*  
*said Hills will not appear at*  
*Court of Genl Sessions to testify as a witness*  
*Thomas F. Kehoe*

Sworn to before me, this  
of 188

188

day

Police Justice.

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Residence \_\_\_\_\_

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ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
 Thomas Smith  
 House of Deputies  
 and City of New York  
 against  
 the Rev.

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Magistrate

1009-1  
Officer

Officer \_\_\_\_\_  
Precinct \_\_\_\_\_

James D. Edwards

5th Avenue Street

House of Deputies

Street.

nt cause to believe the within named.....  
 Paul Griffin  
 held to answer the same and he he admitted

Dated Nov. 10, 1886 J. J. Coffey Police Justice.

*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.*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0030

The People  
vs.  
Pard Griffin.

Court of General Sessions, Part II.  
Before Judge Cowing. Nov. 19. 1886

Indictment for grand larceny in the first degree.

Hiram A. Hills sworn.

I was in the city of New York a week ago last Monday and was with the defendant, Monday night I left Newburgh and got in at twelve o'clock. I had been drinking some the day before, I asked the watchman if I had time to get a drink and how far it was to a saloon, he said up the dock, I went up and two friends with me, we got a drink and went back aboard the boat, the watchman would not let us go into the cabin to have a sleep because we had gone ashore and consequently we had to go back to where we went for the drink, that was the only place open, I staid there until daylight and my two friends they went off the steamer to have a sleep, I was to stay there until they came back and in the morning I missed my watch. Griffin was pretty free with me and asked me if I lost my watch and I told him yes; he says, there is forty cents o pay on this watch that I called for four drinks and did not pay for them. He said, you gave me your watch as security for the forty cents, I had ten or fifteen dollars in cash in my pocket. I did not give the watch as security for drinks but he claimed that I did. It came evening and I got tired waiting for these other two men and I went to go down to take the Jersey ferry, I was going up on the Erie road and I asked the prisoner what time the boat left and he told me and I went to look at my watch to see how lon I would have to wait and I had no watch. I said to him, you have got my watch again; he says, no, I have not, if you have lost it now you have lost it for good.



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the George

Court of General Sessions

We got close by the ferry and the officer asked Griffin what was he doing with this man, he wanted to know if he had my watch? He said, no he had not my watch; the officer searched him and could not find anything and gave <sup>him</sup> a push and he fell down and as he fell down his cap came off and the watch fell out of the cap; the officer asked me if that was my watch, I looked at it and said yes, I did not see the defendant take the watch, I did not give it to him or permit anybody to take it from me. The works of the watch cost me twenty-two dollars but it was in a brass case.

Thomas F. Kehoe sworn. I am an officer of the 5th precinct and on the 9th of November about seven o'clock in the evening I saw the complainant and the defendant at the corner of Warren and West Streets, I followed them over towards the ferry, I was standing in the doorway when they passed me, I saw Griffin make towards the pocket of the complainant, I went over about half way across the street, the defendant saw me and turned around and caught the man by the arm and walked over towards the ferry. When I got up to him I asked him what he was doing with him; he said he was about putting him on the boat that he wanted to go to Sufferns, I asked him if he knew him and if he was his friend and he said he was, I asked him what he was doing with his hands in his pocket and he said that the complainant wanted to go across the ferry and he had no money and he wanted to show him where the money was. I asked the complainant if he had lost anything and he said he had lost a watch and chain but he did not know who took

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me got close by the table and the officer asked him if he

it, I asked Griffin several times if he took this man's watch and chain and he said he had not got it, I searched all his pockets and I struck him and when I struck him the cap fell off and the watch fell on the ground and he ran away about a hundred yards and I caught him.

*Testimony of Martin F. Ryan*  
Martin F. Ryan sworn and examined for the defence, testified: I am a bar-tender at the corner of North Moore and West Streets, I saw the complainant and the prisoner in our place and they had drinks together, I saw the complainant have a watch, he offered me his watch twice in payment for drinks and I refused it. He ran up drinks for forty cents and did not produce any money but produced the watch; the defendant had money and paid for them and asked for the watch as security and the complainant handed him the watch in my presence. I should say the complainant was pretty near half intoxicated when he gave the watch to the defendant.

