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DESCRIPTION:

Palmer, Hiram

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Montgomery, William

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Counsel,
Filed 6 day of Dec 1882

Pleads Guilty (7)

vs. THE PEOPLE

by

Olivann Farmer and
William Montgomery

INDICTMENT.

LARCENY AND RECOVERING STOLEN GOODS.

On

JOHN MCKEON.

Part 2 Dec 19, 1882
No. 2. Bail discharged.

A True Bill.

Geo. H. Morris

Forenun.

Part 2 Dec. 19. 1882
No. 1. Pleads G. L.
Case: Thirty days

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First

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss
of No.

D Murray

Street

Emilia A Baughman

and at address above first aforesaid day of November 1882

being duly sworn deposes and says that on the

at the

City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, from said premises in the day time
the following property, viz:

A quantity of pens and
pencils, writing paper, two albums
together with a number of Christmas
cards & other articles all
of the value of two hundred
dollars or more

the property of

Deponent

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

John Palmer now
Medcut—who was in deponent's
employment—as a porter and
as such had access to said property
and he admits in Court that
he did do take, steal and carry
away the aforesaid property parts
of which deponent has recovered
from the party to whom he Palmer
had given it—and deponent

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further charges William
Montgomery now here with
unlawfully & feloniously receiving
and taking into his possession
for a certain consideration in
Money a portion of said property
he well knowing that said
goods had been stolen property

Emilie A. Baumman

Now to before me
this 28th day of November
A. D. 1882
John Chapman
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

Disposition

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Hiram Palmer

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. *Hiram Palmer*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *Brooklyn Ed. 7 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Porter*

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 guilty

Taken before me, this 28
day of November 1888 *Hiram Palmer*

P. J. Morgan Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

JW
DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

William Montgomery

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Montgomery

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

49 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Connecticut

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

Answer James St about 20 Years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Old Paper Stand

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

Answer

I am not guilty of the charge

Taken before me this
day of July 1882

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Wm Montgomery

P Morgan Police Justice

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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 Hereward Palmer &
William Montgomery

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

Dated 28 November 1883

P. J. Ellory Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 29 1883

P. J. Ellory Police Justice.

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

Dated 1883 Police Justice

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BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 2, by David Williams
Residence 85 Fauree Street,
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street,
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court 12 First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Emilie & Daughman
1 Murray St.
Hiram Palmer
2 William Montgomery
3 _____
4 _____

Officer, Frank O'Connell
& Receiving Notes

Dated 18 November 1882

B. J. Moran Magistrate.

George Wicks Officer.

27 Precinct

Witnesses, _____

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

\$ 100 each to answer God

M. D. Baile
Ch. Commissioner

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

New York, Dec 19 1882

People
v
Montgomery

In this Case the amount of
Goods which came into the
Defts hands, from Palmer his
defendant, and the Theft
is fixed at \$600 = This
Amount of Money has been paid
to Cunaplant as Restitution
Money by the Amt Montgomery
who avers that he did not
know that the Goods were
Stolen. Montgomery has
hitherto been a good character

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and under the Circumstances
I recommend the discharge
of the Hospital in
This Case.

Woodburn
Apt. 601 11th

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Court of General Sessions

The People vs
vs
Wm Montgomery

December 16th, 1882

In reference to the above case I would state
that a large quantity of goods were stolen from
my store by one Palmer - Palmer sold a
portion of them to William Montgomery -
I have traced into Montgomery's hands and
he has admitted to me buying from Palmer
goods which I have valued at Six hundred
Dollars - This amount Montgomery will pay
in restitution and I shall be satisfied therewith

Emilie A. Baughman

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Ski Mall St.

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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

*Orvian Palmer and
William Montgomery*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Orvian Palmer and William Montgomery
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY, committed as follows:
The said *Orvian Palmer and*
William Montgomery

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on
the fourteenth day of November 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 thousand pens of the value
of three cents each, one thousand pencils
of the value of three cents each, ten
reams of writing paper of the value
of five dollars each ream, two albums
of the value of fifteen dollars each
and six hundred Christmas cards of
the value of ten cents each —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Emittus A.*

Bangham 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.

