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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Wachter, Michael

DATE:

11/03/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0043

415. B

Counsel, *J. L. ...*
Filed, *3* Day of *Nov.* 188*6*

Pleads,

Grand Larceny, *2nd* degree
(FROM THE PERSON)
[Sections 628, 629, 630 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Michael Washler

W. B. ...

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Pr. ... District Attorney.

Michael Washler S.P. 2 y. cond.

A True Bill.

W. B. ...
Foreman.

Witnesses:

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0844

Police Court— 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 578 West 69th Street, aged 16 years,
occupation Housekeeping being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 28th day of October 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One velvet purse, containing
good and lawful money of the
United States, consisting of silver
and nickel coins being the value of
the value of ^{thirty seven cents} a laundry ticket representing
18 shirts at 47 cents each and a receipt for life insurance
of the value of fifty cents being in all together of
the value of Three 36/100

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Michael Mackten (now Lee)

for the reason, that about 5 o'clock P.M.
on said day, while deponent was seeing
a parade at Battery Park, she had said
property in her dress pocket and felt said
deponent who was standing near her
put his hand in her dress pocket and saw
her take said property therefrom and
was about to run away when she was
arrested by Michael O'Malley, a police
officer of the 1st Precinct, Police who
found said property in his possession
whereat deponent identified as being Lee
and charges him with the larceny
aforesaid.

Jennie Tierney

Sworn to before me, this 29th day
of October 1886
John W. McNamee
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0045

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation Police officer of No. 161
West Broadway Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 29th
day of October 1888 Michael O'Malley

Wm J. [Signature]
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0046

Sec. 198-200

101

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Michael Wachter

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. *Michael Wachter*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *Austria*

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

Answer. *53 Bowery 11 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, *Walter*

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 of taking the purse I was hungry and had nothing to eat*

M. Wachter

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188

[Signature]

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0047

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

Police Court No. 1 District.

1628

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Lewis
 516 W. 60
 Precinct No. 10
 1
 2
 3
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 Offence _____

Dated Dec 29 1885

Magistrate

Officer

Precinct

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ _____ to answer _____

John

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 _____

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

Dated Dec 29 1885 _____ 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0048

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Michael Wachter

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

Michael Wachter

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

The said *Michael Wachter,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty-eighth day of *October,* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty- *six* , at the City and County aforesaid, in the

day time of the same day, with force and arms, *one purse of*
the value of one dollar, silver coins, of a
number, kind and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the
value of thirty six cents, and two pieces
of paper of the value of one cent each,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Jennie Tierney,*
on the person of the said *Jennie Tierney,* then and there being
found, from the person of the said *Jennie Tierney* 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.

Randolph S. ...
District Attorney.

0849

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Walker, Mary

DATE:

11/24/86



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Counsel, *J. L. [unclear]*
Filed *Dec 13* day of *Dec* 188*6*
Pleads *Unlawfully*

Witnesses:

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

SB

Mary Walker
157 Spring
Oct. 31/86

Violation of Excise Law.
(Sunday).
[III Rev. Stat., 7th Edition, page 1989 Sec. 21, and
page 1990, Sec. 51.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]
Foreman.
Dec 13th
9-50

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Frank Walker,
Defendant*

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

the above named defendant

of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said *defendant,*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *21st* day of *October,* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six,* 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 intoxicating 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to

Joseph Scott, 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.

SECOND COUNT:

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

defendant

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE, ON SUNDAY' committed as follows :

The said *defendant,*

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 intoxicating 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away as a beverage to

Joseph Scott, and Co -

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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

defendant -

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRIT- UOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *defendant,*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of certain premises at number

154 Spring Street -

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Watson, David

DATE:

11/05/86



2334

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0854

#55-13
B vol. 2

Counsel,
Filed 5 day of Nov 1886

Pleads *Inguilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs. *R*

David Watson

ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*By Dec 12 District Attorney.
Trial & acquitted.*

A True Bill.

M. J. [Signature]
Foreman

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0055

Police Court— 2nd District.

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

of No. 172 Thompson Street, aged 27 years,
occupation Housekeeper, being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 1st day of November 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by
David Watson (now here)

who cut and stabbed deponent in
the left side, and in the back with
a knife he held in his hand

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him grievous 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~~ bound to answer
for the above assault, etc., and dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 1 day
of November 1886.

Emma M. Aldridge
deponent

J. W. Smith Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0856

Sec. 198-200.

2. District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

David Watson 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. David Watson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Newton Sp.

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

Answer. 228 Sullivan Street 9 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter

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
David Watson.

Taken before me this

day of August 1886

[Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0050

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

David Watson

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

David Watson

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said David Watson,

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

first day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, with force of arms, at the City and

County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Emma Aldridge,

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and

with a certain knife

which the said David Watson 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 Emma Aldridge, thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

David Watson

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said David Watson,

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

upon the body of one Emma Aldridge in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and

wrongfully make an assault, and her the said Emma Aldridge

with a certain knife

which she the said David Watson in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being an

instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, 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.

