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DESCRIPTION:

Smith, John

DATE:

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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Dec 1880

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and
[Receiving Stolen Goods.]

John Smith
alias
James Doyle

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. A. Appleton

Foreman

Charles J. Doyle

2.4.6 Appleton

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POLICE COURT — 1st DISTRICT.City and County }
of New York, } ss:of No. 251 Centre John N. Hayward, Jr. Street, being duly sworn,deposes and says, that the premises No. 251 CentreStreet, 14th Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick
buildingand which was occupied by ~~deponent as a~~ The Welling Compressed Air
Manufacturing Co. were **BURGLARIOUSLY** brokenAnd entered by means of forcibly breaking open an iron
shutter on a rear window of the firstfloor of said premises, at a time between thehour of 6 o'clock P.M. of the 17th of December 1880
And ~~on~~ the hours of the forenoon A.M. of the 18th of December 1880

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

One hundred and fifty Levy Gillies
and Pool Balls, in all of the value of
three hundred dollars, the property of
said Welling Compressed Air Manufacturing
Company, an incorporated Company under
and in accordance with the laws of the
State of New York~~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 John Smith, alias Doyle,now here present,
for the reasons following, to wit: That at said time saidpremises was securely closed and fastened,
said shutter being secured with an
iron bar and lock, and said property was
then within said premises. That on the
morning of the 18th instant deponent found
that said shutter had been broken open
and said property burglariously and feloniously
stolen and carried away therefrom.That deponent was thereafter informed by

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officer James Moran, here present, that
he said officer found a portion of said
stolen property in the possession of
said John Smith alias Doyle, while
he, Smith alias Doyle, was walking
through Pencei street at about the
hour of 9 o'clock P. M. of the 18th inst.
which information department believes to
be true. That the sets of Post Office
now here shown are a portion of
the stolen property aforesaid.

Sworn to before me this } John A. Hayward Jr.
19th day of December 1860 }

Wm. M. Murray, Notary Public

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City and County of New York, St.

James Moran, an officer of the
1st Precinct Police, being duly sworn
deposes and says - That at about the
hour of 9 o'clock on the night of the
18th day of December 1880 defendant found
the son of Paul Ball, now here
shown, in the possession of the
prisoner John Smith alias Vogel
now here, while he, said prisoner,
was walking in Prince Street in
this City.

That said calls have been
identified as a pattern of the property
unlawfully stolen from premises No.
251 Centre Street as related in the
Verizon affidavit of John A. Hayward
Jr.

Sworn to before me this } James Moran
19th day of December 1880

of the 1st Precinct Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty-seven years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *No. 52 First Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Fireman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge.
I have nothing else to say.*

Thomas Doyle

*This defendant said his name was
John Smith, and when asked
to sign his formal examination
he signed it "Thomas Doyle"*

Taken before me, this

15th day of *November* 188 *0*

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Form 60
COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John W. Hayward Jr.
251 Centre St.
Boston

John Smith

John W. Hayward Jr.



Name
Address

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT

Name
Address

Dated *November 19 1950*

Murray Magistrate

Norman J. Moran Officer

McK Clerk

Witnesses

James Moran
Off. Dist. Police

to answer

Amud Sessions

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

*John Smith otherwise known as
Thomas Doyle*

late of the ~~fourteenth~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the ~~eighteenth~~ day of ~~December~~ in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the ~~factory~~ of ~~The Wellington Compressed~~
~~Ivory Manufacturing Company~~ there situate, feloniously and
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said ~~The Wellington~~
~~Compressed Ivory Manufacturing Company~~ then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*One hundred and fifty balls (of the
kind commonly called Billiard Balls)
of the value of one dollar and fifty cents
each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said ~~The Wellington~~
~~Compressed Ivory Manufacturing Company~~
so kept as aforesaid in the said ~~factory~~ then and there being, then and
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York, and their dignity.

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

THAT the said

John Smith otherwise known as Thomas Doyle

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

One hundred and fifty balls (of the kind commonly called billiard-balls) of the value of one dollar and fifty cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

The Welling Compressed Ivory Manufacturing Company

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

The Welling Compressed Ivory Manufacturing Company.

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

John Smith otherwise known as Thomas Doyle

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Smith, Martha

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Counsel

Filed *20* day of *Decr* 188*0*

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vs. Smith

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Martha Smith

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part no Decr 21, 1880

pleads P.L.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. W. Coffey

Foreman.

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Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Martha Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *thirty seven years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *342 East 31st Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Dressmaker*

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

Answer. *I am guilty but I am of having disposed of the things but I intended to return them to you as soon as I would get some money (I would like to see you out of here).*

Taken before me this

4 day of March 1884

Police Justice.

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Fourth District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Frances Norton
 of No. *142 East 91st* Street,
 being duly sworn, depose and saith, that on the *ninth* day of *December* 18*80*
 at the *said premises in the 21st* Ward of the City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
 of deponent,

the following property viz.: *wearing apparel to wit*

*two sacs, two wraps, two silk dresses,
 one night dress, one chemise, one pair
 of drawers, one skirt, and three slips
 and three wide bed spreads, five bed sheets
 five pillow cases, four linen towels,
 three table cloths, and silver plated ware
 to wit twelve plated spoons; two plated
 spoons, seven plated tea spoons,
 eleven plated forks, two sugar spoons
 and two butter knives, in all of the
 value of fifty dollars*

the property of *this deponent a widow*

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 *Martha Smith, (known here)* for

*the reason following to wit: that previous to said
 larceny said articles were by this deponent left
 in said premises and in charge of said Martha Smith
 during the temporary absence of this deponent, that
 after this deponent had returned she found
 said articles missing and said Martha Smith
 then confessed to this deponent that she said
 Martha Smith had taken and pawned said articles*

Frances Norton

Sworn before me this *17th* day of *December*, 18*80*
Mareen O'Sullivan
 POLICE JUSTICE

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Tomb District Police Court
THE PEOPLE &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Francis J. [unclear]
228 [unclear]
Charles W. [unclear]

DATED December 14, 1897

Magistrate

Walsh OFFICER

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WITNESSES:

~~James J. [unclear]~~
James J. [unclear]
\$500 to [unclear]
James J. [unclear]
Cash

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

Martha Smith

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

Two sacking of the value of one dollar each
Two wrappers of the value of one dollar each
Two skirts of the value of five dollars each
Two overskirt of the value of five dollars each
Two waist of the value of five dollars each
One shirt of the value of one dollar
One pair of drawers of the value of one dollar
Three spread of the value of one dollar each
Five sheets of the value of fifty cents each
Five pillows of the value of fifty cents each
four towels of the value of twenty five cents each
twenty one spoons of the value of fifty cents each
eleven forks of the value of fifty cents each
two knives of the value of fifty cents each

