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Callahan, George H.

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188 Bill returned

Counsel,

Filed 31 day of March 1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

George A. Callahan

Whom is called George Callahan

2<sup>d</sup>.  
W. H. B.  
Whitney

Embezzlement

John McKeon

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

District Attorney.

April 16, 1882

Pleas to guilty -  
A True Bill.

John Sam Rhodes  
Foreman.

D.P. 2 1/2 year,

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**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*George H. Callahan*  
*otherwise called George Hallahan*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *George H. Callahan otherwise George Hallahan* of the CRIME OF *Embezzlement*

committed as follows:

The said *George H. Callahan otherwise called George Hallahan*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid not being an apprentice or person within the age of eighteen years, on the *Eighteenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *1880* was employed in the capacity of a clerk and servant to one

*Patrick Fay*

and as such clerk and servant, was entrusted to receive *A Some of* Money to wit. *the Some of Twenty five Dollars and thirty four Cents in Money of the Value of twenty five dollars and thirty four Cents from one Philip Laracy*

and being so employed and entrusted as aforesaid, the said *George* then and there did receive and take into his possession *The said some of Money* *Twenty five dollars and thirty four Cents in money the same being lawful money of the united states and of the Value of twenty five dollars and thirty four Cents of and from the said Philip Laracy* for and on account of *The said Patrick Fay*

his said master and employer; and that the said *George* on the day and year last aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, fraudulently and feloniously did take, make away with and secrete, with intent to convert to his own use, and did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle and convert to his own use, without the consent of said master and employer, and did fraudulently and feloniously and without the consent of his said master and employer withhold, appropriate, apply and make use of the said *Some of money*

of the goods, chattels, personal property and money of the said

*Patrick Fay*

which said goods, chattels, personal property, and money had come into his possession and under his care, by virtue of his being such clerk and servant as aforesaid, 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.

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

of the CRIME OF

committed as follows :

The said

*John McKeon*  
*Sect attorney*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as a bank note), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as a bank note), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: thirty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: two hundred and forty silver coins (of the kind usually known as shilling pieces), of the value of twelve and a half cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: three thousand copper coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each.

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes, of a number and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

Divers Due Bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Fractional Currency, of a number and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

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of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

**DANIEL G. ROLLINS**, District Attorney.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

246 1882 (Bill Adams)

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William J. Carey  
George H. Callahan  
George H. Callahan

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 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence, Barbryment

Dated March 7<sup>th</sup> 1882

William Magistrate.

William Officer.

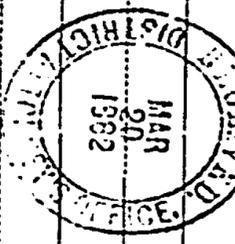
W Clerk.

Philip T. Tracy

No. 327 - 10<sup>th</sup> Av. Street,

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

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



James H. ...

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 Callahan

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

Dated March 17 1882

J. J. Wilbur Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 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 Patrick J. Jay of No. 1440 West 27 Street, that on the 18 day of February 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

George H. Callahan, did feloniously  
embezzle and convert to his own  
use and profit the sum of twenty-five  
dollars and thirty-four cents property of  
said complainant, which he had collected  
and received by virtue of his employment  
as a clerk of said complainant.

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith 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 March 1882

J. W. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT. DISTRICT.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick J. Jay  
vs.  
George H. Callahan

Warrant-General.

Dated March 7 1882

Patterson Magistrate  
Pittin Officer.

The Defendant  
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

William B. McTear Officer.

Dated March 17 1882

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

J. W. Patterson Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, March 17 1882

Native of Pa

Age, 25

Sex

Complexion,

Color White

Profession, clerk

Married Yes

Single,

Read, Y

Write, Y

No. 10000

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Form 99.

Sixth District Police Court.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
City and County of New York, } ss.

Patrick Jay, Wheelwright and  
Blacksmith, of 44 West 27<sup>th</sup>  
Street, aged 40 years  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that at the City and  
County of New York, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day  
of February 1862 one George  
H. Callahan did feloniously  
embezzle and convert to his  
own use and profit the sum  
of twenty-five dollars and thirty  
four cents property of deponent.