Handwritten signatures at the bottom of the document.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Webber, Jacob

DATE:

11/19/86



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0050

#209 B

Counsel, _____
Filed 19 day of Nov 1886.
Pleads i. *Wm. Kelly*

Violation of Excise Law.
(Sunday).
[III Rev. Stat., (7th Edition), page 1383 Sec. 21, and
page 1389, Sec. 5].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Jacob Webber
. 1222 - 2 Ave
1876

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

By *Henry* *10/10/83* District Attorney.

Sub to Ct of Special Session

A TRUE BILL. *For trial by Circuit*

Clear Indy Foreman.

Dec 2nd *Dec 9th*

Wm. Kelly *G.S.D.*

Witnesses:

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Jacob W. Walker

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

Jacob W. Walker —

of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said

Jacob W. Walker,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, 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 intoxicating 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to

Hugh Martin, 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.

SECOND COUNT:

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

Jacob W. Walker —

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE, ON SUNDAY' committed as follows :

The said

Jacob W. Walker,

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 intoxicating 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away as a beverage to

Joseph Martin, 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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Jacob Waldner —

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *Jacob Waldner,*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of certain premises at number

1222 Second Avenue, —

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Whalen, John

DATE:

11/05/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0064

#50 B
J. Walsh

Counsel,
Filed, 5 day of Nov 1886
Pleads Not Guilty

Grand Larceny, 2d degree
(FROM THE PERSON)
[Sections 628, 630, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Whalen

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Amster
Foreman.
Charles G. Gray
Wm. J. Amster
George

Witnesses:

Chief of Police

Wm. J. Amster

George

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

00855

Police Court— District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss. Joseph J Jackson of No. One Island Turn of Waverton St New York Street, aged 50 years, occupation Painter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 28th day of October 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of person of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz :

Good and Lawful Money to the Amount of Thirty Three Cents And One Pocket Knife Worth ten Cents all

the property of deponent who at the time was under the influence of liquor 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 John Whalen now present that about seven o'clock P.M. on said day deponent was standing on West Street, corner of Warren Street, when the defendants came up and took hold of deponent by his coat collar with one hand, while with the other he took from a pocket of deponents trousers the property in question as deponent is informed by Officer Thomas J. Kehoe who apprehended the defendants. As for his hand into said pocket and take the money and who found the pocket knife which deponent identifies in the defendants possession all of which deponent believes to be true Joseph J Jackson

Sworn to before me this 29th day of October 1888
of [Signature] Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0055

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas J. Kehoe
aged *28* years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. *the 5th Precinct* Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Joseph Jackson*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *29th*
day of *October* 183*8* by *Thomas J. Kehoe*

J. M. Murray
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0867

Sec. 198-200

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

John Whalen 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 Whalen

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

England

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

Answer.

In Washington Street

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Sailor

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

John Whalen
ma

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0050

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

#5093
Police Court
District

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 *John Whalen*
2
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4
Offense *Carrying a weapon from person*

Dated *October 29* 188

Murray Magistrate.

Thomas J. Kehoe Officer.

5th Precinct.

Witnesses *Callahan* Officer.

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ *500* to answer *500*

(Orn)

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 Whalen* guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Five* 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 29* 188 _____ 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0069

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 W. Maden

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

John W. Maden

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

The said *John W. Maden,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty-first day of *October*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the
night time of the same day, with force and arms, *divers coins,*
of a number, kind and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
of the value of thirty three
cents, and one penny of the
value of New pence,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Joseph D. Jackson,*
on the person of the said *Joseph D. Jackson,* then and there being
found, from the person of the said *Joseph D. Jackson,* 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.

Randolph B. ...
District Attorney

0870

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

White, Alfred D.

DATE:

11/01/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0871

44 B

Counsel, *[Signature]*
Filed *1* day of *Nov*, 188*6*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs. *Alfred D. White*
Grand Larceny, *3rd* degree
[Sections 528, 53 & Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Pr No 486 District Attorney.
Yllch party.
A True Bill.

[Signature]

Foreman.

[Signature]

Witnesses:

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0072

Police Court— 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Samuel T. Simmons

of No. 141 West 49th Street, aged 30 years,

occupation Waiter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the or about 25 day of September 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One silver watch with gold chain
one half english sovereign and one coin
mounted with gold, ^{and} two flannel
under shirts together of the value of
Thirty nine dollars (#39.00)

Sworn to before me, this 188 day

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by Alfred White (now here) from the fact that deponent had said property in his bed room and the said deponent occupied a room in said premises on the same floor with deponent and on the 25th day of September 1886. deponent missed said property. and on Monday October 11th deponent found in the room of the said deponent one of said flannel under shirts which deponent fully identified as his property. and deponent is informed by Detective Sergeant Ulas Rogers of the Central Office Police that after he ^{had} arrested the deponent he

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0073

admitted and confessed to him Rogers
in the presence of Detective Sergeant
Thomas Doyle and depment that he
the defendant had feloniously taken
straw and carried away said property
wherefore depment prays the said defendant
may be held and dealt with according
to Law

Sworn to before me Samuel Thompson
this 26th day of Oct 1886

Samuel Thompson

Police Justice

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
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1886
Police Justice

I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1886
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 1886
Police Justice

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, vs.,
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY

Dated 1886
Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.
Witnesses,
No. Street,
No. Street,
No. Street,
to answer Sessions.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Silas W. Rogers
aged _____ years, occupation Detective Sergeant of No. 300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of S. H. Simmons and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 36 day of Oct 1886 } Silas W. Rogers

J. Merritt Ford
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0075

Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

Alfred White 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.