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Francis Norton

then and

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

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

Martha Smith

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

Two sacking of the value of one dollar each
Two wrappers of the value of one dollar each
Four skirts of the value of five dollars each
Two overskirt of the value of five dollars each
Two waist of the value of five dollars each
One shirt of the value of one dollar
One pair of drawers of the value of one dollar
Three spread of the value of one dollar each
Five sheets of the value of fifty cents each
Five pillows of the value of fifty cents each
Four towels of the value of twenty five cents each
Twenty one spoons of the value of fifty cents each
eleven forks of the value of fifty cents each
two knives of the value of fifty cents each

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Martha Smith

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

*Two saccques of the value of one dollar each.
Two wrappers of the value of one dollar each.
Two skirts of the value of one dollar each.
Two overskirts of the value of five dollars each.
Two waists of the value of five dollars each.
One skirt of the value of one dollar.
One pair of drawers of the value of one dollar.
Three spreads of the value of one dollar each.
Five sheets of the value of fifty cents each.
Five pillows of the value of fifty cents each.
Four towels of the value of twenty five cents each.
Twenty one spoons of the value of fifty cents each.
Eleven forks of the value of fifty cents each.
Two knives of the value of fifty cents each.*

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

Frances Norton

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

Frances Norton

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Martha Smith

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Counsel,
Filed 15 day of Dec 1880
Pleads Not Guilty.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P. T. Smith

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Marcus Cooper

Foreman.

Dec. 17, 1880

Henry J. Connelley

Grand Juror

L. G. Cooper

J. C.

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Form 112.
STATE OF NEW YORK,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:

Police Court—First District.

John White
of No. 59 Broadway Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 10th day of Decr 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, And from a Wagon in

Charge of deponent in Broadway
the following property, viz: a package containing
one suit of Mens Clothing

of the value of Thirty Two Dollars,

the property of William A. Rice to whom said
property was consigned and with
Care and charge of White

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 Matthew Smith

Now here from the fact that deponent
had said property in charge and was
informed by Officer Kelleher that the
prisoner was by him found with the
property in his possession it having been
taken from a Wagon which deponent had
in charge and which information deponent
believes to be true

John White
City and County of New York
26. Recant being sworn says that he
arrested the prisoner in City Hall Court and
the aforesaid property in his possession John Kelleher

Sworn to before me, this

Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Matthew Smith
Matthew Smith ~~unpleaded~~ being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him; states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Matthew Smith*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Eighteen years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *No. 204 William St.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Peeler*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of
the charge.*
Matthew Smith

Taken before me this
11th day of *September* 1880
Samuel J. Justice
Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

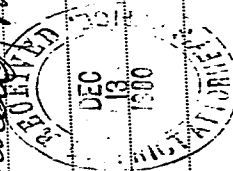
Address,

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mr. Cohen
59 Broadway

Mr. Martin
Residence,



John H. Adams
Magistrate.
Date,

Officer,

Clerk,

Mr. Kelleher
Witnesses
Edw. A. McNeill

Paul J. Connelly
206 Broadway

Mr. J. J. O'Brien
to assist

General Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

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Residence,

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Residence,

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The People } Court of General Sessions. Before Recorder
 Martin Smith } Imythe. December 17. 1888.
 Indictment for grand larceny and receiving stolen goods.
 Patrick J. Connolly, sworn. I am clerk for
 Jessup & Co. wholesale and retail clothiers 252
 and 256 Broadway. I remember the 10th of Dec.
 I saw the prisoner in Court after the arrest.
 I made up in a package a suit of clothes which
 were put in a paper box valued at \$32; the
 package was marked W. A. Reed, Boston, Mass.
 Mr. Reed is one of Jessup & Co. agents in Boston.
 My brother-in-law delivered that package to
 Adams Express that night. I went home. I saw
 the parcel the next morning. Mr. White showed
 it to me; he is the expressman of Adams & Co.
 John White sworn. I received from Jessup & Co.
 on the evening of the 10th a package. I never
 saw it after I put it in my wagon until
 I went to the City Hall precinct and saw it there.
 I gave a receipt for the package to Jessup & Co.
 After I received it, it was my duty to take
 it to the principal office 59 Broadway to put it
 down the slide; there it would be tallied. There
 was no record of that package made that night.
 I don't know how that package got out of the
 wagon. Cross Examined. I have seen the pris-
 oner before I saw him in the station house.
 I had eighteen packages in my wagon there.

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was no wire screen around the wagon; the back was open. Did you see this man (the prisoner) around the wagon that day? No sir. Did you have any assistant on the wagon with you? Yes sir. Did he see any one around the wagon? I could not say. It is the duty of one of your men to stay on the wagon while the other goes in the store? Yes sir. You generally go into the store? Yes sir. What kind of a wagon was it? It was a one horse wagon and a cover to it. Did the cover come down on the side? Yes sir. The tail board was up and chained; that means shut. I should judge the bottom of the wagon was about 13 or 14 inches deep. Are you pretty careful about the manner in which you put packages into the wagon? Yes sir. You did not have a quarter of a load that day? No sir. I had eighteen packages all told. Did these packages come above the body of the wagon? No sir. I have seen the prisoner before this day by Devlin's corner where the apple stand is. I could not name the time I saw him. I have seen him late in the afternoon. I take a pretty sharp look out for people on the corner as my business is that of an expressman. John Kelehan, sworn and examined testified - I am an officer of the 26th precinct. I arrested

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the prisoner on the 10th about 14 to 7 in the evening. I arrested him in the City Hall Park in the rear of the Engine house. He was standing there in company with three other young men and he had this paper box with a suit of clothes in it. That attracted my attention was the private mark on the clothes. I stood there five or six seconds. I asked, "This does this belong to?" "This, man (the prisoner) said, "it belongs to me." Where did you get them? "I bought them. Where did you buy them?" "Well, he says, holding up the coat, they will show for themselves. Jessup & Co was on the coat. I asked him where he lived? He said he lived in Mott street. I say, come along to the station house, I will ascertain whether these belong to you or not. I brought him to the station house. The Sergeant there asked him where he got them? He said he found them. I was there at that time. I went over to Jessup's and then I went to Adams Express Co. The box we delivered to Adams Express Co. by their giving a receipt by order of the Judge. There was no paper on the box, it had been torn off. There was the mark of Jessup & Co on the box, but there was no other address on it; it had the label Jessup & Co, 256 Broadway.

