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A TRUE BILL.

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F. H.
May 22nd 1892

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N. Y. New York Oct. 11. 1893

I met Mr Atkins at my employes store
at 44 Cortlandt street about 1 year
ago he then ask me to get certain
things and goods for him at that
time I got certain things therefrom
our store and I delivered to him
the last delivery being Allecock &
Bensons Plaster six doz of each. I
would give him some goods twice a
week I give him about 2 Gross
of allecock and 1 Gross of Bensons
Plaster also very fine little eartens
fills. and I gave him some soap
Cuthers ~~20 doz~~ 20 of 7 and Plaster
3 of soap + 8 of Plaster 2 of sabre
1. pac. they is 3 cakes in a box.
He came to me and ask ~~that~~ me to
get him some goods he would tell me
to get what ever he would want
~~and~~ he would tell me that he would
give me some money for it if I would
get it for him he would pay me
after I got the goods. he would do
not ~~say~~ now what he would do with
the goods as he would not tell me
I have at ~~the~~ different times at the
employes of the store carry out goods
to and give them to Mr Atkins they
names being as folowed Chas Drew,
Otto Spitznagel, Gus Larsen, Henry
Sierck he paid me about \$18.00 for the
goods I got him Henry Sierck that

S. J. C. N.Y. Oct 11/92

The first time I saw Edward Abrams was about one year ago at the wholesale drug house of Henry Levin at 44 Courtlandt St City

He came to me and asked to get him a few cakes of Cuticura Soap with was two boxes 1/4 doz in each box From that time on he has been asking me to get him different things and has gave me a little money with I never asked him for

~~At the~~

At what times he gave me this money I cannot state as I don't ^{know} exactly when and where he gave it to me

I and the other boys from the store Henry Siark Gus Levins Leonard Sherman

They were in the habit of meeting him daily at Carroll's liquor store at Greenwich & Day St.

The other boys mentioned carried out goods to and ^{gave} them to him as well as myself for with he gave them and myself small sums of money

I have delivered to him as follows
Pears soap two boxes at a time
Cuticura soap " " "

Brandt's pills one package at a time
Carters pills three & four bottles " " "

The largest amount of money he has

ever gave me at any time was one dollar usual and if giving me over fifty cents he would ask me to get these goods from the store for him and then he would pay me his own price I received from him yesterday one dollar for goods I had giving him the past week or there abouts the greater part of the money I received from Mr. Abrams I usually spent it with himself and the other boys in Carrolls saloon for drinks

Chas Drew

21 a

N.Y. Oct 11th 1892

I Geo Lewis do hereby declare
and state of my own free will
that I have done business with
a man called Eddie whose
last name I don't know that
I've given these since Eddie
about 3 doz Cuticura Soap,
4 doz Brandetts Pills S.C. 3 doz
Plain Pills, 2 Boro Beans #118
3 Boro Centers Pills 3 Bottles
Huyts Cologne & about 20 lbs
Lavender Ess. and other goods
which I do not recall. all
the goods mentioned I have
stolen from the stock of
my employers Henry Klein &
44 Cortlandt St. N.Y. I
have received from the man
called Eddie about \$15 for
the goods given him these
transactions with the man Eddie
have been going on for about
2 months

Geo Lewis

- * 9 Dy. Cubaana Soap
- 4 Bronchitis Pills Sl. Oct. 1
- 3 Plain
- 2 Bone Cars 115
- 6 " Casters Bell
- 3 1st Wajts Charge 2/
- 20 la Lavanda Pills
- 3 Bron. Eyes Pills

marks
 50
 5

Chas. Brown
 St. Louis
 Henry Smith

Police Court, 1st District.

(1353)

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 44 Courtland Street, aged 39 years,

occupation Druggist being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 6th day of October 1892 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

Edmund Abrams (now here) did feloniously receive a quantity of druggist's supplies he well knowing the same to have been stolen in violation of Section 550 of the Penal Code of the State of New York for the reasons following To-wit: Dependent is informed by Charles Brown, Henry Siers and Leonard Sherman (all now here) admit having stolen the said property and the said Brown and Henry Siers inform dependent that the said Abrams made an engagement with them by which he Abrams would come to dependent's place of business and pretend to purchase something. He would receive a quantity of supplies from the said Siers and Brown from said place of business without paying for said property and would afterwards meet the said Brown and Siers and pay them a sum far less than the market value of said property. See annexed affidavits of Siers & Brown.

Dependent to begin me
This 1st day of October 1892

W. H. Johns
Police Justice

Police Court, 1st District.

(1359)

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 44 Courtland Street, aged 39 years, occupation Druggist being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 6th day of October 1892 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

William H. Jahr

Edward Abrams (now here) did feloniously receive a quantity of druggists supplies he well knowing the same to have been stolen in violation of Section 550 of the Penal Code of the State of New York for the reasons following To-wit: Dependent is informed by Charles Wm. Henry, Sierris and Leonard Sherman (all now here) admit having stolen the said property and the said Wm and Henry Sierris inform dependent that the said Abrams made an engagement with them by which he Abrams would come to dependent's place of business and pretend to purchase something. He would receive a quantity of supplies from the said Sierris and Wm Henry said place of business without paying for said property and would afterwards meet the said Wm and Sierris and pay them a sum far less than the market value of said property. See annexed affidavits made by Wm Henry & Co.

