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DESCRIPTION:

Parret, Eliza

DATE:

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Witness

Charles Sartorius
43 South
~~129~~ ~~129~~ ~~129~~

Bail papers at

\$2500-

June 12/82

LS

Bailed by deposit in
Chamberlain's office of
\$2500 June 1/80.

W.R.

Under Bail taken to
William Zornthaus
46th Avenue

prohibo (882)
July 20, 1882
July 20, 1882

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Eliza Barrett

22 June 1882 arrested & held
in default of \$13.12 & 8c

Violation of Excise Law.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Stevens

Foreman

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Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against
Eliza Parret

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

Eliza Parret 521 M 34
of the CRIME OF *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License,*

committed as follows:

The said

Eliza Parret

late of the *twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty fifth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to ~~a certain person whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,~~ *one Charles P. Partridge*

; without having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

John McKeon
District Atty
SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said of the crime of exposing for sale and selling spirituous liquors on Sunday, committed as follows, that is to say: The said late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did expose for sale and sell as a beverage to a certain person whose name is to the Grand Jury unknown,

contrary to 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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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In Re

Solomon Peirs

Off dairs and papers
showing salary of
Stat expts

Date }
Solomon Weis }

Albany County New York

As Frank being duly sworn
says: I was employed by H B Clapham & Co
to make collection in New Orleans and while
there on the 12th day of January 1882 in pur-
suance with instructions from that firm I
called on Solomon Weis who was then on a visit
to that City. In the course of my interview
with said Weis I said to him: "If your
statements to H B Clapham & Co on which you
purchased the goods from them was true, they
would probably take the twenty five percent
offer of settlement but they knew the statements
to be false and refused to settle. He then
said in substance, "There is no reason
reason I do not expect them to come up
with the others so I will give them fifty
per cent". I communicated this offer
to H B Clapham & Co but they refused to make
any settlement as they had placed the
matter in the hands of their Counsel for
prosecution. Originally. He gave me
at the interview above mentioned a state-
ment of all his debts at the time of the
attachment December 29th 18. I took

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the statement down at the time from his dictation and
I annex the same hereto marked "H". He said
that he had owed the firm Meyer Weiss & Co and his
sister's husband Sam Dyfuss the \$24000 for some
time, "for borrowed money". I know the signature

of said Solomon Weiss. The letter hereto annexed
marked "B" ^{as was also a subsequent letter ex. an ex. an ex.} was written by him. He told

me that he had written to Mr Bernheim of New York
to get his assistance in securing a settlement.

Given before me this
7th day of March

Ed Frank

1883 J. F. Kunkel

Notary Public
Kings & N.Y. Counties

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New York
Mr. Chas. L. Bernheim Jan'y. 10/82

Dear Sir & friend ~~Wife~~ 1st St. York

Excuse me for taking the liberty of addressing you but knowing your friendly feelings towards me, I know of no one in your city, that would give me the aid and assistance that you would. You are aware of my condition and affairs in general and they compell me to do what I shall regret all my life, that is, offer a compromise on my indebtedness, but I flatter myself by saying that I have not done nor acted dishonest, it is true, I owe a great deal more than I have, but the difference I lost in cotton. I lost very heavy two years ago in cotton and I borrowed money from my friends to pay up with and keep my business going, thinking I could work out, but am sorry to say, never succeeded owing to poor business the past two seasons. My stock of goods is attached by two parties from here for about \$24000.00 and it amounts to about \$28000.00, have about four thousand doll. outstanding the latter however have been transferred to a Galveston commission house, but

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if I can make a settlement, will probably
get them again.

I now authorize you to offer twenty
five cents on the dollar what I owe,
one half cash and the other payable in
twelve months with good security.

The statement given you of my affairs
is a correct one and consequently can't
possibly pay any more than I have
offered, come right down to a dollar
and cent point of view, it would be
to my personal interest to give the
whole thing up and take a new start,
but a desire to protect my creditors
and not wishing to lose my name
if I can possibly prevent it, are the
only considerations for me in the matter.
I enclose you a list of my creditors
in your City & other places, lay the matter
before my friends as soon as possible
and report result.