Alfred White

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

20 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Bermuda

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

Answer.

on Steamer Bristol Pier 28 N.R.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Waiter

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 Alfred White

Taken before me this *26th* day of *July* 188*6*

John W. ...
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0075

Police Court 21 1617 District

THE PEOPLE &c., ON THE COMPLAINT OF

J. J. Surmon... Deputy Sheriff

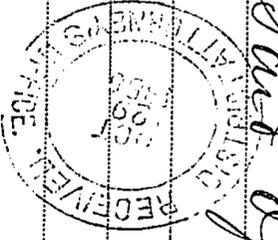
Offence Larceny Felony

BAILED,

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

Dated Oct 26 1886

Magistrate August Doyle Officer's Precinct



Witnesses sent officers No. Street. to answer Charles Street. Curran

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 Five 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 26 1886 J. J. Surmon Police Justice.

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

Dated 1886 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 1886 Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Alfred D. White

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

— Alfred D. White —

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

The said *Alfred D. White,*

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

one watch of the value of twenty dollars, one chain of the value of fifteen dollars, one gold coin of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, of the kind called half-sovereigns, of the value of two dollars and fifty cents, and two undershirts of the value of one dollar each of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Samuel T. Simmons,*

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.

Randolph B. Mott,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Whitman, Esther

DATE:

11/16/86



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Whitman, Annie

DATE:

11/16/86



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Becker, Rosie

DATE:

11/16/86



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Counsel, *D. L. ...*
Filed, *16* day of *Apr* 188*6*
Pleads, *admittedly*

Grand Larceny, *1st* degree
(FROM THE PERSON)
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B
Esther Whitman
B
Annie Whitman
B
Rosie Becker

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Wm. M. Davis

A True Bill.

A. K. ...

Part 3 March 15 1887

Foreman.
15 March 19 1887
of a ...

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Witnesses:

It appearing by the within affidavits that it is impossible to secure the attendance of Esther Whitman a material and necessary witness for the People and without whose evidence a conviction cannot be had. I therefore respectfully recommend that the defendants Esther Whitman be discharged on their own recognizances.

Wm. M. Davis

District Attorney

N. Y. Mar 15 1887

Wm. M. Davis
District Attorney

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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PART III.

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *Lizzie Murphy*

of No. *221* Street, *Brooklyn*

GREETING:

WE COMMEND YOU, That all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Park of the said City, on the day of *March* instant, at the hour of Eleven

in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf against

Sherr Whitman et al

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *1887*, in the year of our Lord 1887.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney*

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court

District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

I, Lizzie Murphy of No. 221 Brooklyn St., aged 23 years, occupation Operator being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 17 day of September 1888 (at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

And person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

A pocketbook containing lawful money to the amount of eight dollars and thirty seven cents
\$8.37/100

the property of deponent

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

Arthur Whitman, Anne Whitman and Rosie Becker acting in collusion and all now present - That about half past five o'clock P.M. on said day deponent was passing along Division Street when the pocketbook which deponent carried in her hand at the time was snatched therefrom by some person or persons from behind who had crept stealthily up for that purpose as deponent believes. That when deponent felt the tug at her pocketbook she turned instantly around and saw the defendants run away together. That at such time no person was near deponent other than the defendants whom deponent now identifies, and therefore charges them with the commission of the felony.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17 day of September 1888 at Brooklyn New York, Arthur Whitman Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

Esther Whitman

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

Question *What is your name?*

Answer *Esther Whitman*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *11 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *This City*

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

Answer *27 Ludlow Street*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *I go to school*

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*

Esther Whitman

Taken before me this

day of

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Esther Whitman

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

Annie Whitman

Question. How old are you?

Answer

14 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

England

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

Answer.

27 Ludlow Street

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

I keep house for my parents

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

Annie Whitman

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188*8*

John J. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Rosie Becker

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *Rosie Becker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *12 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *25 Ludlow*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *I do housework at home*

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 - Rosie Becker*

Taken before me this
day of *Sept*
188*8*
John J. ...
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Charles P. Shaw,

Counsellor-at-Law, Evening Post Building, 206 Broadway,

New York, Nov 9th 1886

Dear Sir:

There was arrested on ~~Monday~~
Saturday, Sept 4th last, by officers
Leary & Creed of the 7th precinct, for
larceny, three girls bearing the names
of Rosy Beckel, Esther Wetzel and Sister.
They were committed by Judge Gorman
and were afterward put under \$500.

bail each. Bail was furnished
them immediately and they are at
liberty ever since. It is now
over two months since the hearing
and committal, and nothing
seems to have been done in the
case. There is something wrong.

Will you please advise me,
after investigation, how this
matter is to be disposed of, and when?

Yours truly
James J. Murphy
Kindly look into this case.

