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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2929

**DESCRIPTION:**

Nelsen, Peter

**DATE:**

05/18/88



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Witnesses:

*See Holsten*

Counsel,

Filed 18

day of

May 1888

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Sam. Nelson*

Grand Larceny, Second degree  
[Sections 528, 584, 585 Pennl Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Wm. Blay*

Foreman.

*May 21/1888*  
*John D. L.*  
*Pen. and year.*

0473

Police Court—First District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Abel Holstein

of No. 16 Beaver Street, aged 45 years,

occupation Journalist being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16 day of May 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One Fur coat

One Fur coat

Being together of the value of

Thirty 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 Peter Nelson (now Lee)

for the reason that on said day said property was in an office in the first floor of said premises and deponent saw said defendant coming out of said office with one of said coats on his arm and saw away with the same when deponent pursued him and caught him and identified the said coat as being his and being a portion of the property comprised of, herein deponent there fore charges said defendant with the larceny aforesaid.

Abel Holstein

Sworn before me, this 16 day of May 1888  
William J. ...  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

*First* District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Peter Nelson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Denmark*

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

Answer. *4 Rivington St. 4 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *laborer*

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

Answer. *I am guilty*

*Peter Nelson*

Taken before me this

*16*

day of

*May*  
188*8*

*John J. ...*

Police Justice.

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Police Court / 739 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Axel Holdstock*  
*Ed. Beaver*  
*Peter Nelson*

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Offense *Det. Hansen*

Dated *May 16* 1888

Magistrate *Ford*

Officer *Dunn*

Princt. *1\**

Witnesses

No. Street

No. Street

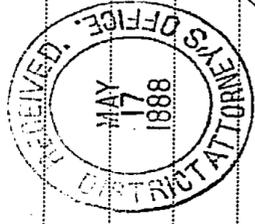
No. Street

No. Street

\$ *500* to answer

*JP*

*W. M. G. Jr.*



BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street

No. 2, by

Residence Street

No. 3, by

Residence Street

No. 4, by

Residence Street

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

*Defendant*

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

Dated *May 16* 1888  
*John W. ...*  
Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1888  
Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1888  
Police Justice.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*against*

*Peter Hellser*

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

*Peter Hellser*

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

The said

*Peter Hellser*

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

*One coat of the value of twenty dollars, and one other coat of the value of ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Axel Holstein*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Peter Nellsen*

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said *Peter Nellsen*

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

*One coat of the value of twenty dollars, and  
one other coat of the value of two dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Asel Holstein*

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

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

*Peter Nellsen*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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Newsome, Edward J.

**DATE:**

05/29/88



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that he was acquitted of the crime charged in the indictment by the judgment of the Court of Sessions of the County of Kings in the State of New York at the Court House of the County of Kings in the City of Brooklyn on the 21 day of May 1888.

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Counsel,  
Filed 29 day of May 1888  
Pleads, June 17 - *found Acquitted*

(Section 528 and 531 of the Penal Code)  
Larceny 2nd degree  
MISAPPROPRIATION

THE PEOPLE

vs. *Edward J. Newson*

*Edward J. Newson*

*John R. Fellows*  
JOHN R. FELLOWS  
District Attorney

Aug 16/88

*trial upon the plea of former acquittal - the jury find for the People*  
Pleads *not guilty*

A TRUE BILL 5 days - City prison  
*PSM*

Foreman.

Aug 16 - 1888 - 15 days

Aug 13/88

Witnesses:

*Ed. Schaeffer*  
415 Van Bergen St Brooklyn  
*James G. Evans*  
10 1/2 Bush Brooklyn

*Give for at*  
*1000. F.S.*

0480

# Court of Sessions

OF THE COUNTY OF KINGS.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Edward J. Newson

The Grand Jury of the County of Kings, by this indictment, accuse

of the crime of

Edward J. Newson  
Grand Larceny in the second degree

committed as follows:

The said

Edward J. Newson

late of the City of Brooklyn, and County of Kings, on the <sup>Twenty seventh</sup> day of August (1887) in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty. <sup>He was with force and arms at the</sup> City and County aforesaid. <sup>having then and there in his possession</sup>

Custody and control as servant attorney and agent of Mr. Chauncey Lee a certain gold watch of the value of (\$38.00) thirty eight dollars did on the day and year aforesaid at the City and County aforesaid with the intent to deprive him the said Mr. Chauncey Lee the true owner thereof of said gold watch and to appropriate the same to the use of himself the said Edward J. Newson unlawfully wilfully and feloniously appropriate the same to the use of himself the said Edward J. Newson he the said Edward J. Newson not being then and there the true owner thereof or person entitled to the use and benefit thereof.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say that the said Edward J. Newson late of the City of Brooklyn in the County of Kings on the twenty seventh

of August in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty seven at the City and  
County aforesaid with force and arms in the  
manner and form and by the means aforesaid  
one gold watch of the value of (\$38.00) thirty eight  
dollars of the goods and Chattels and personal  
property of the M. Chamney, See them 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

James M. Ridgway  
District Attorney

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WITNESSES.