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Martin Smith, sworn and examined testified in his own behalf. I am a peddler. I peddled for myself at Washington Market. I have no stand there. I buy all sorts of goods of the farmers, vegetables, &c. The evening I was coming up from Washington Market through Murray St. and crossing Broadway I picked up this package in the street; the outside paper was full of mud I tore it off and opened it. I was walking up on this side of the Park and two young men saw me and wanted to know what it was. As I was showing them the officer arrested me. He asked me where I lived? I cannot remember whether I told him I lived in Mott street or not. I told him I found them in the station house. I told the officer and the Sergeant the same thing. Cross Examined. That was the first time I ever found goods. I found money. I was arrested once when I was a young man about four or six months ago. I was carrying a box for a young man through Mott St. and an officer arrested me. I was sent to the Penitentiary two months for that. It was a case of medicine and a young man gave me money to carry it. I cannot remember that I told the officer I bought the goods of Jessup. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty. He was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years and six months.

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Testimony in the case
of
Martin Smith
filed 15 Dec.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

Martin Smith

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

One coat of the value of twenty dollars
One pair of pantaloons of the value of
eight dollars
One vest of the value of four dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Martin Smith

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

*One coat of the value of twenty
dollars*

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

One vest of the value of four dollars

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

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

William A. Reid

William A. Reid

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Martin Smith

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Counsel
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416 W. 3rd St.
Blacksmith
THE PEOPLE

William Spaulding
Indictment. Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
W. Arnold H. Cady

Forw'd
Part 2nd. Dec. 23-1878
Blacksmith J. L.

Pen 2 months.

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OF NEW YORK
CITY AND COUNTY

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THIS CASE WAS HEARD AT THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ON THE 17th DAY OF DECEMBER 1890

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THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN J. HENRY
DECEASED

Counsel,
Filed *Dec. 1890*
day of *Dec.* 1890

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THE PEOPLE

Indictment, *Larceny*

William Spaulding

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Marville A. Cooper

Foreman.

Part Inds. Dec. 23-1890

Reads H. P. L.

Pen 2 months.

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OFFICE OF RICHARD V. HARNETT,
AUCTIONEER AND REAL ESTATE BROKER,
No. 111 BROADWAY, TRINITY BUILDING,
ROOMS D & E, BASEMENT.
MONEY LOANED ON BOND AND MORTGAGE.

NEW YORK, Dec 20. 1880

Wm. V. Leary Esq
of Dist Attorney
Dear Sir.

You have one
John Meehan who has been arrested
under the name of John Sullivan
now before you. I was very sorry to hear
that he had got into any trouble as he
is a good young ^{man} of steady habits and
it seems indeed strange how any-
thing could have come across him
that he should be in such a plight.
and I know if you can ever look this
affair over this time you will be doing
an act of justice to save his family
from great grief.

Yours truly
Richard V. Harnett

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STATE OF NEW YORK, } FORM 89½
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } SS. POLICE COURT, SECOND DISTRICT.

John Quigley
of No. 940 Broadway Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 16 day of December 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, ~~attempted to be~~ was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent, 1

the following property, to wit:

together A quantity of shoes

of the value of Ninety Dollars,
the property of deponent

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property-
~~attempted to be~~ was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by

William Spaulding
(nowhere) That deponent saw
said defendant in the act of
opening the door of the show
case containing said property
said show case being at the
entrance to deponent's store in the
Basement of said premises

John Quigley

Sworn to before me, this

of December 1880

day

at New York City, Office of Justice

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Jensen
940 Broadway
William J. Spaulding

Affidavit—Larceny.

DATED *December 14* 1880

Morgan MAGISTRATE.

Dawson OFFICER.

129 Truck

WITNESS:



J. M. S. S. Com
TO ANS.

BAILED BY

No. STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

That

William Spaulding

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

*Forty five shoes of the value of two
dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Suigley

there being found, 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Steinmueller, John

DATE:

12/15/80



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Wm. J. 93
John F. Lee
Day of Trial, *Nov 11* 1880
Counsel, *John F. Lee*
Filed *10* day of *Dec*, 1880
Placed *in custody* (16)
THE PEOPLE
vs. *John Stemmueller*
B
BENJ. K. PHELPS
District Attorney.
Part. for Dec 22, 1880
pleads guilty.
A True Bill.
Marshall H. Cooper
Foreman.
Per 30 days.

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THE COURT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK
DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE RECORDS OF THE COURT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

ATTEST:
CLERK OF THE COURT

0023

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
The People of New York
Against
John Steinmuller

City and County of New York ss:

John Steinmuller of said City of being duly
sworn says, I am the defendant herein
and have been arrested and held to bail
for writing Policy. I was of clerk in a
policy office. I swear that I will not
hereafter become engaged in writing
policy or be connected therewith in
any manner directly or indirectly
but will ~~not~~ ~~engage in~~ ~~any~~ ~~business~~

~~This sworn testimony was taken in my confidential business~~
I sworn to before me
John Steinmuller
This 22 day of December 1880

Chas. Perry
Notary Public nyc Co

Re sworn to before me
This 22 day of December 1880

Chas. Perry
Notary Public
nyc Co

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Count of General Serrano

Chel Campbell

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John J. Hammon

Officer

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

FOURTH DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

of No.

162 East

Thomas O'Brien

street,

that on the

13th

day of

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

January 1880

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

~~being duly sworn and says~~
~~that~~ John Sternmiller (now here)
 at the premises No 250 East 65th Street
 in said city did sell and vend to
 Deponent the written paper or instrument
 hereto annexed marked (A) commonly
 called and known as a Lottery Policy
 and being in the nature of an in-
 surance on the drawing of drawn
 numbers of a certain lottery, and
 for which written paper or instrument
 Deponent paid to said Sternmiller the
 sum of twenty five cents. That said
 Sternmiller keeps, maintains and
 conducts the said premises No 250
 East 65th Street as a place for the sale
 of such Lottery Policies in violation
 of the law.

Thomas O'Brien

Sworn to before me this 14th
 day of January 1880

J. W. Patterson

Police Justice

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Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas O'Brien

vs.

John Stemmler

Dated January 14 1880

Patterson
Magistrate.

Wood
Officer.
28th

William H. H. H. H.
AFFIDAVIT.

0027

Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Steimmüller*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *250 East 65th Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Brewer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*
John Steimmüller

Taken before me this

14 day of

June

1888

Police Justice.

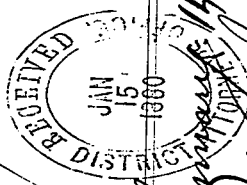
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Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas O'Brien
1620 East 6th St.
Chgo 2-14-7-2nd ave
John Stummeler

Com? by Correll
Dec 3/80



Dated *January 14 1880*
William J. Wood Magistrate.

Wood Officer.
286 Deet Clerk.