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

William Montgomery

of the crime of RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS,

committed as follows:

The said

William Montgomery

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~Fourteenth~~ day of November 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 thousand pens of the value of three cents each, one thousand pencils of the value of three cents each, ten reams of writing paper of the value of five dollars each ream, two albums of the value of thirteen dollars each, and six hundred Christmas cards of the value of ten cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Emilie A. Bangman by
William Palmer and by*
~~by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before~~
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

Emilie A. Bangman

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

William Montgomery

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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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Poncher Jr., Charles E.

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Filed 17 day of Dec 1882
Pleads

: THE PEOPLE

v.s.

N.A.

Charles E. Poncier

Obtaining Goods by False Pretenses.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

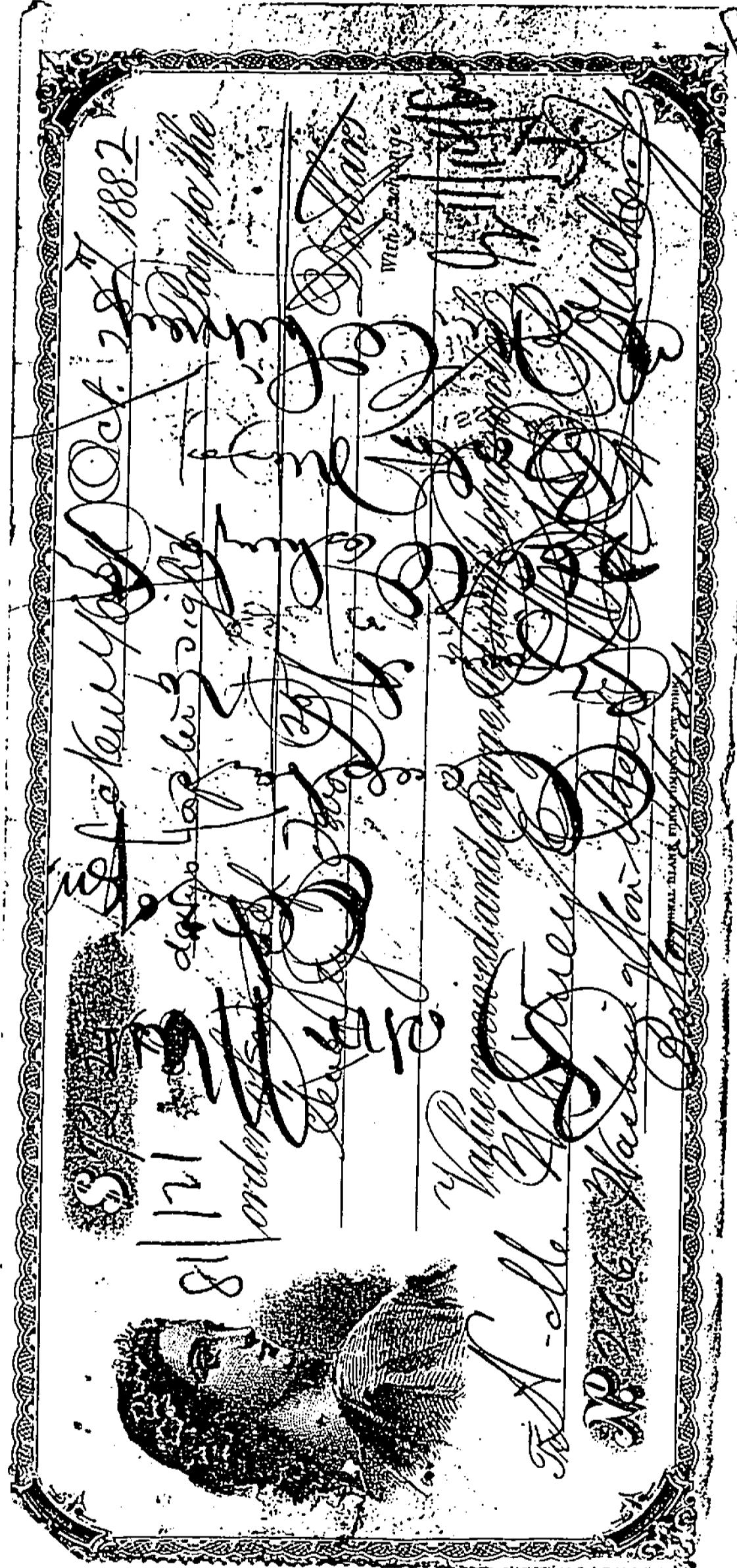
J. H. Cooper

Foreman.

Charles E. Poncier was today at
Syracuse, sentenced to two and a half
years in the penitentiary for obtaining
money on fraudulent drafts.

IN NEWS PAPER March 1, 1883

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W. H. Buckley Jr.

FOR DEPOSIT

TO CASH

AT THE CASHIER

Geo. A. Miller

(A)

10K NATIONAL BANK,
BOSTON, MASS., AGENT OF
THE CHATHAM FALLS BANK, N.Y.
H. P. DORENUS, CASHIER,

Roger B.
Burton of Chatham

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H C Dittmar & Co.
Say OK.
H. Forbush

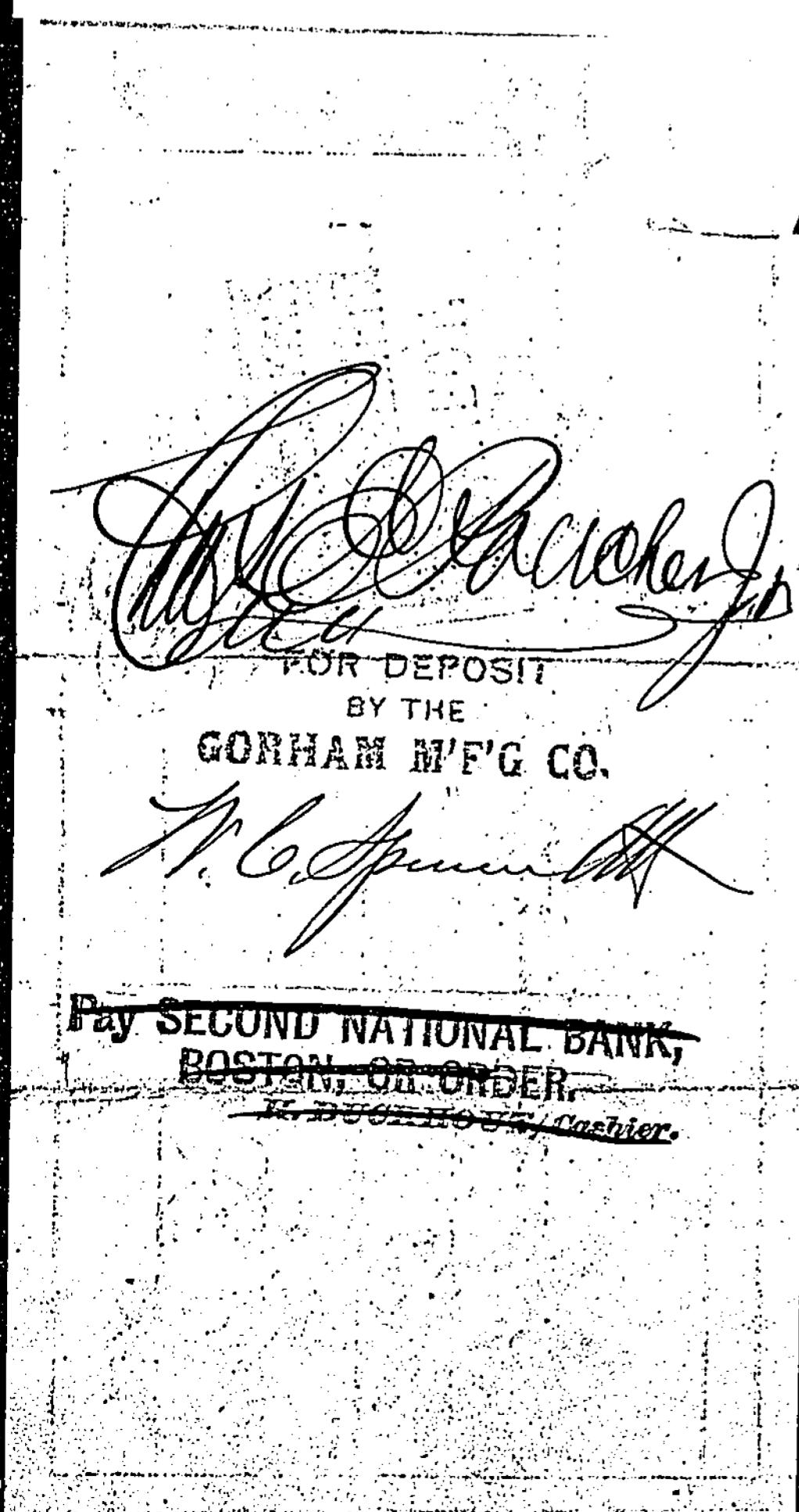
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Charles E. Paucher, Jr.
Attorney & Counsellor at Law,
266 Washington Street,
Solicitor in Patent Causes. Boston,