*M. Conway Sec*

No. 2280  
1209

Filed 23 day of October 1888

Pleas Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Indictment for  
*James Lawrence  
in the case of King*

*Edward C. Bowen*

JAMES W. RIDGWAY,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*Peter Magnus*

Foreman.

Counsel,

Tried the 21 day of Octay 1888

Verdict Not Guilty

Sentence, *Dismissed in New York County*

Section 402.

# At a Court of Sessions,

holden in and for the County of Kings, in the Court House in the City of Brooklyn, on the Monday first day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight

Present:

The Honorable HENRY A. MOORE, County Judge of the County of Kings,

James Savage  
John M. Mahon  
Justices of the Sessions of the County of Kings.

The People of the State of New York

against

Edward J. Kewsome

John M. Shorter, Esq.  
District Attorney appears for the People

Charles J. Kurek Esq.  
appears for defendant  
Indictment for Grand Larceny, second degree

The District Attorney moves this indictment for trial the defendant being personally present the court so ordered and the following jurors were duly drawn unpannelled accepted and sworn to try the same viz:

- |                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| George J. Smith     | Thomas Orr          |
| Samuel C. Beckwith  | John H. Hayden      |
| William A. Kysam    | Henry C. Jahue      |
| Joseph W. Sharsdell | Ezekiel A. Nalstead |
| Edwin J. Mullady    | John E. Bailey      |
| Mrs. J. Denscher    | Adolph Wulff        |

People's Witnesses

M. Chamney Gi - sworn

James G. Reynolds - " "

It appearing to the Court

that the crime charged herein against the defendant has not been committed within the jurisdiction of this Court but has been committed within the County of New York it is

Ordered that the jury be discharged from the trial and consideration of said crime and that the defendant is remanded to await a warrant for his apprehension from the proper County.

At true extract from the Minutes  
 17th Nov 1890  
 Clerk

Kings County Court of Sessions.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
 NEW YORK

vs.

Edward Johnson

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State of New York, }  
County of Kings, } ss.:

I, BERNARD J. YORK, Clerk of the Court of Sessions in and for the County of Kings (said Court being a Court of Record having common law jurisdiction, a clerk and seal), do hereby certify that the annexed is a copy of the minutes of ~~conviction~~ *trial of Edward J. Newsome* with the ~~sentence~~ *decision* of the Court thereon as entered in the minutes of the said Court of Sessions, kept by me, and now in my custody as Clerk, and the same has been compared by me with the original and is a correct ~~transcript~~ transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original, and that the annexed copy of the indictment, on which such ~~conviction~~ *trial* has been had, has been compared by me with the original, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original; and I do further certify that no record of the Judgment on such ~~conviction~~ *trial* has been signed and filed.

Given under my hand and attested by the seal of the said Court this *Sixth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*Eight*.

*B. J. York*  
Clerk.



1830  
Count of Accounts  
County of Kings

The Receipts of the  
State of New York

got  
Edward J. Newson  
Certified Copies of  
Municipalities and  
subdivisional

75¢ fees paid

Asyndum in  
32 Park Ave

Ms. E. J. Newson  
27 Columbia  
Mrs. Fowler  
123 W 5th St N. Bury  
Clerks

0486

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Edward J. Neumann

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

Edward J. Neumann

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

The said Edward J. Neumann,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the nineteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, at the City and County aforesaid, being then and there the clerk and servant of agent and trader of one M. Chauncey Fize, and as such agent and trader

and as such clerk and servant then and there having in his possession, custody and control certain moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said

M. Chauncey Fize,

the true owner thereof, to wit: one watch of the value of thirty eight dollars,

the said Edward J. Neumann, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously appropriate the said watch

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said

M. Chauncey Fize

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said M. Chauncey Fize,

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

~~JOHN R. FELLOWS,~~

~~District Attorney.~~

Second COUNT.

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

Edward J. Neumann

of the CRIME of Grand Larceny in the second degree,

committed as follows:

The said Edward J. Neumann,

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

one wallet of the value of thirty eight dollars, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one M. Thackeray Lee, then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away;  
against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John R. Tallon.

Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Norris, Josephine

**DATE:**

05/17/88



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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Mark, Mabel

**DATE:**

05/17/88



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Witnesses:

William Cook

Wm. J. M. Turner

Do. K. Peasant

Gene Benoit married  
for and of Josephine  
Morris. D.O.B.  
Oct. 2 1858.

May 21 1889.  
Complainsant Carhart to James  
of Miss Defeat & equal  
discharged on her own  
recognizance of \$1000  
to the complainant  
cannot be favored  
where is no other witness  
whereof I have no  
objection to the discharge  
of the complainant upon  
her own recognizance  
Wm. J. M. Turner  
1)

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J. H. H. H. H.

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of May 1888

Pleads,

Chryzell - Jewell  
vs THE PEOPLE

Grand Larceny in the second degree.  
(MONEY)  
(Sec. 528 and 531 - Penal Code)  
vs.  
Josephine Stone  
and N.A  
Mabel Marks

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

May 21/88  
now directed by the Ct. in her  
favor by the Court  
May 20/89  
and committed  
A True Bill

A True Bill

Wm. J. M. Turner

Foreman.

Doct. 21 May 21/89  
D. J. M. Turner discharged on  
her own recognizance

Witnesses:

William Cook  
Wm. J. M. Jones  
20th Street

George Buchanan  
for arrest of Josephine  
Morris. D.C. 1889  
Oct. 2 1888

May 21 1889.  
Complainant Robert Le Grand  
of King's Dept. signed  
discharged on his own  
recognizance \$1000  
to be accomplished  
within 30 days  
either in or out of  
the city of New York  
subject to the order  
of the defendant upon  
her own recognizance  
Wm. J. M. Jones  
Wm. J. M. Jones  
repaired

35-1889  
1. J. Berkey  
Counsel

Filed 17 day of May 1889  
Pleads, Guilty  
THE PEOPLE

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

vs.  
Josephine Morris  
and N.A.  
Mabel Marks

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

Pr. Dec. 29/88  
Not done by the Ct. in her  
Pr. Feb. 29/89  
and committed  
A TRUE BILL

Wm. J. M. Jones  
Foreman.  
Book III May 21/89.  
Defendant discharged on  
her own recognizance

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**PART 2.**

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

*Affidavit Warranted*

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To *William Cooke*

of No. *691 = 1 Ave* Street,

GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *27* day of *June* instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Josephine Norris*

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *June* in the year of our Lord 1888.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

No such person lives  
at this address. however  
says no person of that  
name has been living there  
the past three years  
enquired of other  
with same result

Notary Public  
N. N. & N.

sworn to before me, this 1881 day of

on the day of

of which the within is a copy, upon  
ing duly sworn, deposes and says he

State of New York  
County of New York

District Attorney or one of his assistants  
was not there brought out, please state the same to  
the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think mate  
you know of more testimony than was produced  
District Attorney's Office  
Ill when served, please send timely word to the District  
this early to the District Attorney, in the court  
inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day  
be about it, and you may save time.  
ned in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's  
ould the case not be called on for trial, and no reason



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 ..... duly sworn, deposes and says he

State of New York,  
 and County of New York, } ss.  
 District Attorney or one of his assistants.  
 was not there brought out, please state the same to  
 the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think mate-  
 rial to you know of more testimony than was produced  
 at the trial, please send timely word to the District  
 Attorney's Office.  
 If you are unable to attend, please send timely word to the District  
 Attorney's Office, in the court,  
 inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another day,  
 about it, and you may save time.  
 signed in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's  
 office about it, and you may save time.  
 should the case not be called on for trial, and no reason  
 given in Court, please inquire in the District Attorney's  
 office about it, and you may save time.

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Josephine Harris*

City and County of New York, ss:

*Jacob Deubert*

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No.

*151 Essex Street*

Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the

City and County of New York. On the

*26*

day of

*June*

188*8*,

I called at

*691 First Avenue,*

the alleged residence of *William Cook* the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the

*housekeeper that and other tenants of said house that for the last three years no person of the name of William Cook had resided in said house. That deponent made diligent inquiries for said Cook's present whereabouts, but was unable to discover any clue to the same.*

Sworn to before me, this

*27*

day

of *June*

188*8*

*Jacob Deubert*

Subpoena Server.

*Edward Grasse*

*Attorney Public City and County of New York*

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**Court of General Sessions.**

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

vs.  
*Josephine Norris*

Offence:

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
*District Attorney.*

Affidavit of  
*Janet Stewart*  
*Subpoena Server.*

**Failure to Find Witness.**

0499

COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING:

against *Josephine Norris*

An indictment having been found on the *17* day of *May*

188 *8*, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of

New York, charging *said Josephine Norris*

with the crime of *Grand Larceny second degree*

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named *Josephine Norris* and bring *him* before that Court to answer the indictment; or if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver *him* into the custody of the Keeper of the City Prison of the City, of New York.