Awaiting your early reply I remain

Yours Respectfully
Edw. Weiss

address
18 Charter St
N. O.

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List of creditors of Sol. Weiss

New York

August Bernheim & Bauer	1023.25
August Bros	840.74
M. Ruber & Co	232.25
Bates Reed & Cooley	2972.34
H. B. Clapham & Co	3848.89
Forsch & Senger & Co	279.25
Hammerblough Bros	1367.00
Horsthal Whitehead W & Co	1897.50
Heavenrich Kunkelberg & Co	407.00
E. J. Jaffray & Co	1619.12
M. Kastor	118.57
A. Laufer & Co	791.79
Lissa Thorne & Co	101.12
Moses Blum & Witt	588.75
Marison & Hutchinson	732.25
P. Pfeifer & Co	457.60
Stein Schiffer & Kapp	461.75
J. Stettinmer jr & Co	119.10
H. Sonnenborn & Co	902.75
J. Zagoritz & Co N.Y.	578.89
Boston	
E. & A. H. Batcheller & Co	533.33
Clark Adams & Clark	180.17
Frank Herman & Co	1277.60
Keiffer Bros	1799.35
Reed & Blossom	584.68
N. F. Tenney Son & Co	1121.55
Baltimore	

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Haverhill Mass.
 Goodrich & Porter
 John Pilling

820.65
 340.80

New Orleans
 Schmitt & Ziegler
 Hartwell Chambers
 A. Lehmann & Co
 Katz & Barnett

792.58
 603.88
 544.53
 74.75

Galveston
 Leo & H. Blum
 P. J. Willis & Bro
 Watson Wells & Kidor

164.16
 178.06
 3865.40

Houston
 Ullman Lewis & Co

337.87

Oliver & Griggs Mexico
 Udell Schmieding & Co St. Louis

2860.44
 131.87
 35551.58

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~~Exhibit~~

Extract of second letter from Sol.
Weiss to Chas L Bernheim
Dated Feby 11th 1882.

"The offer made in my previous letter is the best I can do and if I cant get a settlement on those basis will have to do without it as I cant do impossibilities but shall regret it very much as I assure you would like the best in the world to have my name.

I was of the opinion the arrangement made with Frank was such as to Claffin withdrawing his attachment but it sums out.

You are no doubt aware the sale of my stock took place on 6th & 9th inst.

Meyer Weiss & Co. bought the whole of it for about \$17500. ⁰⁰ Switzer & Crawford were present and bid on it.

With thanks your friend
Sol Weiss"

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Max Beer & Co.,

163 Canal Street,

P. O. Box 1548.

NEW YORK OFFICE, 500 Broome Street.

New Orleans, La.

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Statement given to Frank
Labelatus of S. Weiss Mexico Tex.

✓ August B & Bauer	1023. 25	NY
✓ August Bros	840. 74	NY
✓ M Beecher & Co	232. 25	NY
✓ Ex At Batchellon	533. 33	Boston
✓ Bates Reed & Cooley	2972. 34	NY
✓ W R C & Co	3848. 39	NY
✓ Clark Adams Clerk.	180. 17	
✓ Forch Meuser & Co	279. 25	NY
✓ Frank Herrmann & Co	1277. 60	Boston
✓ Goodrich Porter	820. 65	Haverhill Mass.
✓ Hammenburg & Bm	1367. 00	NY
✓ Hornsbal Whitehead & Co	1897. 50	NY
✓ Heavens & Hershberg & Co	407. 00	NY
✓ E B Jaffrey & Co	1119. 12	NY
✓ P. Pfeffer & Co	457. 60	NY
✓ Keiffer Bm	1799. 35	Boston
✓ A Leaston	118. 57	
✓ Thayer & Co	791. 79	NY
✓ Huguenot & Co	578. 89	NY