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

County of Suffolk,
City of Boston, } ss.

WILLIAM BRECK,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
19 Congress Street,
BOSTON.

On the ^{15th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,}

I, WILLIAM BRECK, Notary Public, duly admitted and sworn, and practising in said County and Commonwealth, at the request of Edward C. Brooks Esq., Cashier of

Franklin National Bank, Boston, went with the original acceptance which is hereto annexed, the time therein limited and grace having fully elapsed, to the Office of H. M. Whitney, Boston, Mass., the acceptor of said Note, and demand a payment of the same. A payment has not been made by the acceptor having been absent from his office for a week, and he was unable to pay and accept the note. The said acceptance remaining unpaid, I duly and officially notified the drawer, Edward C. Brooks Jr. and the Endorsement York and New York Co. "D. L. Spencer Atty. had come to the Franklin National Bank, New York City, New York.

(postage prepaid) of the non-payment of said acceptance requiring payment.

Wherefore I, the said Notary, by request, as aforesaid, have Protested, and by these presents do solemnly Protest, against the Drawer of said Note and all others concerned therein, for Exchange, Re-Exchange, and all Costs, Charges, Damages, and Interest, Suffered and Sustained, or to be Suffered and Sustained, by reason or in consequence of the non-payment thereof.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Notarial Seal, the day and year first above written.

Noting Non-Acceptance.
Postage,
Protesting for Non-payment,
Postage, 1.55

William Breck. Notary Public.

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Wm. C. Spencer, of the Gorham
Manufacturing Co., 37 Union Square, makes
the following statement:

On the 3rd of November 1882,
Charles E. Poucher Jr. came to
deponent's place of business as above
and purchased from one Bernard
M. Kent a salesman in the employ
of deponent, a case containing two
silver napkin rings of the value
of \$13.50. for which said Poucher
tendered in payment the annexed
draft, for \$54.35. — Deponents
firm knowing the said checks to
be good, the said Poucher referred
them to the firm of mess. Arnold
Constable & Co. of this City, —
which firm * pronounced the
said Poucher to be "all right".

Whereupon deponents firm
delivered to said Poucher the goods
above stated and \$40.85 in change
and received in return said draft.