New York City, the *1st* day of *Oct* 188 *8*

By order of the Court,

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of Court.

0500

COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING:

against *Josephine Norris*

An indictment having been found on the *17* day of *May*

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*Norris* and bring *him* before that Court to answer the indictment; or  
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver *him* into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York.

New York City, the *17* day of *Oct* 188 *8*

By order of the Court,

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of Court.

0501

N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Sophine Norton*

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued

*Oct 1st 1889*

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The officer executing this process will make his return to the Court forthwith.

*Wm. Bell for*

*May 18<sup>th</sup> 1889*

*The within named  
defendant was  
and judged at  
Police Headquarters  
May 20<sup>th</sup> brought  
to the Court of  
General Sessions  
by Det. Sergeants  
Kernan  
and Van Buerchtien*

*Wm. Bell for*  
*Judge of the Court*  
*John J. ...*

0502

N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Stephane Norm...*

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued

*Oct 1st 1888*

The officer executing this process will make his return to the Court forthwith.

*May 20<sup>th</sup> 1889*

*The within named  
defendant was  
and lodged at  
Police Headquarters  
May 20<sup>th</sup> brought  
to the Court of  
General Sessions  
by Det. Sergeants  
Kuman  
and Van Brielstein*

0503

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

William Cooke

of No. 316 and 318 7th Avenue ~~Street~~, aged 30 years,  
occupation Tailor being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8th day of May 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money of the United States to the amount and value of at least four hundred and seventy five dollars.

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Josephine Morris (now here)

and Mabel Mark (not yet arrested) from

the fact that the said Mabel picked up deponent <sup>at about the hour of 11:30 o'clock on said date.</sup> ~~up~~ on West 28th Street and took him

to the premises no 211 West 28th St. near home

and when deponent and the said Mabel arrived

at said premises the said Mabel took deponent

into a room where the said Josephine Morris was

and from there she Mabel took deponent into an inner

room deponent undressed and hung his clothing,

consisting of coat, pantaloons and vest over the back

of a chair, and in the inside pocket of said coat

deponent left a pocket book and said pocket book

deponent left between four hundred and seventy five and four hundred and ninety dollars deponent

of sworn deponent in this day 1888 Police Justice

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and the said Mabel went to bed together and had sexual intercourse but before going to bed the said Mabel turned the light down very low and while deponent was in the act of having sexual intercourse with the said Mabel he heard some person come into the room where they were and after deponent got through having such sexual intercourse he and the said Mabel got up from the bed when the said Mabel immediately left said room and while deponent was dressing the said Josephine Norris came into said room and took the lamp from it and told deponent to hurry up and in about two minutes after leaving said room deponent discovered that his money had been taken from said book deponent immediately reported the larceny to the police of the 20th Precinct deponent is informed by Officer Jacob W. Dress of 20th Precinct that he arrested the said Josephine Norris in the premises No 131 West 3rd St. when she gave him the said Officer the sum of two hundred and fifty five dollars saying that the said Mabel Marks had given it to her. Wherefore deponent charges the said Josephine Norris (number) and the said Mabel Marks (not yet arrested) with being together and acting in concert with each other and feloniously taking, stealing and carrying away said sum of money.

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

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

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

Dated 1888

Police Justice

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Dated 1888

Police Justice

Police Court, District, \_\_\_\_\_

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of \_\_\_\_\_

vs.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Offence—LARCENY.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Jacob W Teess*

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. \_\_\_\_\_

*West 12th Street* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

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

Sworn to before me, this *9* day of *May* 188*8* by *Jacob W Teess*

*J. M. Platten*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Josephine Norris

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Josephine Norris

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 24 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Washington D.C.

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

Answer. 131 W 3<sup>rd</sup> St. 9<sup>th</sup> Fl.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Not furnished names

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Josephine X Norris  
Mick

Taken before me this

10<sup>th</sup>

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Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 2 125 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
1. Wm. S. Cooper  
2. Josephine Morris  
3. John Morris  
4. John Morris  
Offence Larceny

Dated May 9 1888

Magistrate, Paterson  
Officer, Jacob N. Jones

Witnesses Jacob N. Jones  
20 Precinct.

No. 20th Precinct Police Street.

No. 20th Precinct Street.