That said deponent was  
then in the employment of this  
deponent as a clerk and servant,  
and had authority to collect and  
receive moneys for and on account  
of deponent, and was not an  
apprentice nor within the age of  
eighteen years.

That on the day aforesaid said  
deponent, by virtue of said  
employment, did collect and  
receive the money aforesaid from  
one Philip Lacey, then present,  
which money was then due and  
owing to deponent by said Lacey,  
and did fail to return said  
money to deponent or to account  
for the same but did with hold  
and embezzle said money in  
violation of the law.  
Patrick Jay

Sworn to before me, this 7<sup>th</sup> day

of March 1862

Wm. Patterson

Police Justice

He was sworn March 17 1862  
in presence of both before me  
J. S. [Signature] P.S.

City and County of New York, S.S.

Philip Laracy, of No. 327 Tench Avenue, being duly sworn deposes and says - that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882, defendant paid the sum of twenty-five \$100 dollars to George H. Callahan, the defendant named in the foregoing Complaint, which was then due by defendant to Patrick Fay of 440 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street; and the said Callahan did thereupon sign the annexed receipt vice for the same.

Sworn to before me this } Philip Laracy  
7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1882

J. W. Patterson, Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Just* DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*George Callahan* *vs* *George H. Callahan*

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 Callahan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *Do not answer.*

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 plead guilty*

*George Callahan*

Taken before me, this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 188*2*

*J. J. Withers* Police Justice.

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New York, Feb. 1st 1882

Mr. Philip Saracy



To A. FAY, DR.

Business Wagon & Truck Manufacturer,

REPAIRING & PAINTING,  
Promptly Attended to.

Nos. 440 & 442 West Twenty-Seventh Street.

Dec. 24	6 Leaves in. Spring	\$ 8.00
" "	Picing Axle.	3.50
" "	4. New Boxes	4.00
" "	2. Jack Bolts	" 36
" "	1. Center Bolt	" 15
Dec 29	2. Corner Irons on Body	" 50
" "	8. Bolts	" 80
" "	9. Spokes	2.40
" "	Setting one Tire	1.00
" "	13. Bolts	" 50
Jan 14	6. Jack. Bolts	" 1.08
" "	1. Strap. 12. Curbin Nobs.	.45
		<u>\$23.34</u>

To Bill Rendered.