BAILED
No. 1 by *John Stummeler*
Residence, *330 West 12th St*
Dec 3/80

No. 2 by *He bailed by*
Residence, *Marstal Pittsburg*
No. 3 by *948 - 3rd ave*
Residence, *948 - 3rd ave*

No. 4 by
Residence,
No. 5 by
Residence,
No. 6 by
Residence,

Witnesses,

500. Ans. G. S.
Arled

Received in District Atty's Office,

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

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

That

John Steinnueller

late of the *Nineteenth* Ward in the City and County aforesaid,
on the *thirteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *—* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,
furnish, and supply to one

Thomas O'Brien

and did procure and cause to be procured for the said

Thomas O'Brien

a certain paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said
paper, instrument, and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is
to say:

Kentucky 13/
1 - 5 - 53
7 - 17 - 11
19 - 28 - 50
23 - 47 - 52
13 - 14 - 18 } *1/50*

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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Stevens, Joseph

DATE:

12/20/80



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Court
Filed day of Dec 1980
Plends

THE PEOPLE

Joseph Stevens
Larceny and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Marshall W. Cooper

Dec 21, 1980. Foreman.

James H. [unclear]

J. H. [unclear]

[unclear]

0832

FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

James B. Sweeney Jr.
(Room 33)
of No. 20 Nassau Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the 15 day of December 1880

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

of deponent
the following property viz: One gold Watchof the value of fifty 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 Joseph Stevens

(now here) from the fact that deponent was in a Car of the 42nd Street Rail Road Company when said Joseph violently pushed against deponent immediately after missed said Watch from his left vest pocket then worn upon deponent's person and from the further fact that deponent is informed by officer Richard Sullivan of the first Inspection District that he arrested said Joseph Stevens with the aforesaid property in his possession. J.B. Sweeney Jr.

Sworn to, before me this 16

day of

March

1880

Police Justice

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City & County 355
of New York 355

Richard Sullivan of the
first Inspection District being duly sworn
that at the night of the 15 day of
December 1880 he arrested Joseph
Sweeney with the property described
in the within affidavit in his
possession

Richard Sullivan
Sworn to before me this
16th day of March 1881
J. N. Willoughby
Police Justice

0834

Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

Joseph Stevens being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Joseph Stevens

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Brooklyn

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Brooklyn

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Machinist

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Joseph Stevens

Taken before me, this

16 day of March 1880

W. H. McNeill
POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT

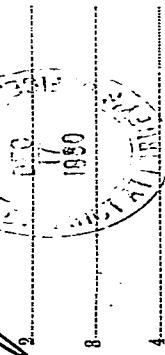
THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James B. Brown
20 Mason St—Room 33

AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.

Joseph B. Brown



BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Dated *Dec 16* 1930

W. H. Martin Magistrate.

William J. ... Officer.

100 ... Clerk.

Witnesses

dark Officer
with property

\$ *1000* to answer

at *1000* Sessions

Received at Dist. Att'y's Office,

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

Joseph Stevens

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

*One watch of the value of fifty dollars.
of the goods, chattels and personal property
of one James B. Swain Junior on the person
of said James B. Swain Junior then and
these being found from the person of said
James B. Swain Junior*

~~of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one~~

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Joseph Stevens

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

One watch of the value of fifty dollars,

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

James B. Swain Junior

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

James B. Swain Junior
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

St. John, William

DATE:

12/01/80



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The people cannot
find the witnesses
in this case and
ask that the trial

be discharged -

May 28. 1883

Wm. H. H. H.

Day of Trial, *P. Mitchell*
Counsel, *Dec 1880*
Filed / day of
Pleads. *Not Guilty 2-*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
THE PEOPLE
SELLING LOTTERY POLICIES.

William H. H.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill,
Wm. H. H.
May 28/83
Foreman,
John D. H.

0840

FORM 10.

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

ss.

Christie Ross.

of No. *193* *Bleecker* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *24* day of *November* 188*9* at the City of
New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn before me, this

25 day of *November* 188*9*

Police Justice.

she purchased of William
St John, now present in 148
Bleecker Street, the annexed
paper, containing letters and
numbers, and hand marked "O"
and paid him forty five cents therefor.
That said paper is commonly
known as a "policy" and purports
to insure a chance in the drawing
of a lottery, unauthorized by the
Laws of the State of New York.

Christie Ross
mark.

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No 2451
FORM 10.
Police Court - Second District.

A. H. DAVITT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Ross
193 Bluecher St

William S. Smith

Dated, 25 November 1880

Price found Justice.

Julian Officer.

Witness,
in House of Detention
Bail in \$1000 fixed by Judge
Canning on motion - \$1000.

Quoted by
Michael Ryan
347 Bongers

500 to Canning

Emplacement Railed
by John Ross
193 Bluecher St

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ABN: Nov 24

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

That *William St John*

late of the *Fourteenth* Ward in the City and County aforesaid,
on the *Twenty fourth* day of *November* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *at the Ward, City and*
County aforesaid, with force and arms did unlawfully and knowingly vend, sell, barter,
furnish, supply and procure, and cause to be vended, sold, bartered, furnished, supplied
and procured, to *and for one Annie Ross*
which said instrument and writing commonly called a lottery policy
a certain paper and instrument, commonly called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is
to say:

B. N. Nov 24
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24 *5-2-96 1/4*

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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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Stockinger, Lizzie

DATE:

12/07/80



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Counsel, *Wm. D. ...*
Filed 7 day of Dec 1888
Plads ~~Wm. D. ...~~

THE PEOPLE

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329 8-24 08.

Aggie Stockinger

Indictment. Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part no Dec 7, 1888
A True Bill.

Marville H. ...

Foreman.

Witness Stephen ...
Nov 8/1888.

IN SENATE, JANUARY 1, 1889.
REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE, IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE, MAY 1, 1888.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
JANUARY 1, 1889.
REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE, IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, MAY 1, 1888.

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RECEIVED FROM THE CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

AND FROM THE CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

1880

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Counsel, *Max*
Filed *7* day of *Dec* 1880
Plends *for* ~~for~~ *for*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

13, 8 24
327 8 24

Indictment - Larceny

Lizzie Stockinger

BENJ. K. PHELPS

District Attorney

Part two Dec 7, 1880

Heads guilty
A TRUE BILL.

Manville W. Cooper

Foreman

Sentence suspended
Dec 8, 1880.