No. 1500 Street.

to answer Conrad



BAILED, May 10/88.  
No. 1, by Isidore Steill  
Residence 20th Precinct Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

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

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

The People &c. }  
 vs. Ex Rel. }  
 William Cook } 1176 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.  
 vs. }  
 Josephine Norris }

City and County of New York ss.  
 William Cook being  
 duly sworn says: I am the Complain-  
 ant in the above entitled action which  
 was brought against the Defendant on  
 an indictment for Grand Larceny in  
 the first degree in unlawfully taking  
 from the person and possession of this  
 deponent of the sum of Two Hundred  
 and forty five (\$245<sup>00</sup>) <sup>among other things</sup> dollars, the  
 property of this deponent.

That pending the trial of  
 this action deponent was suddenly  
 and unexpectedly called away  
 from the City of New York to his  
 Mother at Hamberg Germany whose  
 death was expected momentarily  
 and that this deponent did not  
 return until the 17<sup>th</sup> day of Septem-  
 ber 1888

That upon deponents return to

this City be applied to the property  
 Clerk for the return of said sum  
 of money which was refused  
 upon the ground of a want of  
 identification of this deponent  
 as the person lawfully entitled to  
 the same

That deponent resides at  
 No 1176 Second Ave in the City of  
 New York and is justly entitled  
 to said money

That at or about the  
 time of deponent's departure for  
 Europe he informed the Chief Clerk  
 of the District Attorney of his  
 proposed departure and learned  
 that the defendant was under  
 bail and would not be tried  
 until some time thereafter

Sworn to before me this }  
 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 1888 } Wm Cook  
 Joseph Silverstone }  
 Court of Deeds }  
 1888

N.Y. General Sessions

The People vs

Ex Rel.

William Cook

v. vs

Josephine Harris

Applicant to recover  
Possession of Property

JOHN R. HEINZELMAN,  
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
No. 25 Chambers St. New York.

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N.Y. General Sessions  
 The People vs  
 Ex. Rel  
 William Cook,  
 vs  
 Josephine Morris

Upon the annexed affidavit of  
 William Cook, the certificate  
 of James Mulcahey Chief Clerk  
 to the District Attorney and the  
 endorsement thereon made  
 by the Clerk of this Court, it is  
 Ordered and the Justice Clerk  
 of the Police Department in the  
 City of New York is hereby directed  
 to pay unto the said com-  
 plainant William Cook or his  
 duly authorized Attorney the  
 sum of two hundred and  
 forty five dollars held by  
 him in this action, forthwith

Dated N.Y. Sept. 26. 1888.

My Annual Review

The People re

Ex Rd

William Cook

Josephine Harris

Quests to Young  
men

John H. Wenzelma  
Att for Corrupt  
25 Chambers St

NY.

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TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

PLEASE SEND ME THE PAPERS IN THE CASE OF

PEOPLE

vs.

*Josephine Morris*

*Put this case on  
calendar for  
October 2<sup>nd</sup> 1888  
Part II by order of  
District Attorney  
B. J. [unclear]  
[unclear]*

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**PART III.**

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

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace.**

**The People of the State of New York.**

To *William Cook*  
of No. *691 - 1 Ave* Street,

GREETING:

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *June*, in the year of our Lord, 1888.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Josephine Norris

City and County of New York, ss:

Jacob Deubert being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 161 Essex Street Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the fifth day of June 1888 I called at No. 691 1st Avenue

the alleged residence of William Cooke the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the housekeeper of said premises, No. 691 1st Av. that no such person as William Cooke lived in said premises. Three other families in the house gave me information to the same effect. I also enquired in the store in said premises, and received the same information. I also enquired from one family of anybody in the house kept boarders, and was informed that no family kept boarders.

Sworn to before me, this

6th day of June 1888

of

Philip Emrich  
Comm of Deeds N.Y.C.

Jacob Deubert

Subpoena Server.

**Court of General Sessions.**

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

*Josephine Morris*  
vs.  
*Frank Morris*

Offence: *Frank Morris*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
*District Attorney.*

*Affidavit of*  
*Jacob Dubert*  
*Subpoena Server.*

**Failure to Find Witness.**

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*- against*  
*Josephine Norris*  
*and Mabel Mark*

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

*Josephine Norris and Mabel Mark*  
of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Josephine Norris and Mabel Mark*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *eightth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *night* time of the same day, *twenty-four* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *forty-eight* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *ninety-five* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *two hundred and thirty-eight* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *four hundred and seventy-five* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *twenty-four* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *forty-eight* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *ninety-five* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; *twenty-four* United States Silver Certificate of the

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of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of one *William*  
*Booker* \_\_\_\_\_ then and there being  
found, \_\_\_\_\_ then and there  
feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and  
provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.