Randolph B. Martin Esq.
District Attorney

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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

*Esther Whitman
Annie Whitman
Rosie Bedaer*

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

*Esther Whitman, Annie Whitman
and Rosie Bedaer*

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

The said *Esther Whitman, Annie
Whitman and Rosie Bedaer*, all

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

fourth day of *September*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

day time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one pocket watch of the value
of fifty cents, and the sum of
eight dollars and thirty seven
cents in money, lawful money
of the United States, and of
the value of eight dollars and thirty seven cents,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *George Murphy*,
on the person of the said *George Murphy* then and there being
found, from the person of the said *George Murphy* 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.

Richard W. Smith
District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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*District Attorney's Office
City & County of
New York*

Lizzie Murphy

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*First Street
Brooklyn*

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Count of General Sessions

The People vs.
 Annis } Whitman
 Esther } & another

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23^d STREET.

New York, Sept 6 1886

CASE NO. 25377 OFFICER: Leary & Creed
DATE OF ARREST September 4th 1886. 7th Prec
CHARGE Larceny

AGE OF CHILD Annis 14. age of child Esther 11 years
RELIGION Hebrews
FATHER Abraham

MOTHER Rachel -

RESIDENCE 27 Mulloy Street

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT there is no record that the above named girls were ever arrested before, their associations are bad, & the neighborhood is infested with young thieves boys & girls

All which is respectfully submitted,

Wm. J. Brown
Secretary

To

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0892

1350
Court of Sessions

The People vs.

quint.

Ambrose }
Cotton }
 } Whitman
 } Smith

Penal Code, § 1350

Report of The New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,
100 East 23d Street,
NEW YORK CITY.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0093

Court of General Sessions

The People vs
Rock Becker

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23^d STREET.

New York, *Sept 6* 1886

CASE NO. *2537* OFFICERS: *Leary & Brad. 7/14*
 DATE OF ARREST *Sept 4 1886*
 CHARGE *Larceny*
 AGE OF CHILD *12 years*
 RELIGION *Hebrew*
 FATHER *Samuel*
 MOTHER *Miriam*
 RESIDENCE *26 Fulton Street.*

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT *There is no*
record that girl has ever been arrested before,
her associates is bad, & the neighborhood is
infested with young thieves, boys & girls.

All which is respectfully submitted,
Wm. J. Tracy
President

To

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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1350
County of General Term

The People re

vs
Alva Becker
Father

Penal Code § 1350
Lacey

**Report of The New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.**

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,
100 East 23d Street,
NEW YORK CITY.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0095

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

Lizzie Murphy
vs
Esther Whitman
Aunie Whitman
Rosie Becker

City and County of New York, ss.:

Andrew D Parker

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 843 East 164th Street, in the City of New York. I am a ^{chief clerk} ~~subpoena server~~ in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 4th day of March 188

~~I called at~~

~~the alleged~~

~~of~~

~~the complainant herein, to serve her with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by~~

I caused to be mailed a Subpoena addressed to Lizzie Murphy at 70221 First St, Brooklyn, the alleged residence of the said Lizzie Murphy, the complainant in the above case, and the same has been returned to this office by the United States Mail Authorities as not found.

Sworn to before me, 14th day

of March 188
Rudolph L. Soltau
Clerk of Deeds
N.Y. City & Co.

A. D. Parker

Subpoena Server.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0096

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Lizzie Murphy
 Ellen ^{vs.} Whitmore
 Annie Whitmore
 Alice Becker

Offense *Small Business*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Affidavit of

W. Parker

Chief Clerk

Failure to Find Witness.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Williams, John

DATE:

11/12/86



2334

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel,

Filed 12 day of Nov 1886

Pleads *Not guilty*

Robbery, *in the* degree, [Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.
John W. ...

John W. ...

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dv. Nov 26/86
District Attorney.

Head of SP 2nd year.

A True Bill.

R. B. Martine
Foreman.

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Witnesses:

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

00999

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT—FOURTH DISTRICT.

of No. Nathan Rheinstrom
115 East 103rd Street
being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the 6th day of November
1886 at the 18th 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 over coat and one under coat together of the value of fifty dollars

of the value of fifty Dollars,
the property of deponent

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

John Williams (now here), from the fact that at about the hour of 11 P.M. on said date deponent was accosted by said Williams who by force violence and threats compelled deponent to remove said property from his person, and that said Williams did then attempt to run away with the same

Nathan Rheinstrom

day of November 1886
Sworn to before me, this
[Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0900

Sec. 198-200.

X District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

John Williams 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 Williams

Question. How old are you?

Answer

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

256 W 20. St New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

None

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 do not remember anything about the matter

John Williams

Taken before me this

day of November 1888

Wm. J. ...

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0901

BAILIED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

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 1659
 Police Court No. 4 District.

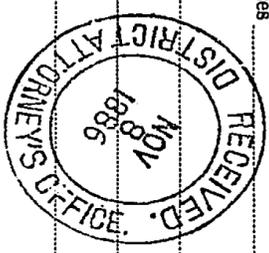
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William W. Woodhams
 111th St. 103
 John H. Lewis

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 3
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 Offence Robbery

Dated September 7 1888

Charles H. K. Magistrate.
James Farrell Officer.
 Precinct 18



Witnesses _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 \$ 10000 to answer _____
JS

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 Nov 7 1888 Charles H. K. 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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0902

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 Williams

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

John Williams

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said

John Williams,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Nathan Rheinstrom* in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

one overcoat of the value of thirty dollars, and one coat of the value of twenty dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Nathan Rheinstrom*, from the person of the said *Nathan Rheinstrom* against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *Nathan Rheinstrom*, 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.