Pard Griffin sworn. I remember the day when I was arrested and was in the saloon of Mr Ryan with the complainant. We were drinking together at the bar and we had forty cents to pay for drinks, the bar-tender was waiting for the money and the complainant said he didn't have any, he offered the bar-tender the watch which he refused, I said, I will pay for the drinks if you will give me security for it and he passed me his watch and I paid forty cents for the drinks.

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

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THE SECOND DEGREE

I was sitting at the desk in the room where I had been working for some time. I was looking at the papers on the desk and thinking about the work I had done. I was feeling tired and wanted to go home. I was looking at the clock and saw that it was late. I was looking at the door and saw that it was closed. I was looking at the window and saw that it was dark. I was looking at the floor and saw that it was dirty. I was looking at the ceiling and saw that it was low. I was looking at the walls and saw that they were old. I was looking at the furniture and saw that it was cheap. I was looking at the people and saw that they were poor. I was looking at the world and saw that it was full of pain.

I remember the day  
that I first came here.  
I was young and full of hope.  
I was looking for a better life.  
I was looking for a place where I could belong.  
I was looking for a place where I could make a difference.  
I was looking for a place where I could find myself.

CO-PILOT DELIVERED MESSAGE:

and was blessed with great success when he broke the water  
into the water in the house. I found that the children  
were not the water as usually and the children were not

~~The subject of the above is a person who has been on the~~

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and left out and the water left on the floor and he ran  
all the baskets and I struck him and when I struck him the  
water and again and he said he had not got it. I searched  
it. I asked thirty several times if he took from him.

Testimony in the case  
of  
Paul Griffin

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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 F. Higgins*

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

*Samuel F. Higgins* —

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

The said

*Samuel F. Higgins,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the

*Fourth* — day of *November*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the  
*night* time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one watch of the value of*

*Twenty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Thomas A. Hills,*  
on the person of the said *Thomas A. Hills,* then and there being  
found, from the person of the said *Thomas A. Hills,* 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. Smith*

District Attorney.



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Grogan, James

DATE:

11/18/86



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed, 18 day of April 1886

Pleads, *Indictment*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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

*James Hogan*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Wm. J. Lundy* Foreman.

*Dec 7/86.*  
*Wm. J. Lundy*  
*S. P. Lundy*

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Police Court—104 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. St. Carmine Lucy Lynch Street, aged 40 years,  
occupation Labourer being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 11th day of November 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One leather purse containing Good  
and lawful money of the United States  
consisting of Bank notes and bills of  
Legal tender within the value of  
fifteen 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 James Hogan (now free) for

the reason, that about the hour of  
2 30 o'clock P.M. on the aforesaid day,  
while deponent was in Vestry street, he  
had the aforesaid property in his hand  
when said deponent came up to him  
and grabbed the same therefrom and ran  
away with it; whereupon deponent chased  
said deponent, and caused him to  
be arrested, he found said property  
in his possession, he therefore charges  
said deponent with the larceny  
aforesaid.

Lucy Lynch  
sworn

Sworn to before me, this

day

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*James Grogan*

Taken before me this

day of

Police Justice.



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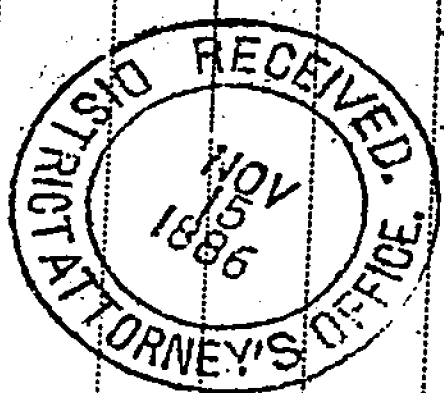
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BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James J. Grogan  
Offence \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1886  
Magistrate,  
O'Connell  
Precinct.