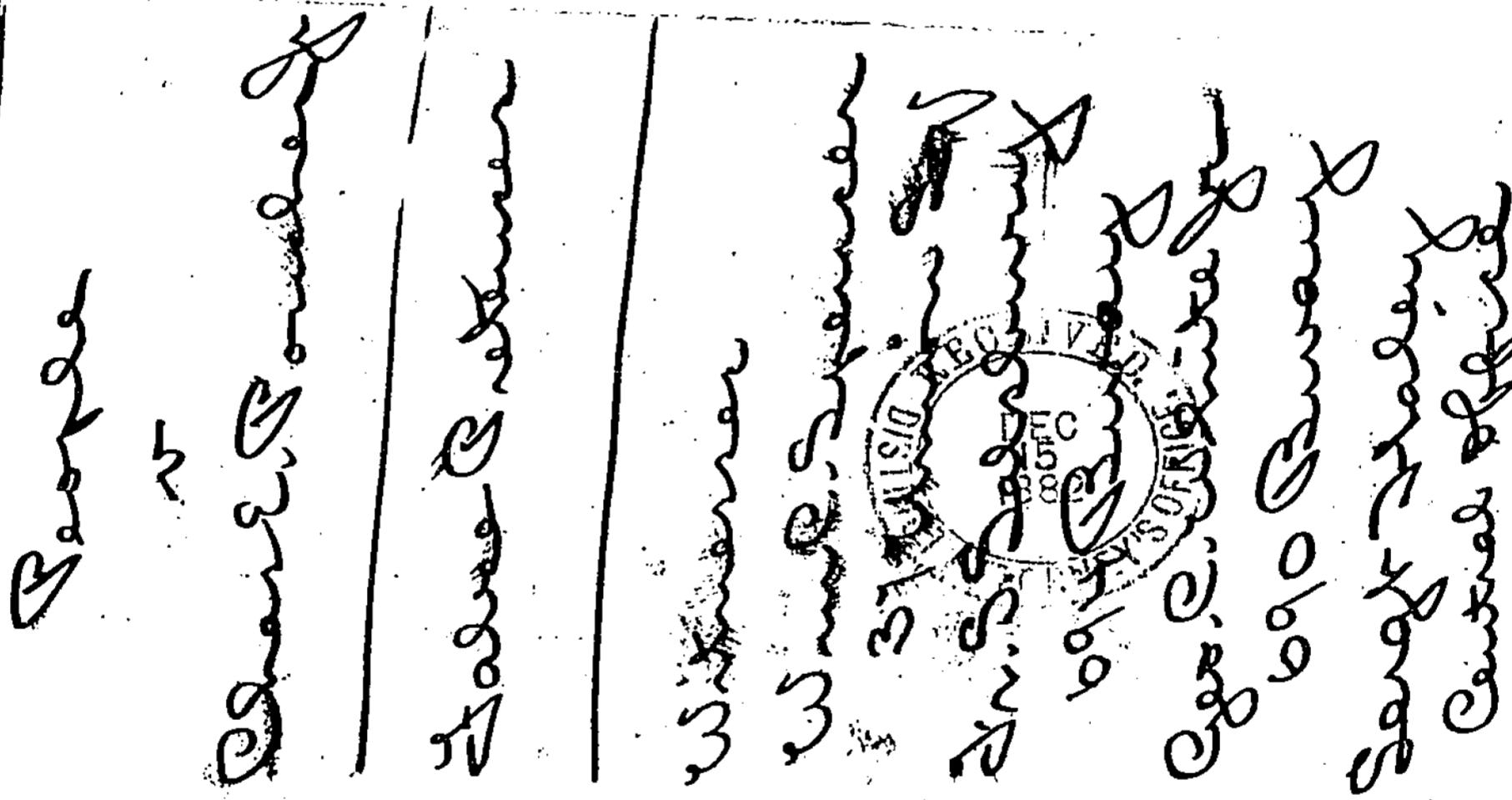
The said Poucher when asked
as to who "Dr. M. Whiting" upon
whom said draft was drawn was
replied that he was a client of his
(Poucher's) and further that the

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the draft was good and would be paid.