0847

4th District Police Court
 CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
 OF NEW YORK
 of No. 351 East 54th Street,
 being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the 15th day of November 1880
 at the 19th Ward of the City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
 of deponent,

the following property viz.:

One pair of Diamond Ear-rings of the
 value of One hundred & twenty dollars
 One Finger ring set with diamond
 of the value of forty dollars in all of
 the value of One hundred & sixty dollars

the property of

Charles F. Koehler
 deponent's husband

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

Lizzie Stockinger
 (now here), for the reasons following
 to-wit: That said property was contained
 in a satchel in a wardrobe in the
 room occupied by deponent at Hickock
 in the morning of the said 15th day of August
 That at about half past eleven
 o'clock of the same morning deponent
 missed said property from said satchel
 That no other person except said Lizzie

Sworn before me this

day of

Police Justice

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had access to said room during
said interval. That said Loggitt
admitted to defendant that she stole
said property and afterwards becoming
frightened threw the said property in
the fire.

Melanie Rochler

Sworn to before me this
17th day of November 1888

Merem O'Connell
Police Justice

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.

THE PEOPLE &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

VS.

187

DATED

MAGISTRATE

OFFICER.

WITNESSES

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Lizzie Stockinger*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *13 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Morissania*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *324 East 54th St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Servant*

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

Answer. *I took the earrings they were in a box. I don't know whether the finger ring was in the box I did not look in the box. I don't know what made me take them I did not mean to keep them. I had them in my hand and was putting coals on the fire when the box fell in the fire.*
Lizzie Stockinger

Taken before me this 14 day of Nov 1893

Michael J. O'Brien
Police Justice.

0850

Police Court--Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Melanie Foster
351 & 54th St.
vs.

Lizzie Stockinger

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Court Clerk

Offence, *935*

Dated *Nov 1st* 1880

Atterbury Magistrate.

Wm. J. Foster Officer
Clerk.

Witnesses,

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General Sessions
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No. 6, by

Residence

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

Lizzie Stockinger

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

*Two earrings of the value of sixty
dollars each*

One ring of the value of forty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Charles J. Koehler

then and
there being found, 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Stoker, John H.

DATE:

12/03/80



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In 286 Over
menting
E. E. P.
Filed day of Dec 1880
Pleads Not Guilty to.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John B. Stokes.
Assault and Battery.—Felony.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
J. H. May
Foreman.

Part in Dec. 8, 1880.
Charged convicted of an
Assault.—
Pen one year & fine
\$100 & 1 day for each hour.

0854

Second District Police Court.

AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

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

Fredrick H. Feuerbach of No. *150*
West 10th Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says
that on the *24th* day of *November* in the year
1880 at the City of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by

John H. Stoker now here,
who aimed, pointed and
discharged a pistol at
the person of deponent

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt
with according to law.

Sworn to before me this *25th* day
of *November* 1880 }

F. H. Feuerbach

McMurry Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—Second District.

THE PEOPLE &c.,

ON THE COVER PLANTER

Jacob

John H. Loken

Dated Nov-25-1886

Warden, Magistrate.

Chas. Hedden

Clerk

Witnesses,

Culture Boxes

157 W-101-MS

Bill Ford

Committed in default of \$ 2000 bond.

Bailed by

Street.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 08-11-2001 BY 60322 UCBAW

OVERHAIL—REGIONS VESSEL, 72

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

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

ANSWER.—

*I am not guilty
of the charge
John H. Stoker*

Taken before me, this

25 day of *March* 188*8*

W. M. M. M.
Police Justice.

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POLICEMAN STOKER, ARRAIGNED.

The Nature of his Intoxication Defined by Police Capt. Hedden.

Policeman John H. Stoker of the Charles street station, who, while under the influence of liquor, on Wednesday, fired a pistol ball at Frederick Feuerbach of 150 West Tenth street, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday by Capt. Hedden. Feuerbach made a complaint of assault with intent to kill. He said that Stoker entered his saloon to play pool with another policeman. Both were off duty and in civilian dress, and Stoker was partly intoxicated. He asked how much he owed, and when told that it was \$1.30, said he would shoot Feuerbach for \$1. He took out his revolver and twirled it on the counter. It fell on the floor, and Feuerbach handed it back to him and told him to put it away. Stoker then asked Feuerbach to stand in the rear of the saloon and let him fire at him. Several other bantering remarks passed, and Feuerbach stooped down to draw beer. Stoker levelled the revolver and fired. The bullet passed close to Feuerbach's face. Stoker said nothing and went away. Capt. Hedden arrested him when he reported at the station in the evening.

Capt. Hedden corroborated Feuerbach's story. Capt. Hedden said that Stoker was an intemperate man, who always had a "still drunk" on, but never appeared to be very drunk. Stoker had nothing to say, and was held in \$2,000 bail. His lawyer, Charles Goldie, said the discharge of the pistol was unintentional.

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

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

That

John H. Stokes

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

on the *twenty-fourth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *with* force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Frederick F. Feuerbach*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *Frederick F. Feuerbach*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *John H. Stokes*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Frederick F. Feuerbach*
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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said

John H. Stokes
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Frederick F. Feuerbach*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Frederick F. Feuerbach*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *John H. Stokes*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *him* the said *Frederick F. Feuerbach*
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.

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THIRD COUNT.

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

John H. Stokes with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Frederick J. Feuerbach* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Frederick J. Feuerbach* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

John H. Stokes in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said

Frederick J. Feuerbach wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

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

John H. Stokes with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Frederick J. Feuerbach* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *Frederick J. Feuerbach* a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said

John H. Stokes in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said

Frederick J. Feuerbach wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Stone, Robert

DATE:

12/16/80



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DESCRIPTION:

Cunningham, Charles

DATE:

12/16/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

C. Spencer

1880

Filed 16 day of

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Pleaded *not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

20.
335 N 38.

accused

Robert Stone.

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22.
443 N 38.

Charles Cunningham.

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RECEIVED—Third Degree, and
Receiving [Stolen Goods.]

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part in Dec 17, 1880.

Bookkeeper at Bay 3.

A True Bill.

Marshall W. Cooper

Foreman

Monday 16th

SP 2 1/2 year each

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County
of New York, } ss.