Samuel J. Brant

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, Fanny

DATE:

11/04/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0904

Witnesses:

I am satisfied that the
defendant herein is dead.
(See Certificate filed herewith.)
I recommend dismissal
of this indictment.
Oct 17/88 Verum M. Sans
A.S.P.

Counsel, *F. Blair Nov.*
Filed *4* day of *Nov.* 188*6*

Pleads, *not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
B
Fanny Wilson
Self Gene & Co.
RANDY B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.
(Sections 822 and 885, Penal Code.)

Defendant dead
A True Bill.

W. J. ...
Carroll ...
Foreman
Indictment dismissed

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0905

Office of
William H. Hawks,
8 Sixth Avenue.

New York, 188

State of New York } ss
City & County New York }

William H. Hawks will
known to me as a Undertaker
doing business at No 8 Sixth Avenue
in the above name City & County
deposes and says that
Francis Wilson died at No
119 West 29th Street New York on
the 16th day of August 1888, and
was interred in St Peters Cemetery
State of New Jersey on the 19th day
of August 1888

Wm. H. Hawks,

Sworn to before me
this 8th day October 1888

Chas. A. Benedict

Notary Public (63)
N.Y.C.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0906

Sec. 151.

Police Court — 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss *In 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 Sergeant W. Blunk

of No. the 29th Precinct Street, that on the 7 day of July 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Miss F. Wilson

did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 119 West 29 Street, in said City, a Disorderly House

and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, ~~dancing, fighting,~~ disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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 body of the said

Miss F. Wilson and all ~~the~~ disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Miss F. Wilson

and forthwith bring them before me, at the 2 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 7 day of July, 1888
Solomon Blunk POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0907

Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Benjamin Blount
vs.

Miss F. Wilson

WARRANT—Receiving Disorderly House, &c.

Dated July 5 1888

Smith Magistrate

Blount Officer.

29 Precinct.

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

_____ Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Solomon B. Smith
Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

The within named

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } SS

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Sammy Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer

30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

No. 119 West 29

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

I have none

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 and I demand a trial by jury
Sammy Wilson

Taken before me this

Sept 11 1888
John J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0909

July 10 9 am

BAILED,

No. 1, by

John Mc Nelson

Residence

230 West 15th Street

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court District 1008

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Samuel Blank
Sammy Wilson

Offence *Keeping Disorderly House*

Date

July 8 188

Smith
Magistrate

Blank
Officer

19 87
Precinct

Witnesses

No.

John Field
Street

No.

John Field
Street

No.

300
to answer *4.8*
Street

Beck

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

Sammy Wilson
I will therefore order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Three* 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 *July 10 188* *Solomon B. Smith* Police Justice

I have admitted the above-named *Sammy Wilson* to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed

Dated *July 10 188* *Solomon B. Smith* 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0910

Court of General Sessions, PART 2

INDICTMENT

THE PEOPLE

vs.

For

Tenny Wilson

To

M^r. William M^r Mahon

No. 230 N. 52nd Street,

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *trial* at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on *Monday* the *8* day of *October* instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time your bond will be forfeited.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0911

Sec. 322, Penal Code.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK { ss.

of No. the 29th Precinct Street, in said City, being duly sworn says that at the premises known as Number 119 West 29 Street, in the City and County of New York, on the 17 day of July 1888, and on divers other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Miss Fannie Wilson did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a disorderly house and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, ~~dancing, fighting,~~ disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Miss Fannie Wilson and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said Miss Fannie Wilson may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 17 day of July 1888

Solomon B. Smith Police Justice.

George W. Blauvelt

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0912

W. J.
Police Court— District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George W. Blank
vs.

Mrs. F. Wilson

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

*July 10
9 am.*

Dated *July 9* 188 *8*

Truitt Justice.

Blank Officer.

29 Precinct.

WITNESSES :

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0913

District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Fanny Wilson

Buddy House

Let this case
go off term -
I understand
it is on caldr. for
25th inst. RBM
Nov 24. 1887
To Mr Parker

State of New York }
City & County New York } ss

B. Abbott Lindsey, occupation a Physician residing at no 311 West 23rd Street in the above named city & county, deposes and says, that he professionally attended Frances Acklin (Alias) Frances Wilson in her last illness, and at her residence no 119 West 29th Street New York City, and that she died on or about the 16th day of August 1888 and that I issued the certificate of death in the name of Frances Acklin

Sworn to before me

this 10th day of October 1888

W. Abbott Lindsey M.D.
J. W. Hawks
Notary Public (S.C.) N.Y. Co.

State of New York }
City & County of New York } ss

William Mc Mahan residing at No. 4250 West 52nd Street in the above named city & county - deposes and says, that Frances Acklin (Alias) Frances Wilson of New York City, died on or about 16 day August 1888 at her residence no 119 West 29th Street N.Y.