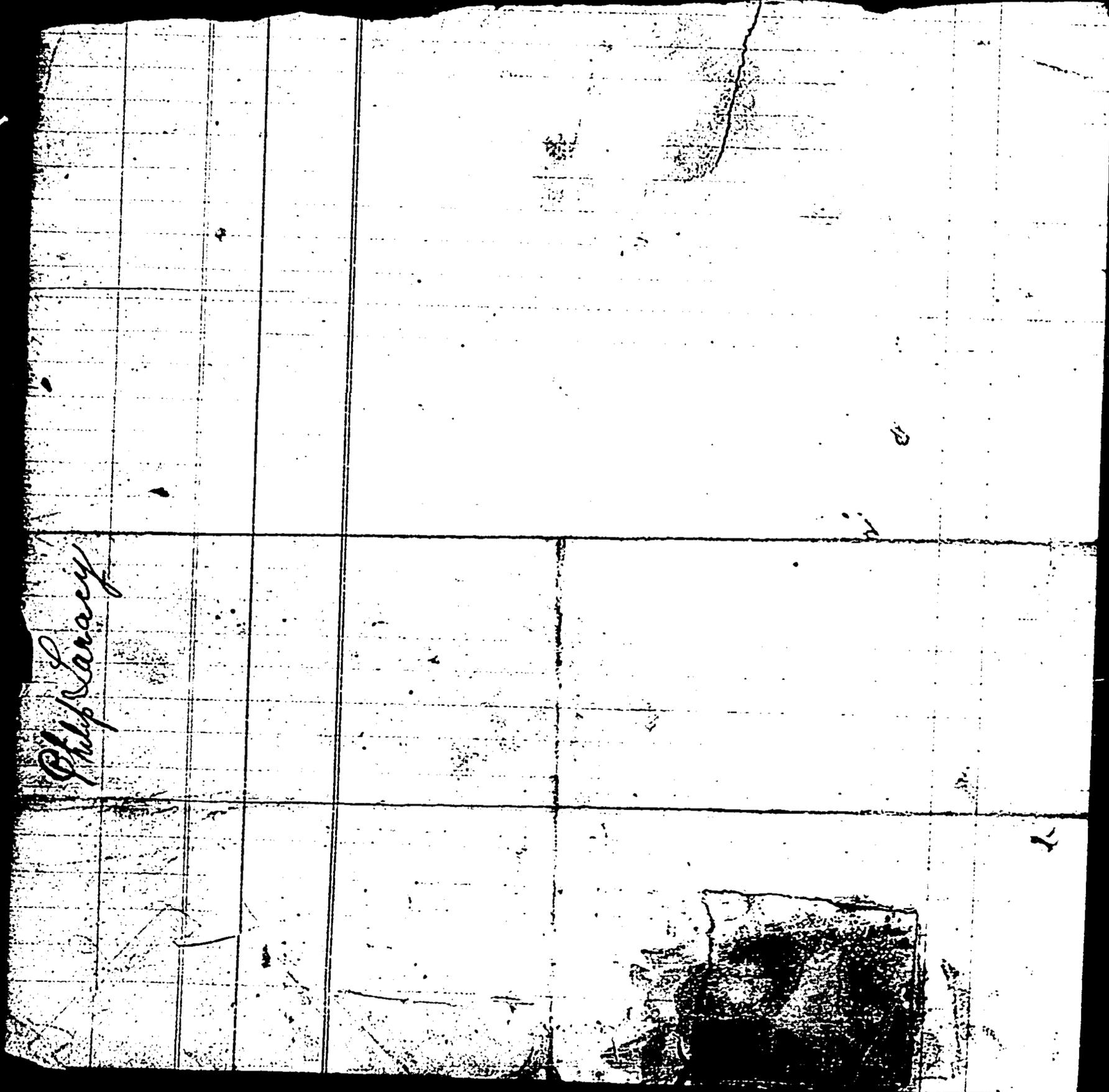
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Recd of Cash  
A. Fay

18th 1882

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Phil Lacey



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for day of March 1882

THE PEOPLE

vs. Thomas Callahan

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BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
[illegible]

John H. Hearn  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

Part in case No. 9. 1882

plead guilty

A TRUE BILL,

John H. Hearn  
S. P. Green

at

Court of General Sessions of the Peace of THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
the City and County of New York. NEW YORK,

*Thomas Callahan* against  
The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse

*Thomas Callahan*  
of the crime of *Burglary*  
committed as follows:  
The said *Thomas Callahan*

late of the *Twenty Second* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the *Store House* of

*Julius Krusser*  
there situate, feloniously and

burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers  
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and  
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with  
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Julius Krusser*  
then and there being, then and there

feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*Three wash tubs of the value of two dollars. Each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Julius Krusser*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *Store House* then and there being, then and  
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York, and their dignity.

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Dec. 21, 27, 310 & 312

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Police Court - 24 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Julia Wheeler*  
*346 No. 52nd St.*

*Thomas Callahan*

Offence, *Burglary & Larceny*

Dated *March 1* 188*2*

*Wm. B. Morgan* Magistrate.

*Ed. Beck* Officer.  
*222* Clerk.

Witnesses *Margie Ross*

No. *2411 West 52* Street,

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

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



*Wm. B. Morgan*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

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

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

Dated *March 1* 188*2* *Wm. B. Morgan* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188*2* \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188*2* \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County  
of New York,

ss. *Julia Kreusser, aged 23 years  
Housekeeper*

*wood house in the cellar of* Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises No. *246 West 52<sup>d</sup>*

Street, *22* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *brick building*  
and which was occupied by deponent as a *place for the storage of*  
*wood, coal, tubs, and other articles* were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means *of forcibly and feloniously*  
*forcibly* open the door leading into  
*the said wood house*

on the *daytime* of the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* 18*72*  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

*Three wash tubs, of the value*  
*of five dollars -*

the property of *Julius Kreusser, deponent's husband*  
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 *Thomas Callahan, (nowhere)*

for the reasons following, to wit: *that previous to said*  
*Burglary and larceny the said door*  
*was securely fastened and the said*  
*tubs in the said wood house, and*  
*deponent found two of said tubs in*

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the possession of Said ballahani.  
while he was carrying them away from  
the possession of deppment

Sworn to before me

this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March 1882 } Julia Kreusser

*P. J. Mangano*  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Thomas Callahan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 306 East 36<sup>th</sup> Street, two months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Lather

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 case. I was drunk at the time

Taken before me, this 1<sup>st</sup>

day of March 1882

Thomas Callahan

[Signature] Police Justice.