Peter M. Quirk

of No. *554 Pleasant Avenue* ^{and 100 Charleston Street} being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that the premises No. *554 Pleasant Avenue*
Street, *22* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *Brick building*
and which was occupied by deponent as a *Liquor Store*

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of *forcing open the doors leading*
into said Liquor Store from Street or Avenue and
from the Hallway

on the *morning* of the *third* day of *December* 18*87*
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

Ten boxes of cigars, and two demijohns
of liquors, in all of the value of
one hundred dollars

the property of *this 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 Kane and Charles*

Remington
for the reasons following, to wit: *that previous to said Burglary*
said articles were contained in said Liquor Store
as a fact
that on the morning of twelve o'clock P.M.
of the 2^d day of December 1887 the doors
and entrances to said Store were secured by locks
by Cornelius Ward who is in the employ of
this deponent. That deponent was informed
by John F. Clemens and James F. Vallety
Heads of the 22 Precinct Police that at the

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hour of Two O'Clock 30 minutes A. M.
 on said 3^d day of December: they said
 officers Gleason and Vallyly found
 said defendants in the premises, and
 found an said doors and locks the
 marks of having been forced open
 and that said defendants then and
 there were in the act of carrying away
 said articles; - that said defendants:
 said Robert Stone and said Charles
 Cunningham admitted to said Gleason
 and Vallyly that they said defendants
 had forcibly forced open said doors and
 effected an entrance in said store for the
 purpose of taking and carrying away
 said articles. Depoedant therefore
 charges that said premises were being lawfully
 entered and said property taken stolen and
 carried away by said as aforesaid by said
 Robert Stone and Charles Cunningham
 Gleason to before me Peter McQuirk
 this 3^d day of December, 1884

McQuirk
 Police Justice

State of New York City and County of New York
 John F. Gleason being duly sworn deposes and says: that he
 has heard read the foregoing affidavit and that he is
 familiar with the contents thereof and that portion
 thereof given upon the information of deponent
 is true and correct of deponent's own knowledge
 I swear to before me this 3^d day of December

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 Gleason
 John F. Gleason

State of New York City and County of New York: James F. Vallyly
 being duly sworn deposes and says: that he has heard read the foregoing
 affidavit and is familiar with the contents thereof and that the
 portion thereof given upon the information of deponent is
 true and correct upon his own knowledge
 I swear to before me this 3^d day of Dec. 1884
 Vallyly
 James F. Vallyly
 Police Justice

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles Cunningham*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty two years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *443 West 38 Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Labourer*

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

Answer. *I am guilty*

Charles Cunningham

Taken before me this
Marcus C. Deane
day of *December* 189*8*
Police Justice.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Robert Stone*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *335 West 38 Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Cabinet maker.*

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

Answer. *I have been taking away Cigars but no liquor*
Robert Stone
mark

Taken before me this

day of

March

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Police Justice.

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Police Court--Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Peter de G. Quirk
charged to wit: 300 E 35th

by James Cunningham

Robert Stone

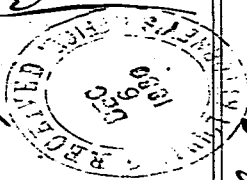
Charles Cunningham

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Dated *December 3* 188*6*

Attesty Magistrate.

Hammond and Kelley Officer.

22 Precinct Clerk.

Witnesses, *and officers*

\$25.00 Each
T.A. Each
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Received in District Att'y's Office,

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

Robert Stone and Charles
Cunningham each

late of the ~~twenty second~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the ~~third~~ day of ~~December~~ in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~with force and arms~~, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the ~~saloon~~ of

~~Peter McEwen~~ there situate, feloniously and
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

~~Peter McEwen~~ then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

five hundred cigars of the value of
ten cents each

Ten gallons of liquor (a more
particular description of which is to
the firm unknown and cannot now be
given) of the value of five dollars each

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

~~Peter McEwen~~
so kept as aforesaid in the said ~~saloon~~ then and there being, then and
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York, and their dignity.

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

That the said Robert Stone and Charles Cunningham each late of the ~~twenty second~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~third~~ day of ~~December~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~with force and arms~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the ~~saloon~~ of ~~Peter McEwen~~ there situate, feloniously and burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said ~~Peter McEwen~~ then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and five hundred cigars of the value of ten cents each Ten gallons of liquor (a more particular description of which is to the firm unknown and cannot now be given) of the value of five dollars each of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said ~~Peter McEwen~~ so kept as aforesaid in the said ~~saloon~~ then and there being, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

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

THAT the said

Robert Stone and Charles Cunningham each

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

Two hundred cigars of the value of ten cents each

Ten gallon of liquor (a more particular description of which is to the Jurors unknown and cannot now be given) of the value of five dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Peter M. Guirk*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

Peter M. Guirk

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Robert Stone and Charles Cunningham

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Strehler, Jacob

DATE:

12/27/80



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THE PEOPLE OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
vs.
JAMES STEELMAN
Defendant
The People vs. James Steelman
District of Columbia
No. 1000
Filed for trial
Dec. 1887
Pleaded guilty
Benj. K. Phelps, District Attorney
Part No. 6, 1887
A True Bill.
M. W. Cooper
Foreman

Day of Trial
Counsel
Filed day of Dec. 1887
Pleaded guilty

Obtaining Money, &c. by False Pretences
THE PEOPLE
vs.
JAMES STEELMAN
Defendant
No. 1000
Filed for trial
Dec. 1887
Pleaded guilty

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.
Part No. 6, 1887
A True Bill.
M. W. Cooper

Foreman
Per 6 months

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Police Court, Sixth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Romermann

vs.

Jacob Strehler

I **Hereby Certify**, To the Court of General Sessions of

the City of New York, that on examination under the annexed complaint of the

Complainant *William Romermann*

the prisoner *Jacob Strehler*
and witnesses pursuant to statutes, it appears the offence of *False Pretences*

charged in said complaint has been committed, and that there is probable cause to believe the prisoner

Jacob Strehler
to be guilty thereof, and that the said examinations, recognizances, evidence of witnesses and complaint are hereto annexed.

Dated, New York *Dec 20* 18*80*

Hugh Garman POLICE JUSTICE.

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HOBOKEN, N. J., Dec 8th 1880.
First National Bank of Hoboken,
Pay to Order of William Romerson
Two hundred and fifty ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
\$250-⁰⁰/₁₀₀ BEATTY & STEVENSON, 15 Spruce St., N. Y.

to be held to answer as the law directs

Wm Romerson

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STATE OF NEW YORK
AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

Wm. Remond
Gm. de
Carver
J. Stok

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CITY

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Sixth District Police Court.

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

of No. *Kingbridge Road and 3 Avenue*
Fordham
 street,
 that on the *16* day of *December* 18*80*
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Jacob Strehler now present came to deponent's house and requested deponent to take him to board and requested deponent to go ^{with} him to a Mr Coffin who keeps a Drug store where he wrote upon a piece of paper and gave it to said Coffin said Strehler then told deponent that he had deposited nine hundred Dollars with said Coffin deponent believing the ^{said} representations to be true gave said Strehler board lodging and victuals on the 17th inst said Strehler gave deponent the annexed check on the First National Bank of Hoboken and requested deponent to go to said bank draw the money and take out the amount which he owed deponent and give him the balance. He then borrowed of deponent one dollar in good and lawful money of the United States on the 18th day of December 1880 deponent requested *Julia Romermann* to take said check to said bank and get the money ~~for it~~ when she returned she informed deponent that the officers of said bank told her that said check was worthless that there was no money there to pay it and that said Strehler should be arrested that checks signed like this had been presented there before this

be held to answer as the law directs

Julia Romermann

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Sixth District Police Court.