The deponent further says, that that the said Francis Acklin was known to my personal knowledge as Frances Wilson which name she assumed

Sworn to before me this

10th day of October 1888

W. Mc Mahan

J. W. Hawks
Notary Public (S.C.) N.Y. Co.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0915

NOTICE.—In issuing this transcript of record, the Health Department of the City of New York does not certify to the truth of the record transcribed. The seal of the Board of Health attests only the correctness of the transcript, and no inquiry as to the facts reported has been provided for by law.

New York, Oct 10, 1888.

A Transcript from the Records of the Deaths Reported to the Health Department of the City of New York.

County of New York.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. of Certificate

26605

- 1. Full Name of Deceased, (Write legibly and spell correctly. (If an infant not named, give parents' names.)) Frances Acklin
2. Age, 34 years, months, days. Color (Race, if other than the white.) W
3. Single, Married, Widow or Widower. (Cross out the words not required by this line.)
4. Occupation, Housekeeper
5. Birthplace, (State or Country.) Baden Baden, Germany (How long in the United States, if of foreign birth.) 33 years
6. How long Resident in this City, 8
7. Father's Birthplace, (State or Country.) Germany Father's Name, Jos. F. Acklin
8. Mother's Birthplace, (State or Country.) " Mother's Name, Etha
9. Place of Death, (Please state name of Institution.) 119 W. 29th
No. Street, Ward.
10. Residence before admission into the Institution, (Name of Street and Number of House.)

Should be Certified by the head of the family or other responsible friend.

Should be Certified by the Physician.

11. I Hereby Certify, that I attended deceased from Aug. 10, 1888 to Aug. 16, 1888, that I last saw her alive on the 16th day of Aug. 1888, that she died on the 16th day of Aug. 1888, about 7:30 o'clock, A.M. or P.M., and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the Cause of her death was as hereunder written :

Table with columns: Chief and Determining, Consecutive and Contributing, and a table for Duration of Disease in (Years, Months, Days, Hours). Chief cause: Peritonitis, Simple & Idiopathic.

Sanitary observations,

Witness my hand this 16 day of Aug. 1888

Place of Burial, Jersey City, N.J. (Signature,) B. White Laundry M. D., Date of Burial, Aug. 19, 1888, Undertaker, W. J. H. ... Residence, 311 W. 23rd St.

* By first floor is meant the floor immediately above or on a level with the grade of the street adjoining; the basement floor is below the level of the adjoining street.

B A True Copy. [Signature] Chief Clerk.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

09 15

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Fanny Wilson

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

- Fanny Wilson -

(Section 322,
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL FAME, committed as follows:

The said *Fanny Wilson,*

late of the *20th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *July*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

Fanny Wilson,

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offences on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in manifest destruction and subversion of, and against good morals and good manners, 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

- Fanny Wilson -

(Section 385,
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *Fanny Wilson,*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *seventh* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, George

DATE:

11/29/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel,
Filed 29 day of Nov 1886
Pleads

Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 581 Penal Code].
THE PEOPLE
Wm. H. R.
George Wilson

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.
Dr. John Bayne
pleads guilty SA 2 years.
A True Bill.
H. H. Chamber
Foreman.

Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0919

Police Court— 2nd District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Sabel H. Matthews

of No. 41 West 9th Street, aged 43 years,

occupation: Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 21st day of November 1886 at the City of New

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

Two gold Lace pins set with diamonds and a pearl, together fifty (50) dollars

the property of deponent

and that this deponent

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

here, from the fact that said deponent, who then worked for deponent, admits stealing said property, and from the further fact that Alice Brown, now present, informs deponent that she, said deponent, presented her, said Alice, with said property. That said Alice Brown gave up said property which is now here shown and is the stolen property of said deponent.

Sabel H. Matthews.

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day of November 1886
J. M. [Signature] Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0920

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Alice Brown

aged 19 years, occupation Chambermaid of No.

139 West 25th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Robert H. Matthews

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

Sworn to before me, this 22nd
day of November 1888

Alice Brown

M. Patterson
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0921

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

George Wilson 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. George Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Virginia

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

Answer. 256 West 47 St. 4 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Light 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 own guilty of the charge.

George Wilson

Taken before me this

22 day of November 1884

J. M. Williams

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0922

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

X308 B
 Police Court 2 DISTRICT
 THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Robert H. Matthews
Geo. Wilson
 Dated November 22 1886
 Magistrate J. S. Patterson
 Officer J. S. Patterson
 Precinct 135
 Witnesses Robert H. Matthews
 No. 135 Street West 23rd
 No. _____ Street _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 \$ 1000 to answer G. S.
 Street West

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

George Wilson

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Two 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 Nov. 22 1886 J. S. Patterson 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0923

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Figoraz Wilson

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

- Figoraz Wilson -

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

The said *Figoraz Wilson,*

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

two face guns, of the value of

twenty five dollars each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Isabel A. Matthews,

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.

Richard W. Benedict

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, James

DATE:

11/12/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel, *R. B. Martin*
Filed *12/20/66* day of *Dec* 1886

Pleads:

[Sections 528, 532, Penal Code].

PETIT LARCENY.