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✓ Lissajens Co	101. 12	NY
✓ Messrs. Blum & Hil	588. 75	NY
✓ Morrison & Hutchinson	732. 25	NY
✓ John Riley	340. 80	
✓ Reed & Gleason	584. 68	
✓ H. Sonneborn & Co	902. 75	Balt
✓ Str. Shaffer & Capp.	461. 75	NY
✓ J. Stillman & Co	119. 10	NY
✓ N. F. Tenney Sons & Co.	1121. 53	Boston
✓ A. Lehman & Co	544. 53	N. O.
✓ Smith & Ziegler	792. 58	"
✓ Hartwell & Chamber	603. 88	"
✓ Kutz & Barnett	74. 75	"
✓ Koch & Wyffels	26. 08	"
✓ Ullman Lewis & Co	337. 87	Houston
✓ P. J. Miller & Son	178. 06	Galveston
✓ L. H. Blum	164. 16	do
✓ Nelson Wells & Vidor	3865. 40	do
✓ Udell Smithing Co	131. 87	St Louis
✓ Oliver Spriggs	2860. 44	Merica
	<u>35577. 66</u>	

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Forward

35577.66.

Attaching Credits

Meyer Weiss & Co N.O. 14000.00 brother

Leon Wyfoos. " 9800.00 brother in law

23800.00

59377.66.

~~What~~

Stock on hand
Aps

28000.00

4000.00

32000.00

The aps have been assigned to Nelson Wells & Alden
Galveston.

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NEW YORK OFFICE, 500 Broome Street.

New Orleans, La. 188

Accounts in my Boston re. at Gross on -

25%.

& for Cash. for 17 men Endorsed.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

A. Regan

Residence

2 West 13th

Street,

No. 2, by

Residence

Street,

No. 3, by

Residence

Street,

No. 4, by

Residence

Street,

~~Robert C. Henderson~~

No. 5, by

~~Robert C. Henderson~~

Sept 12, 1884

April 19, 1884

W. 358

Police Court - District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph H. Adams
vs. George
Eliza Parret

Offence, Viol.
Excess Law

Dated

April 17, 1884

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Arthur. Neelyman C. 1901

Witnesses John R. Dorval 213 N. 17

No. 120 Street & Ave.

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

guilty thereof, I order that she be admitted to bail in the sum of one hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until she give such bail.

Dated April 17 1884 McCreulter Police Justice.

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

Dated April 17 1884 McCreulter Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1884 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court Third District.CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ssIn the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County
of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York. GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by Joseph H. Pilsen
of No. 62 Ridge Street, that on the 16th day of April
1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

That one Eliza Pilsen of No 66 North 3rd street
in the city of New York, County and State of
New York did sell or caused or permitted to be sold
or exposed for sale under her direction or authority
strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in
her house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five
gallons at a time contrary to the laws of the State of New York

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

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

Dated at the City of New York, this 17 day of April 1882

Merrettterbury POLICE JUSTICE.

62 Ridge St
POLICE COURT. Third DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph H. Pilsen
62 Ridge St
Eliza Pilsen

66 North 31 St

Dated April 17th 1882

Merrettterbury Magistrate

Pilsen Officer

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

Pilsen Officer

Dated April 17th 1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

Warrant-General.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, April 17, 1882

Native of New York

Age, 43

Sex Male 31 May 1882

Complexion, Dark

Color, Black

Profession, None

Married Yes

Single, Yes

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

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Third District Police Court.

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

of No. 462 Ridge street Joseph H. Pilson Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 6th
day of April 1882, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
at No. 56 West 31st St Street,
Eliza Pouch

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, or exposed for sale, under his direction or authority,
strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than
five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Excise Laws of the State of New York, entitled
"An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this

day of April 1882

Mercy C. Brown
POLICE JUSTICE

Joseph H. Pilson

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Patrick, John

DATE:

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WITNESSES.

W. H. M.
Counsel,
ID 22

Filed 15 day of May 188
Pleads, *Indignantly (17)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.
John Patrick
INDICTMENT.
Larceny from the Person.

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney

A True Bill.
John Patrick
Foreman.
May 22/12
James H. Hump
12 p.m. Care of 16

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Patrick

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

John Patrick
of the CRIME OF LARCENY (from the person)

committed as follows:

The said

John Patrick

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

*one watch of the value of fifteen
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

on the person of the said

from the person of the said

Christian Widmayer
Christian Widmayer 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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 206, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court 2^d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

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Stephen Wednesday
446 W 38 St
John Patrick

Offence, Larceny from Person

Dated

May 4th 1882

Magistrate.