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

of No. *William Rorermann*
Wingelbridge Road and 3 Avenue
 street, *Fordham* being duly sworn, deposes and says,
 that on the *16* day of *December* 18*80*
 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Jacob Strehler now present came to depo-
 nent's house and requested deponent to take
 him to board and requested deponent to
 go ^{with} him to a Mr Coffin who keeps a Drug
 store where he wrote upon a piece of paper
 and gave it to said Coffin said Strehler
 then told deponent that he had deposited
 nine hundred Dollars with said Coffin
 deponent believing the ^{said} representations to be true
 gave said Strehler board lodging and
 victuals on the 17th inst said Strehler gave
 deponent the annexed check on the First
 National Bank of Astor and requested
 deponent to go to said bank draw the money
 and take out the amount which he owed
 deponent and give him the balance. He
 then borrowed of deponent one dollar in
 good and lawful money of the United States
 on the 18th day of December 1880 deponent
 requested Julia Rorermann to take said
 check to said bank and get the money
~~for it~~ when she returned she informed
 deponent that the officers of said bank
 told her that said check was worthless
 that there was no money there to pay it
 and that said Strehler should be arrested
 that checks signed like this had been
 presented there before this

Deponent believes and charges that said
Jacob Strehler gave deponent said
 check knowing the worthlessness of it and
 with intent to cheat and defraud depon-
 ent and did defraud deponent of said
 sum of one dollar and prays that he may

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be held to answer as the law directs

John R. Hornemann

Sworn to before me this
20 day of December 1880

Hugh Garrison
Police Justice

COURT-SIXTH DISTRICT.

E PEOPLE, &c.,

IN THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

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Magistrate.

Officer.

of No. *100* *Chas. Hornemann*
Kingbridge Road and Rail Road Ave.

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COURT-SIXTH DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Oulig Kornemann
of No. *Kingsbridge Road and Rail Road St Street,*
Fordham being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the *18* day of *December* 18*80* at the City
of New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn to, this

before me,

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day of Dec

deponent went to the National Bank
of Hoboken and presented the annexed
check for payment deponent was there
and there informed that they did not
know the man who signed said check
and that there was no money in said
bank to pay it. Deponent received said
check from deponent's husband William
Kornemann who requested deponent
to present it at said bank and
obtain the money for it

Joseph Gassman
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Form 75.

Police Court—Sixth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Jacob Stehler*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty three years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Switzerland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *West 4th Street N.Y.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *None*

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

here preferred against you?

Answer.

Not guilty I gave him the check I expected to have the money there to meet it

Jacob Stehler

Taken by

sum of one dollar and prays that he may

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Form 75.

Police Court—Sixth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Jacob Strehler*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Thirty three years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Switzerland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *West 4th Street N.Y.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *Not guilty I gave
him the check I expected to have the
money there to meet it*

Jacob Strehler

Taken before me, this

20 day of

Dec 1880

Police Justice.

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT:

POLICE COURT, SIXTH DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

NO ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLAINT

Wm. Romermann
New York, N.Y.
Jas. Stöckler

Асфрон,

Namo,

BAILED,

No. 1, 811...

Traditiono, ...

No. 8. 61.

Residence.

No. 8. 611.

Resistenz:

No. 4: bu-

Realizendo.

No. 15. div.

Positioned.

ΣΤ. Β. ΔΙΠΛ.

Refinancia.

Witness,

Witnesses,
Julia Boneman
a true bill ordered Kingsbridge Road and
residence,
Blackstone Rail Road Avenue

Dec 22/80
 My dear Mr. Cooper
 I enclose \$1,000 to Mrs. G. S. Cooper
 Yours truly
 C. M.

Received in District Atty's Office,

Committed

can will do

COUNSEL, FOR DEFENDANT.

Nam.

Address.

Clark.

Dated December 20 1880

Magistrato,

Officer,

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That

Jacob Strehler

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid
on the ~~Eighteenth~~ day of ~~December~~ in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, on the day and year last aforesaid, with intent feloni-
ously to cheat and defraud one *William Romermann*
did then and there feloniously, unlawfully, knowingly, and designedly, falsely pretend
and represent to *the said William Romermann*
that, a certain instrument and writing, to wit, an order for the payment of money, of
the kind known as a *Bank Check*, which the said

Jacob Strehler then and there presented
and delivered to the said *William Romermann* and which
said *Bank Check* is in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

No. 14 *Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 18th 1880.*
First National Bank of Hoboken,
Pay to Order of *William Romermann*
Two hundred and fifty *dollars*
\$250.00 *J Strehler*

was a good and valid order for the payment of *two hundred*
and fifty dollars in money, and of the value of
two hundred and fifty ; and that a sum of
two hundred and fifty in money belonging to the
said *Jacob Strehler* was then in the possession
of *The First National Bank of Hoboken*, and that said sum of
money was then payable and could be paid by the said *The First National*
Bank of Hoboken on the credit and account of the said
Jacob Strehler whenever an order in writing,
signed by the said *Jacob Strehler* authorizing
the said *The First National Bank of Hoboken* to
make such payment should be presented at the place of business of the said
The First National Bank of Hoboken and that a certain
Bank Check, in the proper handwriting of *him*
said *Jacob Strehler* and which said
Bank Check was addressed to the said
The First National Bank of Hoboken at the place of business
of the said *The First National Bank of Hoboken*
at *Hoboken State of New Jersey* and which said *Bank Check*

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purported to be an order upon the said *The First National Bank of Hoboken*
to pay to the said *Jacob Strecker* and to any
endorsee of the said *Jacob Strecker* the sum
of *two hundred and fifty dollars* in money,
was a valuable security, to wit, an order for the payment of *two hundred*
and fifty dollars in money, and of the value of
two hundred and fifty dollars

And the said *William Romermann*
then and there believing the said false pretences and representations
so made as aforesaid by the said *Jacob Strecker*
and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of false pretences and representa-
tions so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said

Jacob Strecker a certain sum of
money to wit: the sum of one dollar
in money and of the value of one
dollar

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said *William Romermann*
and the said *Jacob Strecker* did then

and there designedly receive and obtain the said sum of money. to wit: the
sum of one dollar in money and of the value
of one dollar

of the said *William Romermann*
of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said *William Romermann* by means
of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, and with intent feloniously to cheat
and defraud the said *William Romermann*
of the same