Sworn to before me this 11th day of October 1892

Wm H. Jahr
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 18 years, occupation Barber of No. 2022 Fulton Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William H. John and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 11 day of October 1882 } Charles Drew

[Signature]
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 18 years, occupation Barber of No. 205 Broome Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William H. John and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 11 day of October 1882 } Henry J. Sicks

[Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 16 years, occupation Clerk of No. 359 Montgomery Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William A. John

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

Sworn to before me this 11th day of October 1887 Leonard Sherman

W. A. John
Police Justice.

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(1885)

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court

Edward Abraham 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. *Edward Abraham*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *39 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *Abraham St. 10 3/4 miles*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Salesman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Edward Abraham

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 1889

Police Justice.

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BATED,

46 W 73 St

by Edward Rogers

Witnesses
Joseph R. ...
George ...

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

Police Court

IN THE PEOPLE, &c.,
OF THE COUNTY OF

District

157 / 1290

Offense
Receives
Stolen Goods

Dated, Oct 11 1892

Magistrate

Officer

David Bueh

Witnesses
Charles ...

Witnesses
Thomas ...

Witnesses
John ...

Witnesses
George ...

Witnesses
John ...

Witnesses
John ...

Witnesses
John ...

Oct 13, 1892

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 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, Oct 13 1892 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 1892 Police Justice.

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

Dated, 1892 Police Justice.

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WITNESS Harry Kieck
James Oct 19 1892
Joseph P. Dunn
St. Springs
By James Kieck
146 W 73 St

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

Police Court
157
1298
District
THE PEOPLE, Ec.,
OF THE COMPLAINANT OF

Dated, Oct 11 1892
Magistrate
Officer
Precinct
Offense
Receiv[ing] stolen goods

Witnesses
James Kieck
Joseph P. Dunn
St. Springs
James Kieck
St. Springs
James Kieck
St. Springs
James Kieck
St. Springs
James Kieck
St. Springs

to answer
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St. Springs
Oct 13 1892

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 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, Oct 13 1892 *John Ryan* Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated, _____ 189 _____ Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.

Sworn to before me this 11th day of October 1893

William Calby of No. 54 pres. Street, aged years, occupation Police officer being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 11th day of October 1893 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

Charles Drew Henry Stein & Leonard Sherman (names) are necessary and material witnesses against Edward Abraham charged with Receiving Stolen Goods and deponent has good and sufficient reasons to believe that said Drew, Stein & Sherman will not appear at the Court of General Sessions and he asks that they be held and committed to the House of Detention William Calby

Police Justice

The People & etc
agst
Edward Adams.

City of Providence - State of Rhode
Island and Providence Plantations.

I, Frank A. Tillinghast, being duly
sworn deposes & says that I reside at
#109 High St. and doing business at
#174 Mathewson St. Providence R.I. - that
I am proprietor of restaurant - have known
Edward Adams for the past nine (9)
years and that he has traded with
me six years (6) of that time. During
that time he has always promptly paid
his board and roomrents promptly and
has a good reputation to the best of my
knowledge. Having heard nothing det-
rimental to his character.

Frank A. Tillinghast.

Subscribed and sworn to before this 9th day of November
A. S. 1892
Alexander H. Cahoon
Notary Public

Court of General Sessions
City and County of New York
The People, etc.
agst
Edward Abraham

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

Sumner Schuster being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he resides at No. 127 East, 106th St. in the City of New York, and is engaged in the business of Butcher, that he knows the above named defendant and has known him all his life, that his character and reputation has been always the very best to the knowledge of deponent, that he has never before known the defendant to have been charged with any offence of any character, and that the general re-arrangement of defendant's character, has always been in terms of the highest praise. Deponent prays the Court for clemency for the Defendant.

Sworn to before me this 10th day
of November 1892

Joseph J. Chavers
Notary Public

Sumner Schuster

City & County of New York ss.

Isaac Fleischman being duly sworn deposes and says, that he resides at 348 E. 50th Street in said City that he is the senior member of the firm of J. Fleischman & Brother Wholesale butchers and Dealer in Hides 788 to 804 First Avenue that he knows the above named defendant Edward Abrams from child hood and that he knows his reputation and character and they are of the very best in every respect and that for that reason deponent was very much surprised upon hearing of the present charge against him deponent has heard a great many people speak of defendant as an excellent young man that he respectfully asks the Court to extend to him all possible ~~any~~ mercy

Sworn to before me Jason Furthman
this 11th day of November 1892.
Thomas DeLewin
Com. T. J. Hleds.
N.Y. Co.

POOR QUALITY
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Court of General Sessions
City and County of N. F.

The People vs

vs

Edward Abrams

Defendant of
good character

THOMAS J. HENRY,
COURT CLERK - LAW

W. H. HENRY, JR.,
COURT CLERK - POLICE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Edward Abrams

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse
Edward Abrams
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Abrams*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixth*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-*two*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one hundred and forty-four bottles
of pills of the value of ten
cents each bottle.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *William N. Jaher*
by *Charles Drew, Henry Sierk and Leonard Sherman*, and
by - certain *other* persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately
before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *William N. Jaher*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

Edward Abrams

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been felon-
iously 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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

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