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Campbell, Lewis

DATE:

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**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Lewis B. Campbell*

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

of the CRIME OF

*Burglary Lewis B. Campbell*

committed as follows:

The said

*Lewis B. Campbell*

late of the *fifteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, ~~of~~ *fourth* on the *fourth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* with force and arms, about the hour of *one* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, ~~the dwelling house of~~

*their Situate through an open outer door Ursine De Ails*  
~~feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of~~  
*forcibly open an inner door of said dwelling house*

he the said

*Lewis B. Campbell*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Antonetta De Ails*

in the said dwelling house 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.

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

of the CRIME OF

*Larceny Lewis B. Campbell*

committed as follows:

The said

*Lewis B. Campbell*

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,

*Eighteen Cherishes of the value of one dollar each*  
*One pair <sup>Shank</sup> of the value of one dollar*  
*One countingpan of the value of one dollar. One countingpan of the value of six dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Antonetta De Ails*

in the said dwelling house then and there being, 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.

~~DANIEL G. ROLLINS~~, District Attorney.

*John M. Keon*

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BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

Police Court - 2<sup>d</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Admitted to bail*  
*750 Broadway*  
*Jervis B. Campbell*

Offence, *Burglary*

Dated *March 3<sup>rd</sup>* 188*2*

*Kilbuck* Magistrate.

*Spiligan* Officer.  
15 Clerk.

Witnesses *James Dunne*  
No. *78* *Sturman* Street,

*Joseph E. Davis*  
No. *78* *Sturman* Street,  
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No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street

*Admitted to bail*  
*without 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 *Jervis B. Campbell*

guilty thereof, I order that he <sup>*held to answer the same and be*</sup> ~~be admitted to bail in the sum of~~ \_\_\_\_\_ Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison <sup>*in the City of New York*</sup> ~~until he give such bail.~~ *until legally discharged*

Dated *March 3<sup>rd</sup>* 188*2*

*J. J. Williams* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court—Second District.

City and County }  
of New York. } ss:

Antoinette Du Fils, 32 years old, married  
of No. 78 ~~Houston~~ <sup>the front parlor room</sup> Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 78 ~~Houston~~  
Street, 15<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a tenement  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means drawing out the staple which  
fastens the door of said room

on the after of the 4 day of March 1882  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: eighteen  
chemises of the value together of fifteen dollars, one pair of sheets of the value  
of four dollars, one counterpane of the value of one dollar and one counterpane  
of the value of five dollars and other articles of furniture of said room of the value of  
five dollars. in all of the value of thirty dollars. 18

the property of deponent and of Ursine Du Fils deponent's husband  
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 Lewis B. Campbell

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent left said room  
at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and locked  
the padlock with which was fastened  
the door of said room leading into the  
hallway. When deponent left said  
room the above property was there.  
At about six o'clock deponent returned  
to the premises and noticed said Lewis  
B. Campbell passing out of the front  
door carrying a bag which deponent  
noticed as being her property, but said

nothing supposing that said Campbell  
 who lived on the premises had taken said  
 bag merely to carry out his own property  
 and would return it. On going up to  
 said garret room the deponent found that  
 the door thereof had been broken open as  
 hereinbefore set forth and that the property  
 hereinbefore described was missing therefrom

Sworn to before me this

5<sup>th</sup> day of March 1882

J. W. White  
 Police Justice

Antoinette <sup>her</sup> du Fils  
 marks

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Sec. 198-200.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Lenis B. Campbell

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 34 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Troy N.Y.

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

Answer. 78 West Houston Street N.Y.; six years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Truck Driver

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. I waive  
further examination at present.

Taken before me, this 5<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 1882

Lenis B. Campbell

[Signature] Police Justice.