Clerk.

Witnesses

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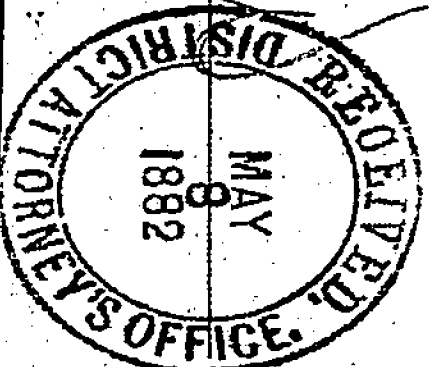
8th Jacob H. Brown

No.

8th Pleasant

No.

Street.



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

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

Dated May 4th 1882

Solomon S. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

2d DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Patrick

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty three years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

140 Thompson. Three months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Warden.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty asked him for a light for my cigarette but did not touch his watch

Taken before me, this 4

day of May 1882

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John X Patrick
man

Solomon Smith
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ssof No. 446 West 38th Street, 26 years Blackman
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the First day of May 1882
at the on Grand Stair City of New York,in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, and from his person in the night time
the following property, viz:One Gold watch of the value of fifteen
dollars

the property of

Deponentand that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,
stolen, and carried away by John Patrick (now here) forthe reason that while deponent was talking
with said Patrick he saw Patrick seized
the chain attached to said watch and pulled said
watch from deponent's vest pocket the vest being at the
time upon the body and person of deponent
and attempted to run away with the same
when deponent seized said Patrick but
he broke away from deponent leaving deponent's
watch hanging from his vest by said chainChas. Widmayer

Sworn before me this

1882

Police Justice

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Jacob H Doeso 31 yrs an officer of the 8th Precinct
Police being duly sworn says that on the night
of May 1st 1882 he saw John Patrich
(now here) in conversation with Christian Wedemeyer
about ten minutes before same Patrich took
said Wedemeyer walk.

Sworn to before me
this 4th day of May 1882 Jacob H. Doeso

Solomon Smith

Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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Peterson, Alfred

DATE:

05/17/82



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Bill returned

29th

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of May 1882

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.
Alfred Carlson

Felonious Assault and Battery.

John McKeon
DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Stevens

Foreman.

May 29/82

Decided by Court
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Witnesses:

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Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Alfred Peterson

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

Alfred Peterson

of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another with a deadly weapon with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said

Alfred Peterson

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Eighth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Margaret Hazzard* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Margaret Hazzard* with a certain *Knife* which the said *Alfred Peterson*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *her* the said *Margaret Hazzard* then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

Alfred Peterson

of the CRIME OF "Assault upon another, without justifiable or excusable cause, with a sharp, dangerous weapon, with intent to do bodily harm," committed as follows:

The said

Alfred Peterson

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, ~~the said~~

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Margaret Hazzard* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Margaret Hazzard* with a certain *Knife* which the said *Alfred Peterson*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously do bodily harm unto *her* the said *Margaret Hazzard* 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 McKeon
District Attorney

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another by such means and force as was
likely to produce death with intent to kill," committed as follows:

The said

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-
said, the said

with force and arms, in and upon the body of
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make another
assault and the said

with a certain

which the said

in right
hand then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut
and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death
of the said with intent the
said 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

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

of the CRIME OF "Assault and Battery upon another, with a deadly weapon, with intent
to maim," committed as follows:

The said

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-
said, the said

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said
then and there being, wilfully and feloniously did make another assault and
the said with a certain which the said

in right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there
a deadly weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab,
cut and wound, with intent then and there wilfully and feloniously to maim
the said against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New
York and their dignity.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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4th Precinct
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Maggie Thompson
175 Thompson St.
Alfred Peterson
150 Thompson St.

Offence: Felonious
Assault & Battery

Dated May 18th 1882

Magistrate.

Clerk.