Deponent further says that at maturity said draft was deposited in deponent's Bank on account of said firm, and she said defendant could not be found, and said draft was duly protested and returned to deponent's firm.

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ROGERS & BROTHER,
ELECTRO SILVER PLATE,
690 BROADWAY.

New York, Jan. 1, 1882.

(M)

We take pleasure in introducing to you our
Mr. JAS. I. GULICK, who will hereafter represent
us on this Route.

We feel confident in saying that you will find
Mr. Gulick a gentleman entirely worthy of your
confidence and respect, and we bespeak for him a
continuance of the favors so kindly shown us in
the past.

Respectfully Yours,

ROGERS & BROTHER.



Referring to the above, I would respectfully
state that I shall have the honor of calling upon
you on or about _____ with a full line of
new and desirable goods, and trust you may find
it consistent to reserve your orders until then.

Hoping to merit your favor and esteem,
I remain

Respectfully Yours,

JAS. I. GULICK.

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C. E. Pocahontas

Oct 4

~~Oct 31/82~~
#152/P 1 Ice Pitcher Metal 11.25
79 1 Tray Sat S 3.50
Expressage .50
15.25
Draft .72.25
change \$ 57.

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I do not consider
these acceptances
worth the paper
they are written
on. Lots of them
floating around
no attention is
paid to them.

Franklin

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Return to Gorham Manuf Co

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Protest fees 1.55

Collect 55.90

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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

Charles E. Poncher
the younger

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse
Charles E. Poncher the younger
of the crime of OBTAINING GOODS BY MEANS OF FALSE PRETENCES,
committed as follows:

The said Charles E. Poncher
the younger

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
on the third day of November in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty two at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud one

William C. Spencer

did then and there feloniously, unlawfully, knowingly, and designedly, falsely pretend
and represent to the said William C. Spencer

That a certain instrument and writing
of the kind commonly called a draft
and William C. Spencer in the
words and figures following, that is to say
\$54.35 New York Nov 1st 1882

Ten days after sight Pay to the
Order of myself
Fifty four 35 100 Dollars
Value received and charge the same to account of
Sr. M. Whitney Char E Poncher Jr.
No 266 Washington Street
Boston Mass

was a good and valid draft and was worth the
sum of fifty four dollars and thirty five cents; that she
knew the said Sr. M. Whitney upon whom said draft was
drawn, that she was a client of this; that she said
Sr. M. Whitney was then and there engaged in business at
number two hundred and sixty six Washington Street in the
City of Boston; that the said Sr. M. Whitney then and there
owed him the said Charles E. Poncher the younger a sum of
money for which he was duly authorized to draw upon the
said Sr. M. Whitney, and that the said Sr. M. Whitney was
a responsible person; and the said draft would be paid.

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And the said Charles E. Conner the younger

then and their believing the said false pretences and representations
so made as aforesaid by the said

Charles E. Conner the younger, two
gold rings of the value of six
dollars and seventy five cents each
and the sum of forty dollars and
eighty five cents for money lawful
money of the United States and
of the value of forty dollars
and eighty five cents

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said William C. S. Spencer

and the said Charles E. Conner the younger did then
and there designedly receive and obtain the said goods and money

of the said

William C. S. Spencer

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said William C. S. Spencer

by means

of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, and with intent feloniously to cheat
and defraud the said William C. S. Spencer

of the same. And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said instrument and
writing which the said Charles E. Conner the
younger then and there exhibited to and
delivered to the said William C. S. Spencer,
was not a good and valid draft, and was
not worth the sum of fifty four dollars
and thirty five cents, but was entirely
void and worthless, and the said
Charles E. Conner the younger did not know
the said Dr. M. Whitney upon whom said
draft was drawn, and the said Whitney was
not a client of his, and whereas in truth and
in fact the said Dr. M. Whitney was not then
and there engaged in business at said number
two hundred and sixty six Washington Street in