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DESCRIPTION:

Cassin, Richard

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Woods, John

DATE:

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Day of Trial, in *Amoria*  
Counsel, *by*  
Filed 31 day of *March* 1882  
Pleads *Not Guilty.*

THE PEOPLE

v8.

*Richard Casin*  
*and*  
*John Woods*

*John M. Stone*  
District Attorney.

*April 11, 1882*  
*Ch. of*  
*Sp. of*  
*22 May 1882*  
A TRUE BILL, *vs. 2* *and*  
*John Casin*

*Complaint taken*  
*at*  
*for use before Judge Attorney*  
*except John Casin*

Burglary—Third Degree.  
*Receiving Stolen Goods*

0038

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

*Richard Leason* against *John Wood*

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

*the said Richard Leason* of the crime of

committed as follows:  
The said *Richard Leason* against *John Wood*

*Each late of the seventh Ward of the City of New York  
in the County of New York, aforesaid.*

on the *eighteenth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty-two* with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the *store* of

*Maggie J. Breen*  
there situate, feloniously and burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a  
building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept  
for use, sale and deposit, to wit, the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter  
described, with intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Maggie J. Breen*  
then and there therein being then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take,  
and carry away, and

*Sixteen balls (of the kind commonly  
called pool-balls) of the value of three  
dollars twelve and one-half cents each  
One hundred cigars of the value of three  
cents each.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*Maggie J. Breen*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *store* then and there being, 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.

~~S. B. GARVIN, District-Attorney~~

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Sec. 314, 309, 310 & 312.

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James H. Kelly*  
*John Henry W.*  
*Richard Cassin*  
*John Woods*

Offence, *Burglary*

BAILABLE

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

*NOTE. See affidavit in  
addition to complaint  
against *James H. Kelly*  
*John Henry W.*  
*Richard Cassin*  
*John Woods*  
dated April 8, 1882*

Dated *20 March* 188*2*

Magistrate.

*Richard Cassin*  
*188* Officer.

Clerk.

*Wesley V. Wood*  
Witnesses. *Richard Cassin* 1/12

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,



*Cass*

*W. A. Cassin*  
*April 8, 1882*  
*Cass*

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

*Richard Cassin and John Woods.*

guilty thereof, I order that he <sup>be admitted to bail in the sum of</sup> ~~be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.~~ *of the City Prison* and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated *20 March* 188*2*

*Richard Cassin*  
Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.

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Hon. J. P. Byrne  
Asst. Dist. Atty

0041

Mr. O'Byrne - I am very sick and  
unable to attend court to-day -  
Will you oblige me by ad-  
journing the case against  
John Woods  
until Thursday -

Yours truly,  
M. H. Sigerson

M. H. Sigerson

0042

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

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

*Philip J. Mahoney*

of No. *the 13<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police* being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the ~~night~~ *evening* of the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 1882

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *he arrested Richard*

*Cassini and John Woods, on a charge of Burglary; wherefore a complaint was made on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1882 before Justice Martin O'Mahoney; that said Complaint refers to two other persons connected with said Burglary, but then not arrested; Dependent further says that said two other persons referred to in said complaint are Thomas Cooper (now here) and Daniel M. Bride not yet arrested. Dependent says*

of  
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Police Justice.

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That said Joshua Cooper be held  
and dealt with according to Law

Seen to before me this Philip F. Maloney  
9<sup>th</sup> day of April 1882  
M. W. [Signature]  
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 Joshua Cooper

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

Dated April 9 188 2 M. W. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Joshua Cooper* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the ~~un~~indexed 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~~ waiven cannot be used against ~~him~~ on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Joshua Cooper*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *twenty three years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *146 Clinton Street, two years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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*

*Joshua Cooper*

Taken before me, this *5*

day of *April* 188*7*

*Macenthorpe*  
Police Justice.