Witnesses

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

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

Alfred Peterson
held to answer the charge
guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of Twenty Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated May 10th 1882 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1882 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1882 Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me, this

day of

1882

Police Justice

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Second District Police Court.

AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

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

Maggie Haggard
agw. *Mannie* of No. *175*

Thompson Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says
that on the *Eight* day of *May* in the year

187*7*, at the City of New York, she was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by
Alfred Peterson (now here) who
struck deponent on the left breast
with a knife then and there
held in the hands of said Peterson
cutting and stabbing deponent
in the left breast

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, *and* to do *her* ~~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 *10* day
of *May* 187*7*

J. Henry Ford Police Justice.
Maggie Haggard

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE, ON MY COMPLAINT,
Maggie Haggard
 versus

Alfred Peterson

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself.

For the following reasons

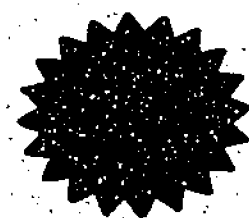
I: When she made the Complaint she said when she afterwards learned it was untrue.

II. I have known defendant a long time and we were joking when the alleged assault took place

In presence of

J. R. White

Maggie Haggard



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Phalen, Thomas

DATE:

05/10/82



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McK...
Counsel

Filed 10 day of May 1882

Pleas Not guilty (C)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P.
Thomas Phalen

27 July 1882

Grand Larceny of Money, &c.
INDICTMENT

DANIEL C. FOLLIOTT
DANIEL C. FOLLIOTT

John McKen District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James Green

Foreman.

May 25/82

Guilty
State of New York

May 25/82

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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,

Thomas Phalen against *Phalen*

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

Thomas Phalen

of the crime of

Grand Larceny

committed as follows:

The said

Thomas Phalen

in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fifth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, three 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 thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: three 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 hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty 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 hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty 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 fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty 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: sixty 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: eighty 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: ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred 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: one hundred and twenty 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: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two 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: three 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: ten 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: ten 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 three dollars each: fifteen 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 two dollars each: thirty 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 one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Meyer Hoffman

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

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

~~JOHN McKEON~~

John McKeon District Attorney.

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State of New York,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Sworn to, before me

this _____ day of _____ 18 _____ }

H. J. General Sessions.

The People vs.

Plaintiff

against

Thomas Maalen

Defendant.

Affidavits.

HOWE & HUMMEL,
ATTORNEYS FOR DEFT.

87 AND 89 CENTRE STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Due and timely service of cop _____ of the within

hereby admitted

this _____ day of _____ 18 _____

Attorney.

To _____

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To whom it may concern

This certifies that Thomas
Phelan was employed for some
years by the late firm of A. H.
Hart & Co as their Cashier, in
which capacity he carried to their
Factory about Twenty five Hundred
Dollars each week, and was
always considered faithful
and trustworthy

John Hinde

Late Receiver for

A. H. Hart & Co

New York May 14. 1882

N. Y. General Sessions

The People
 vs
 Thomas Phalen }

City and County of New York ss, Thomas Dempsey of No. 461 West 57th Street being duly sworn says; I am a Carpenter and employed by the A. H. Hart Company and have been so employed 22 years; I am well acquainted with Thomas Phalen the above named Defendant and have known him since 1864. The said Phalen worked in the same establishment with me, 12 years. The defendant was always a young man of good character, steady, sober and industrious. And deponent never heard defendant's honesty questioned heretofore. Deponent knows that said Phalen is a man of good character, who heretofore has never been arrested.

Sworn to before me this 25th day of May 1887 } Thomas Dempsey
 Michael A. Koffman }
 Commissioner of the Court
 New York City County

N.Y. General Sessions

The People }
 vs }
 apt }
 Thomas Phalen }

City and County of New York ss:

Charles Kelly
 of N^o 412 West 56th Street being duly
 sworn says That he is employed by
 Read, Holliday & Sons of 22 Platt Street
 in said City and was formerly employed
 by the A. H. Hart Company 16 years or
 thereabouts and that the Defendant was
 employed in said last named Company
 while I was there as Cashier, Collector
 bookkeeper. That deponent knows that
 heretofore said Phalen was a young
 man of good character and deponent
 never ^{knew} him to have been arrested before
 and never heard anything against said
 Phalen's character.