Witnesses  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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 he committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1886 \_\_\_\_\_ 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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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*James Fitzgerald*

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

*James Fitzgerald*

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

The said

*James Fitzgerald*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the

*seventh* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

*day* time of the same day, with force and arms, *one purse*

*of the value of one dollar, and*

*several promissory notes for*

*the payment of money of a*

*number, kind and denomination*

*to the Grand Jury aforesaid*

*unknown, for the payment of*

*and of the value of fifteen dollars,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Julia Lynch*,

on the person of the said *Julia Lynch*, then and there being:

found, from the person of the said *Julia Lynch*, 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.

*Charles H. Martin*

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gumalius, Charles

DATE:

11/08/86



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Counsel, *[Signature]*  
Filed, *8* day of *Nov.* 1886.  
Pleads, *Michiey*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Charles Gumbins*  
INJURY TO PROPERTY.  
[Sec. 651, Penal Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
*In the presence of*  
*Witnessed by a true and*  
**A True Bill.**  
*[Signature]*  
Foreman.

Witnesses:

*Upon reading the*  
*within indictment*  
*of Complaint*  
*I ask that the*  
*prisoner be discharged*  
*on his own*  
*recognizance*  
*Nov. 22nd '86*  
*G. S. D.*  
*A. D. C.*



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

POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.

of No. 205 E 92<sup>nd</sup> St Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1886  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, John G. Gualis

(now here) and wilfully and  
maliciously, break a plate  
glass ~~pane~~ in the door  
of deponent's store as he is  
informed by John F. Lee  
here present that he has seen  
the said defendant break  
the said plate glass; and again  
for that says that said plate  
glass is value of forty  
dollars 40<sup>00</sup> John F. Lee

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 23 years, occupation Bar tender of No. 23- Pearl

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John P. Ryan

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of December 1886

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Charles Gumelius* 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 Gumelius*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *Sweden*

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

Answer. *225 Van Brunt St. Brooklyn, N.Y.*

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 am not guilty*  
*Chas Gumelius*

Taken before me this

*John J. [Signature]*

Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Charles Amadio

Offence

Dated

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Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

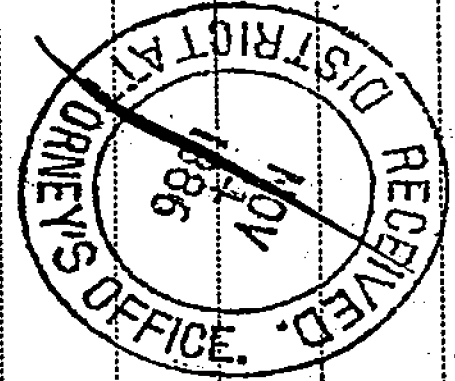
Witnesses

No.

Street

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No.

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to answer

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 Amadio 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 Nov 3 188 Henry Murray 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.



New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

Charles. Tumaline

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. The defendant was drunk at the time he ~~broke~~ broke the glass. And I think if he had been in his right mind he would not have ~~broken the glass~~ done it. He is a man of good character and has made full restitution for the damage done. And I respectfully ask to withdraw the complaint

Witnessed by John P. Ryan  
Wm H. Genschler  
Nov 20/86



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People  
vs  
Chao Guinabur  
Mal Muschiz  
Withdrawal

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Charles Gyman Davis*

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

*Charles Gyman Davis* -

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destruction of* -

PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Gyman Davis* -

late of the *Third* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York

aforesaid, on the *second* day of *November*, in the year

of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the Ward, City and

County aforesaid, with force and arms, *a certain* *same of*

*plate glass* -

of the value of *Twenty dollars* -

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John C. August* -

then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully

*break and destroy* -

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

*Charles Gyman Davis* -

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY

REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Gyman Davis* -

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

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aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain

*pane of plate glass, —*

of the value of *Twenty dollars, —*

in, and forming part and parcel of the realty of a certain building of one

*John P. Ryan, —*  
there situate, of the real property of the said

*John P. Ryan, —*  
then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully

*break and destroy, —*

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.**