POLICE COURT— DISTRICT.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss:

James Daley

of No. 307 ~~Henry~~ <sup>basement floor 2<sup>nd</sup></sup> Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises ~~are~~ <sup>are</sup> ~~of the~~ <sup>of the</sup> ~~City and County~~ <sup>City and County</sup> aforesaid;

Street, <sup>7<sup>th</sup></sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid; the said being a

Liquor Store

and which was occupied by ~~deponent as a~~ <sup>deponent as a</sup> Maggie J. Preen

entred by means <sup>were</sup> **BURGLARIOUSLY** of breaking the glass in the front basement door, and reaching through the opening thus made and unbolting said door.

on the night of the 18 day of March 1882.

and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Sixteen Composition pool balls of the value of Fifty Dollars, and two boxes of cigars of the value of Three Dollars.

the property of Maggie J. Preen and in deponent's charge

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 Richard Cassin & John Woods now present, and two others who escaped.

for the reasons following, to wit; That deponent secured said premises previous to their being forced open as aforesaid, and was informed by the officer that he detected defendants in the act.

Given before me  
this 20 March 1882  
Merrill C. [Signature]  
Police Justice

James J. Daley

City & County  
of New York

Philip J. Mahoney  
of the 13<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police being duly  
sworn says, that about 2 o'clock on  
the morning of March 19<sup>th</sup> 1888. He  
saw the within named defendants  
in conversation with the two not  
arrested - near the aforesaid premises.  
That deponent saw three of said  
defendants break into the said  
premises as described while Richard  
Cassin, the fourth one of said defendants  
remained outside to signal to the  
others.

That deponent entered after them  
where upon the two defendants not  
in custody broke out of the rear of  
said premises, dropping some of the  
pool balls in the area and yard  
of the premises.

That deponent arrested John  
Woods in the premises, lying upon  
the two boxes of cigars, and five of  
said pool balls.

Sworn to before me  
this 20<sup>th</sup> March 1888  
Philip J. Mahoney  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Richard Cassin 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. Richard Cassin

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Twenty three years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. In New York

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

Answer. 97 North 8<sup>th</sup> St. Williamsburg for 150 years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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 innocent of the charge. As I was coming through Grand Street I saw John Woods in custody of the Officer, and asked what was the matter. I was going to the Station House to see about Woods. I was arrested

Taken before me, this 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 1883

Richard Cassin

Mervin Clark Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

*John 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. *John Woods*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Eighteen years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *In New York City.*

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

Answer. *4 Jackson Street for three years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Boiler Maker.*

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 innocent of the charge*

Taken before me, this *30* day of *March* 188*8*

*John Woods*

*Mercutio* Police Justice.

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DESCRIPTION:

Clancy, Maggie

DATE:

03/20/82



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WITNESSES.

*Bill Adams*

Day of Trial,  
Counsel,  
Filed 20 day of March 1882  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Maggie Blancy.*

*Grand LARCENY AND RECEIVING  
STOLEN GOODS*

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

*Notary Public N.Y. P.O. No. 150  
City of New York when sworn in.*

*John Adams*

*at March 21. 1882 Foreman.*

*John Adams*

*of Chicago*

0051

**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Maggie Conway*

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

*Maggie Conway*  
of the CRIME OF LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

*Maggie Conway*

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

*one watch of the value of fifteen dollars*  
*one chain of the value ten dollars*  
*one watch of the value of Eight dollars*  
*one chain of the value of three dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*William Martin*

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

*John McKee*  
District Attorney

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Home Sch #9.  
421 E 60<sup>th</sup> St

Maggie Clancy attended this school a long time, she was usually regular in her attendance, and correct in her deportment. I have sometimes caught her telling untruths but the last year she was with us I think she tried hard to overcome the fault, and did, to a very great extent.

J. H. Van Hookland.  
March 18<sup>th</sup> 1882.

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S.P.C.C  
TO THE ~~CLERK~~ CLERK

Report  
SEND ME ~~THE~~ PAPERS IN THE CASE OF

PEOPLE  
on behalf of Wm Martin  
nr cr 63rd & Ave A  
v  
Clayie Clancy

See the file on 9th bar books

Found covering of silver  
chain & gold watch &  
found at Stans, 59th  
& 3rd av for \$4 -  
child aged 11. lived in  
ave A.