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aid City of Boston; and she said thm.
Whitney did not then and there owe him
the said Charles E. Poncher the younger
any sum of money whatever, and she
said Charles E. Poncher ^{the younger} was not ^{authorised}
to draw upon the said Dr. M. Whitney
for any sum of money; and whereas
in truth and in fact the said Dr. M.
Whitney was not a responsible person
and she said draft would not be
paid

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the pretences and representations so made as
aforesaid, by the said ~~Charles E. Poncher the younger~~
to the said ~~William C S Spencer~~ was and were
in all respects utterly false and untrue, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the
Ward, City, and County aforesaid.

And Whereas, in fact and in truth the said ~~Charles E. Poncher the younger~~
well knew the said pretences and representations so by ~~him~~ made as aforesaid to
the said ~~William C S Spencer~~
to be utterly false and untrue at the time of making the same.

And so the Grand Jury aforesaid, do say, that the said ~~Charles E.~~
~~Poncher the younger~~ by means of the false pretences
and representations aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City and
and County aforesaid, feloniously, unlawfully, falsely, knowingly and designedly, did
receive and obtain from the said ~~William C S Spencer~~
~~two napkin rings of the value of~~
~~six dollars and seventy five cents~~
~~each, and the sum of forty dollars~~
~~and eighty five cents in money law-~~
~~fud money of the United States and~~
~~of the value of forty dollars and eighty five cents~~
of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property, and effects of
the said ~~William C S Spencer~~
with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud ~~him~~ of the same, against the form
of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the
State of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Power, Maurice W.

DATE:

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Day of Trial
Counsel,
Filed 22 day of Dec 1882
Plaintiff (Signature)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Maurice W. Connor

Violation of Excise Law.
Selling on Sunday.

JOHN McKEON,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL,

J. Wagner

Foreman.

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Fourth District Police Court.

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

22nd Peter Nugent
of the 28th Precinct Police
Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on Sunday, the 10/18 day of December 1882
at the City of New York, in the County New York,
he saw Maurice W Powers
sell and expose for sale, at his premises, No. 1045 - 61st
Avenue spirituous and intoxicating liquors, in violation of the law in such cases
made and provided

Police Justice.

Peter Nugent
22nd Precinct Police

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

Maurice W Powers 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. Maurice W Powers

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Forty five years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 1045 68 ave 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Liquor dealer

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

Maurice Powers

Taken before me this 11th day of December 1884

Samuel M. Justice

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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

Maurice W
Powers

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 Dec 11 A.D. 1882

Solomon Smith
Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 11 A.D. 1882

Solomon Smith
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

Police Justice.

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Police Court No. 3
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Peter Nugent

v.s.

Maurice W Powers

Officer of the Law
Maurice W Powers

Dated Dec 11 1882

Magistrate.

Peter
Nugent

Officer.

22 Precinct.

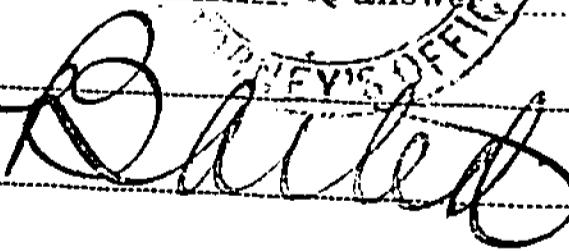
Witnesses Maurice W Powers

No. 22 & Precinct Street.

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

\$ _____ answer



Bailed

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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

Maurice W. Power

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

Maurice W. Power

of the CRIME OF *Exposing for Sale and Selling Spirituous Liquors
on Sunday*, committed as follows:

The said

Maurice W. Power

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York aforesaid, on the Twelfth day of December in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two, 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
whiskey, 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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.