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Bank Check*
which the said *Jacob Strecker* then and there
presented and delivered to the said *William Romermann*
was not a good and valid order for the payment of *two hundred and*
fifty dollars in money, nor was the same a good and valid order
for the payment of any sum of money whatever.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, there was not then and there the sum of
two hundred and fifty dollars in money belonging to the
said *Jacob Strecker* in the possession
of the said *The First National Bank of Hoboken*
nor was there then and there any sum of money whatsoever belonging to the said
Jacob Strecker in the possession

of said *The First National Bank of Hoboken*

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And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the said sum of money was not then payable and could not be paid by said *The First National Bank of Hoboken* on the credit and account of the said *Jacob Strecher*

whenever an order in writing signed by the said *Jacob Strecher* authorizing such payment to be made should be presented at the place of business of the said *The First National Bank of Hoboken*, nor would the said *The First National Bank of Hoboken* pay any sum of money whatsoever upon such order so signed by the said

Jacob Strecher as aforesaid.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Bank Check* in the proper handwriting of the said *Jacob Strecher* was not an order to pay to the said *Jacob Strecher* or any endorsee of the said *Jacob Strecher* the sum of *two hundred dollars* in money, nor was the same a valuable security, of the value of *two hundred dollars* in money, nor was it of any value whatever;

And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the pretences and representations so made as aforesaid, by the said *Jacob Strecher* to the said *William Romermann* was and were in all respects utterly false and untrue, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid.

And Whereas, in fact and in truth the said *Jacob Strecher* well knew the said pretences and representations so by him made as aforesaid to the said *William Romermann* to be utterly false and untrue at the time of making the same.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say, that the said *Jacob Strecher* by means of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, feloniously, unlawfully, falsely, knowingly and designedly, did receive and obtain from the said *William Romermann* a certain sum of money, to wit, the sum of *one dollar*

in money, and of the value of *one dollar*

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property, and effects of the said *William Romermann* with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud him of the same, 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Sullivan, John

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Dadley Hollands
W. K. Mott
27th

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THE PEOPLE

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Assault and Battery.—Felonious. **Firearms.**

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John Sullivan,

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

A True Bill.
Marshall W. Cooper

Part m. Dec. 22. 1867 Foreman.

ordered as follows:

I think I shall say. ought
 not to be connected. It
 is certainly doubtful
 whether he ought to be a
 Coadjutor. I am willing
 that he should be. ^{but} I think ^{it} ^{is} ^{not} ^{advisable} ^{to} ^{do} ^{so}

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N. Y. Dec 20/80
Mr. Leary Dear Sir,

The following
whom I understand is under
arrest, I have known a long
while, in fact years, & have
seen & known him to work
industriously & thoughtfully. His real
purpose is ~~to get out of prison~~ ^{to get out of prison}
I think the ends of justice will
be better advanced by letting
him go this time & ~~let~~ let
him prove by his acts that
he can do better.

Resp. yours
James M. McGowan
202 E. 6th St

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New York Dec 21st 1880

Mr Wm Leary
Asst. Dist Atty.

Dear Sir

This is to
certify that I have known
John Meekhan who is arrested
under the name of John Sullivan
to be an honest industrious
young man reliable and
trustworthy and one who
will profit by your leniency
in his behalf

Yours Respy
James A. Meekhan
142 East 50th St

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People

at

John Sullivan



Statement of John J. Stevenson

That on Nov 6/80 about 12³⁰ PM as
I was coming up 37th from di-
rection of 10th Ave toward 9th Ave
when about 8 or 10 rods, I heard
a shot and saw a young man
running up 9th Ave toward 37th
He was followed by a dozen or more
people after and when he got
past 37th I joined in the chase
and then the crowd that followed
went back. There is a place where
on 9th Ave bet 36th & 37th where
they have balls & is frequented
by a rough crowd. I think under-
stood it was some of these parties
that were following him. I learned
afterwards that they were after
the young man for the purpose
of beating him. He had passed
the corner when I reached
chase. The night was very
dark and foggy and I saw

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that while he knew I was an officer
when I was chasing him & he
fired two shots in my direction
and none of which took effect.
He was very excited when I arrested
and said he didn't know I was
an officer.

Statement of Prisoner
Says that about 12 m. of the morning
of this occurrence, he was passing
36th & 9th Ave and when two
young men attracted me and
one of them had a pistol. I don't
know I know these young men
except by sight. I grasped
the pistol from one of them &
ran across the street and the
other fired with a crowd
followed me & fired at me & I
fired back and ran up 9th
and pursued by the crowd. I
fired at someone back but
don't know there was an
officer following me, I thought
it was the crowd. I was shot

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in the finger but who shot me
couldn't say. The night was
dark and I couldn't distinguish
any one. The mob was shouting
behind to me to head me off. When
the policeman came up to me &
I saw who it was I stopped.

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John Sullivan

Statement

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AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

Second District Police Court.

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

John T. Stevenson of No. *the 30*
Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says
that on the *6* day of *November* in the year
18*80* at the City of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by

John Sullivan (now here)
who wilfully aimed and dis-
charged at deponent *Two* shots
from a Revolver loaded with pow-
der and Balls and at the time held
in the hand of said defendant
while in *9th* Avenue in said City.
That deponent was in pursuit of
said defendant to make an arrest
as deponent saw and heard said
defendant previously discharge *Two*
shots from said Revolver
That said assault was

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

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be apprehended, and dealt
with according to law.

Sworn to before me this

day,

of *November* 18*80*.

John T. Stevenson
Deponent
Sullivan
Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK. ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

John Sullivan

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

22 years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

U.S.

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

240 E. 40th

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Express.

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

ANSWER.—

I am not guilty.

John Sullivan

Taken before me, this

day of *June* 1880

Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

OFFENCE—Felonious Assault and Battery

John J. Fitzgerald
20 Precinct

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John Sullivan



Dated November 6 1892

Magistrate

Foreman Officer

20 Clerk

Witnesses,

Committed in default of \$1500 bail

Bailed by

No.

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Street

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

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

That

John Sullivan

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

on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *my* with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *John I. Stephenson*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and to, at and against *him* the said *John I. Stephenson*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leadен bullet, which the said *John Sullivan*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent *him* the said *John I. Stephenson*
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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said

John Sullivan
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John I. Stephenson*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make
an assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John I. Stephenson*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
leadен bullet, which the said *John Sullivan*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there attempt to discharge,
with intent *him* the said *John I. Stephenson*
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.

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THIRD COUNT.

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

John Sullivan
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John J. Stephenson*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John J. Stephenson*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said
John Sullivan
in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there shoot off and discharge,
with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said
John J. Stephenson
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

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

John Sullivan
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John J. Stephenson*
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make an
assault and to, at and against *him* the said *John J. Stephenson*
a certain *pistol* then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *pistol* the said
John Sullivan
in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously, and
without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there attempt to shoot off and
discharge, with intent, then and there, thereby *him* the said
John J. Stephenson
wilfully and feloniously then and there to injure, 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.