THE PEOPLE

v.s.

James Wilson

R. B. Martin

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

R. B. Martin
James Wilson
Please find
to Mrs. Lewis
Jan 16/67

Witnesses:

James Wilson
Complainant & Officer

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0926

Police Court - 10th District.

Affidavit - Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 618 E 13th Street, aged 29 years, occupation Carrier - man being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 5th day of November 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

A portion of an iron column valued at fifty cents

the property of Messrs Cheney and Hewlett and in the care and custody of deponent

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

for the reasons following to wit. The said property was in front of the Street Safekeeping Building and deponent Harry Quisenberry the same is informed by Officer Sampson of the 10th Precinct that he Sampson found the said property in the possession of the said deponent. Deponent has never since seen the said property and Harry Quisenberry the same charges the said deponent with the larceny thereof.

Peter J Walsh

Sworn to before me, this 10th day of November 1886, at New York, N.Y. Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0927

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation James H. Sampson Special Police Officer of No.

1005 Exchange Building Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Peter Walsh

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 10th day of November 1886 J. V. Scorsone

P. G. [Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0928

Sec. 193-200

10th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

James Wilson 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. *James Wilson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *Scotland*

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

Answer. *105 Washington Street 7 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty and I demand a trial by jury at the Court of General Sessions*

James Wilson

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188*8*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0929

BAILIED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

X157 B
1st 1676
Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 Peter Brackley
2 James William
3
4

Offence Peter Lancer

Dated Nov 8 1886

John T. Thompson
Magistrate

Witnesses
No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. 1
\$ 200 to answer
Street _____



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

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *three* 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 *Nov 8* 1886 *PLG Peppy* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1886 _____ 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 _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0930

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

James Wilson

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

James Wilson -

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said James Wilson,

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

one hundred pounds of coin of the value of one cent each pound,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Nathaniel Pheny

then and there being found, then and there unlawfully 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.

Handwritten signature of the District Attorney

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, John

DATE:

11/08/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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#783
John Wilson
Counsel,
Filed *10/22* day of *Nov* 188*6*
Pleads *Not Guilty* (9)

Grand Larceny, *First* degree
(FROM THE PERSON)
[Sections 528, 531, 534 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Wilson

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. W. Chamberlain

Christy Foreman.

Frederick J. ...
Wm. G. ...

Witnesses:

Witness lines (empty)

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0933

Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.

of No. 1570 - 2nd Avenue Street, aged 24 years, occupation Salesman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 2nd day of November 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and person of deponent, in the nighttime, the following property viz :

A double cased gold watch and gold chain together of the value of One Hundred and fifty Dollars \$150.00

the property of

Deponent and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by John Wilson (cross him) from the fact, that at about the hour of eleven o'clock P.M. on the above described date as deponent was standing in a crowd in front of the "Hoboken" Building, deponent having the said watch to which was attached the chain, and which said watch was in the pocket of the coat then worn by deponent as a portion of his daily clothing he felt a tug or the said chain and saw the said defendant place his hand on said chain. Deponent immediately seized said defendant and

Sworn to before me this 1st day of 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0934

which was on the same chain and
believes the same defendant attempted
to take steel and carry the
same property from his
possession and person

I am to Refuse
this 3rd day of November
1878

John J. ... Police Justice

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0935

Sec. 198-200

101

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Wilson 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 Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

England

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

Answer.

73 Bowery 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Labour

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

John Wilson

Taken before me this

John Wilson
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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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 _____

Police Court No. 10418 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James J. ...
John ...
 Offence *Larceny*

Dated *Nov 13* 188*6*

...
Magistrate.

...
Officer.

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____



No. *200-* Street _____
to answer *...*

...

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

...

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

Dated *Nov 13* 188*6* *...* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188*6* _____ 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*6* _____ Police Justice.

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 Wilson

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

John Wilson of the crime of attempting to commit
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *first* DEGREE, committed
as follows :

The said *John Wilson,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
second - day of *November*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, at the City and County aforesaid, in the
night time of the same day, with force and arms,

*one parcel of the value of one
hundred dollars, and one parcel
of the value of fifty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Johns Andrews,*
on the person of the said *Johns Andrews,* then and there being
found, from the person of the said *Johns Andrews,* 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.

David D. Brewster,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Woods, Arthur

DATE:

11/09/86



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Counsel, *Mr. Cleveland*
Filed *9* day of *Nov* 188*6*
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Arthur Woods
Jan 13/87
Prison & Acquitted

ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

R. B. Martine
Dec 23 Jan 3 '86 Foreman.
J.S.B.
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Witnesses:

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Police Court— 2 District.

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

William E. Maginn
of No. 299 West 12 Street, aged 28 years,
occupation Signer dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 3rd day of November 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, in premises 649 Hudson St. he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Arthur Woods who willfully and maliciously cut and stabbed deponent in the left side with a knife or some sharp instrument he then and there held in his hand cutting deponent severely

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him grievous 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 bound to answer for the above assault, etc., and dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 3rd day }
of November 1886. } William E. Maginn

John Gorman Police Justice.