Office Rooms 28 Present  
invested her. She admitted

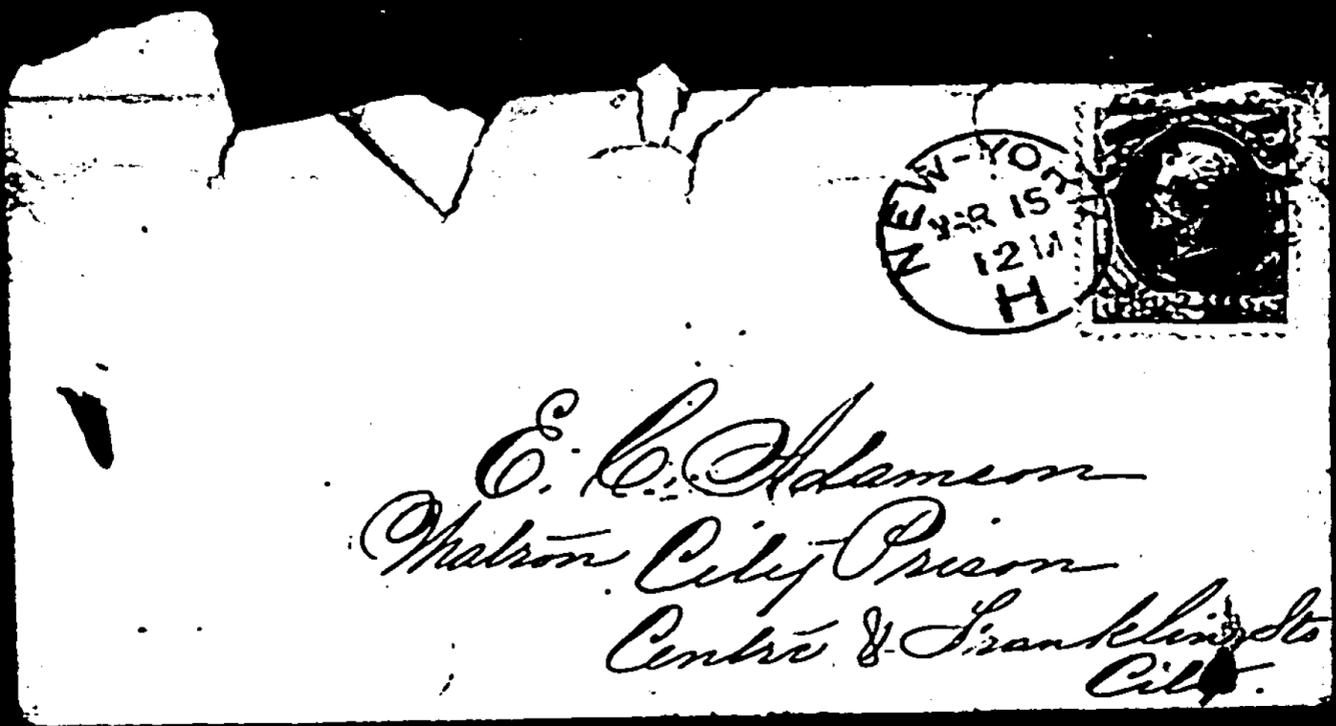
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Margaret J. H. H. Dick  
March 5/82.