Sworn to before me this 25th day of May 1882 }
 Charles Kelly }

Michael A. Hoffman

Commissioner of Courts
 New York City & County.

N. Y. General Sessions

The People vs
 vs
 Thomas Phalen

City and County of New York ss.

William J. Gallbraith of
 No. 507 East Houston Street being duly
 sworn says; I am shipping Clerk with
 the A. H. Hart Company and have been
 connected with said Establishment about
 20 years. That deponent is well ac-
 quainted with the above named Defend-
 ant, who was formerly employed in the
 same business as deponent. That deponent
 knows that heretofore said Phalen
 was a young man of good character
 and that he ^{has held} the positions of Collector,
 bookkeeper and Cashier with said
 Company for a number of years, and
 deponent never heard anything against
 said Phalen heretofore.

Sworn to before me this 25th day of May 1882, by William J. Gallbraith
 Justice of the Peace
 Commissioner of the Court
 New York City County

my. General Sessions

The People vs }
Thomas Phalen }

city and County of New York: John Byrne of No 510 West 57th Street in said City and doing business as a mason at above number being duly sworn deposes and says that he has resided at above address for 29 years and has known the defendant for 12 years, and has known him to be a good sober and industrious man and have never known dishonesty to be questioned. I have had a good deal of business with him during the said time and he has always borne an excellent character.

He was a tenant of mine for 8 years and I know that he was a steady and sober young man and although a young man he provided for and took care of his family.

Sworn to before me this

26th day of May 1881

Thos. Phalen

Commodore

my City & Co

John Byrne

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To whom it may concern.

This certifies that Thomas Phelan was in the employ of the late firm of A. H. Hart & Co as their Bookkeeper and after the death of A. H. Hart he (Thomas Phelan) was employed by the surviving partner in the same capacity, also as his Cashier, where he was entrusted every week with Twenty five Hundred dollars to pay the Factory labor - Phelan was esteemed as a good Bookkeeper, and was considered honest in his capacity as Cashier -

John Hinde late Receiver
for the Estate of
A. H. Hart & Co

John Hinde, to me personally known.

acknowledges to receiving the foregoing certificate
and swears to the contents as true

New York 20

May 27 1882

J. S. Hyatt 158
Notary Public
New York County

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

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Police Court-2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Meyer Hoffmann
Thomas J. Butler
Grand Juror

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Offence, Grand Juror

Dated May 14th 1882

Thomas J. Butler
Magistrate.

Bernard Thompson
Officer.

12th Avenue - New York
Officer.

Witnesses Maria Hoffman
No. 122 East 57th Street,

No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,

No. 1100 Street,
\$ 1000
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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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 Thomas Phalen

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

Dated May 14th 1882 Christopher Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named _____ to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 188-200.

5th DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Phelan

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas Phelan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

332 East 121st Street, about 10 days

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Book Keeper

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Taken before me, this

day of

May 188*7*

Thomas Phelan

C. J. Davis

Police Justice.

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3rd District Police Court

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.
Civil Merchant

of No. 122 East 57th Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 1st day of November 1880
at the 5th Ward in 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 daytime

the following property, viz:

Good and lawful moneys of the issue of the
Government of the United States consisting
of National Bank bills to the amount and
value of four hundred and thirty two dollars,
and eighty ~~two~~ cents in fractional coins
of the issue of said government, all being
of the value of \$ 432 ⁸⁰/₁₀₀

the property of deponent and his two copartners Bernhard
Brownold and Charles Brownold doing
business at No. 60 Walker street in said city

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 Thomas Phalen (nowhere)

from the fact that said defendant was employed
in the capacity of ^{book keeper} deponent and his copartners
at said No. 60 Walker street in said city.
That on said day deponent gave to ~~deponent~~
the said Phalen said money to pay the
employees that instead of paying them
he did on said day take ~~instead~~ and carry
said money and did not return to his
said place of business, and that deponent

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has not seen said Phalen until the 7th day of May 1882 at the 5th District Police Court where he had been brought by officer Thompson of the 12th Precinct Police on said charge.