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[Lined area for notes or deposition text]

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

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

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

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

Dated 1888

Police Justice

Police Court, 2 District, OFFENCE—Felonious Assault & Battery THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of Wm. Maguire vs. Arthur Woods

Dated Nov. 3 1888

Gorman Magistrate

Witnesses

Street

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Street

Street

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Street

to answer General Sessions.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 193-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Arthur Woods 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. Arthur Woods

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 10 Bannock St 9 mos

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Stone cutter

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

Arthur Woods

Taken before me this 9 day of Nov 1886
John J. Quinn
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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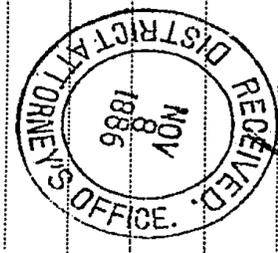
BAILED,
 No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____
 Street _____

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 Police Court 21
 District 1662

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
 J. M. Maguire
 299 W. 125th St.
 Astoria, N.Y.
 Offence Assault
 Battery

Dated Nov 3 1886

Norman Magistrate
 J. H. Bunkley Officer



Witnesses
 No. _____ Street _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 No. _____ Street _____
 to answer _____

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 Twenty 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 Nov 3 1886 _____ 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0944

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Arthur Woods

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

Arthur Woods

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Arthur Woods,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the second day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one William E. Maguire, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and with a certain

which the said Arthur Woods 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 to injure the said William E. Maguire thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

Arthur Woods

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Arthur Woods,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one William E. Maguire, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and with a certain

which the said Arthur Woods in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, 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.

Handwritten signature of the District Attorney

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Woods, Michael

DATE:

11/16/86



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

2334

DESCRIPTION:

Dowling, Patrick

DATE:

11/16/86



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*173. B

Counsel,
Filed 6 day of Nov 1886
Ready with July 17.

[Sections 498, 506, 224 and 228.]
and Gregory in the Third Degree.
Burglary in the Third Degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs. R

Michael Woods
and R

Patrick Dowling

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]

Foreman

Dec 7th

(Both)

[Signature]
Speed & Aqueduct

Witnesses:

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0948

Police Court 5 District.

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

Kate Cunningham
of 147th St south side 2^d house west of 10th Ave, aged 34 years,
occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No 147th St south side 2^d house west of 10th Ave
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Lager Beer Saloon

and which was occupied by deponent as a Lager Beer Saloon
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name to wit deponent

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open
the back room door leading in said premises

on the 10 day of November 1886 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Good and lawful money consisting of silver
and nickel coin of the value of ONE
dollar and seventy five cents

the property of Deponent who is a widow
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by
Michael Woods and Patrick Dowling (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That said defendants were together
outside of deponents premises for about 20
minutes and attempted to break open the
store door. That said defendants immediately
walked to the yard of said premises and
probe open said door and said Dowling
said he would kill deponent and she
ran away. Deponent says that when she
returned to said premises she missed

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said money that was contained in the
drawer behind the counter in said
premises. Therefore defendant charges
said defendant with burglariously
breaking into said premises and
stealing the aforesaid money

Per *Wes Cunningham*

Sworn to before me

this 11th day of Nov 1886

Sam'l C. Kelly Police Justice

Police Court _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary _____ Degree.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____

Street.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Patrick Dowling 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 *Patrick Dowling*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *148th St & 10th Avenue 3 mo*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Patrick Dowling

Taken before me this

day of

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Samuel W. ...
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0951

Sec. 198-200.

5

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

Michael Cunningham 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 *Michael Woods*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *36 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *10th Ave^{ny} 148th St one mo*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Michael Woods

Taken before me this

day of *Nov*

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Samuel C. Kelly
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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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 _____

Police Court 5 District 1703

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

State of New York
143d. St. 2d Ave
West of the Ave
Michael Mucida
2 Samuel Dantony

Offence Burglary

Dated Nov 11 1886

Sam'l C. Kelly Magistrate.
OFFICE
1886
PRECINCT 22

Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
to answer \$1000 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 Defendants

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

Dated Nov 11 1886 Sam'l C. Kelly 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0953

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
*Michael Woods and
Blinda Spindling*

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

Michael Woods and Blinda Spindling

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Michael Woods and
Blinda Spindling, both* -

late of the *Small St.* - Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fourth* - day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *residence* of one

John Cunningham. -

feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

John Cunningham. -

in the said *residence*, then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Michael Woods and Estelita Dominguez

of the CRIME OF *Robbery* ~~IN THE FIRST DEGREE~~ *in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Michael Woods and Estelita Dominguez, both*

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, in the *day* time of the said day, with force and arms,

in and upon the ^{*paid*} *State of New York,*
then and there being in the presence

aforesaid, feloniously did make an
assault, each of them being then
and there aided by an accomplice
actually present, to wit: each of
the other and their coin, of a number,
to wit: and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
of the value of one dollar and
seventy five cents.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~ *the said Kate*
Summerson, in the presence of the
said Kate Summerson

in the *abode* ^{*of the said*} *aforesaid, against her*
will, and by putting her, the said Kate
Summerson in fear of some immediate injury to her person

there situate, then and there being found, the aforesaid, 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.

Handwritten signature
District Attorney.

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**END
ROLL**