Dependent therefor charges the said defendant with feloniously taking and stealing and carrying away said money.

Sworn before me this 7th day of May 1882
clerk Hoffman
city of New York

Police Justice

City and County of New York ss

Bernard Thompson of the 12th Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes and says that on the 6th day of May 1882 he arrested said Thomas Phalen the defendant on the within charge that after being placed under arrest he said Phalen asked dependent "how much it would cost to settle the case"

Sworn to before me this 7th day of May 1882
city of New York

Bernard Thompson

Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

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DATED

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MAGISTRATE.

OFFICER.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Pottharst, August

DATE:

05/04/82



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For the purpose of this case, I am not a party.

There is no evidence in this case that I am a party to the crime.

I am not a party to the crime and I am not a party to the crime.

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

August Potthorst

ROBBERY—First Degree.

JOHN McKEON,

2nd Deputy Sheriff, 1st Deputy Sheriff, District Attorney.

1st Deputy Sheriff, 2nd Deputy Sheriff, District Attorney.

1st Deputy Sheriff, 2nd Deputy Sheriff, District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John McKeon

Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

August Pothorst
^{against}

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

August Pothorst

of the crime of Robbery in the first degree,

committed as follows:

The said

August Pothorst

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *Twenty Ninth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, in and upon one *James Lee*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and

*one Watch of the Value of Nine dollars
one Watch Chain of the Value of one
dollar one promissory Note for the
payment of money then and there being due
and unsatisfied of the kind known as
United States Treasury Notes for payment
of and of the value of two dollars one
promissory Note for the payment of money
then and there being due and unsatisfied
and of the kind known as United States Treasury
Notes for the payment of and of the
Value of one dollar and divers Silver
Coins of the United States of a number
and denomination to the Grand Jury unknown
of the Value of Eighty Cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

James Lee

from the person of said

James Lee

the will and by violence to the person of the said
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, 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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street, _____

Sec. 208, 209, 210 & 212.

Police Court District 76

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

221 W 32nd St

James Lee

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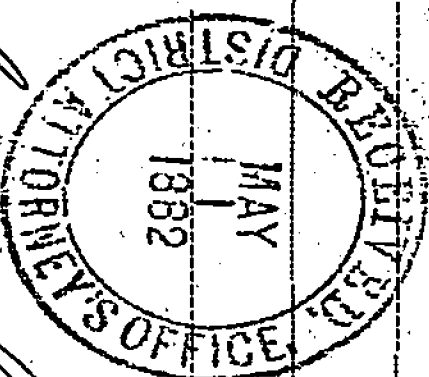
James Lee

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James Lee



Dated 30 April 1882

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses .

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

James Lee

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

August Pottasst

guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of _____ Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated 30 April 1882 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

August Pottman

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Nineteen years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

In Germany

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

Answer.

21 Street - four weeks.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter in Summer & Pedlar in Winter

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

Answer.

I never saw the man. never took him to the room.

August Pottman.

Taken before me this *30*

day of *April* 188*2*

Andrew Smith

Police-Justice.

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Police Court--Third District

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

James Lee

of No. 224 N. 36th Street,

being duly sworn, depose and saith that on the 29 day of April 1872 at the 17th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of deponent, by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz.:

One silver watch and plated Chain both of the value of nine dollars. and good and lawful money of the United States in bills and silver of the value of Three ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars. all of said property being of the value of

of the value of
the property of

Twelve ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ -
Deponent.

DOLLARS,

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

August Pottharst now present and another not arrested.

That deponent met defen-
dant August in 14th Street
and went with him to a room
in Stuyvesant Street. That as
soon as they entered said
August turned out the light,
and deponent was instantly
seized from behind by the other
man who held him while said
August took said property from
deponent. That the defendants
then gave deponent a push and
ran out of the room and house.
That deponent identifies a two dollar
bill found on the prisoner as his deponent's
property.

James Lee

Sworn before me, this

1872

day

Police Justice.