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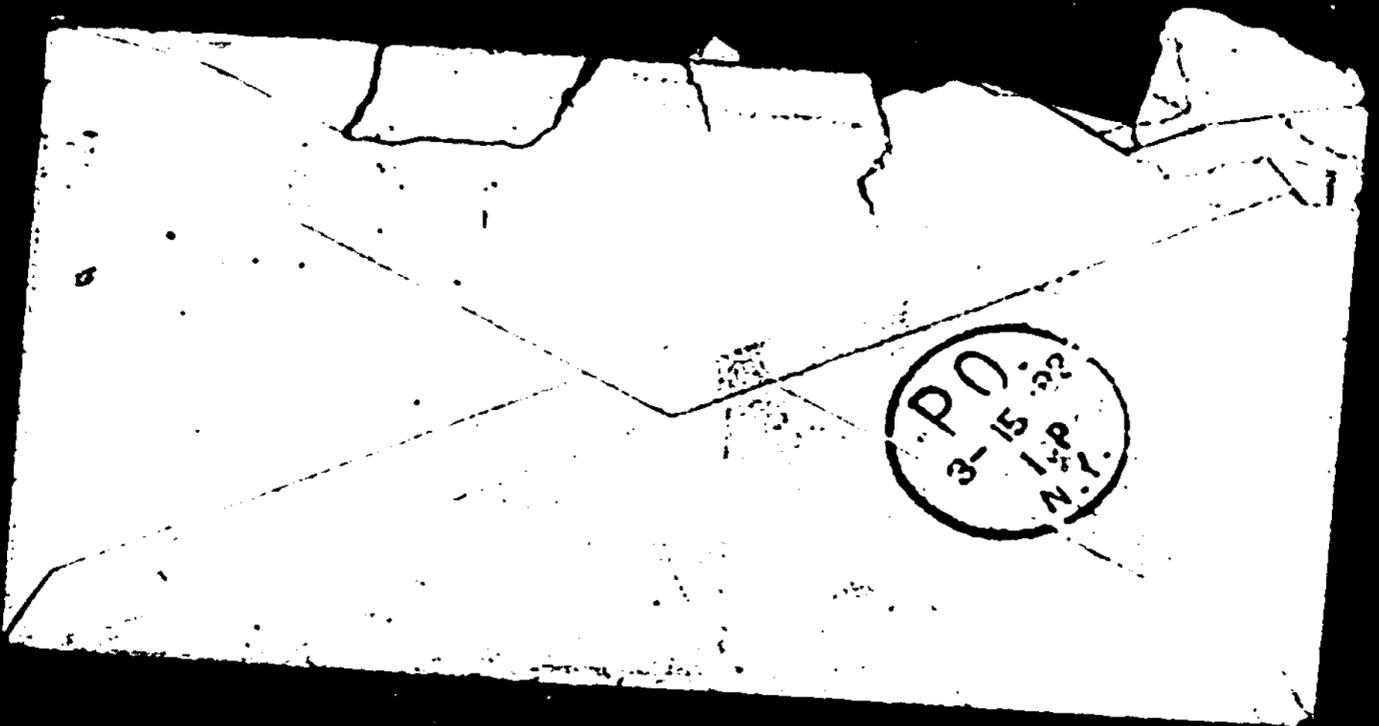
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*E. C. Adams*  
*Matron City Prison*  
*Centre & Franklin Sts*  
*City.*

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Rev. 219, 209, 210 & 212

Police Court - 4<sup>th</sup> District 204

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Martin  
vs - \$3 & 4 - a

1 Maggie Clancy

Offence, Grand Larceny

Dated March 5<sup>th</sup> 1882

W. T. Morgan Magistrate.

My Office  
25<sup>th</sup> St  
Clerk.

Witnesses - William H. Barnes

John J. P. ...

No. ... Street,

No. ... Street,



BAILED,

No. 1, by ...  
Residence ... Street,

No. 2, by ...  
Residence ... Street,

No. 3, by ...  
Residence ... Street,

No. 4, by ...  
Residence ... Street,

No. 5, by ...  
Residence ... Street,

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

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

Dated March 5<sup>th</sup> 1882 W. T. Morgan Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

0058

*H. M.*  
District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

of No. *North Water Corner 63<sup>1/2</sup> Street,*  
being duly sworn, deposeseth and saith, that on the

*William Martin*  
*age 36* Laborer  
and *avenue 27*  
*5<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 187*7*  
Ward of the City of New York,

at the  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent,

the following property viz.:

*One Silver Watch and*  
*Silver Chain of the value*  
*of Twenty five dollars.*  
*One gold plated watch*  
*and plated chain*  
*of the value of Ten dollars*

*in all of the value of*  
*Thirty five dollars*  
*\$ 35<sup>00</sup>*

the property of *deponent.*

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen and carried away by *Maggie Clancy age 11 years*

*(now here) from the fact that*  
*said Maggie acknowledges*  
*and confessed to deponent*  
*that she did take steal*  
*and carry away the property*  
*abovesaid and pawned*  
*the same at Starrs pawn*  
*office 5<sup>th</sup> Street & 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue*  
*and received 4<sup>1/2</sup> Dollars*  
*for the same.*  
*William Martin*  
*deponent*

Sworn before me this *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 187*7*  
*A. Hoffman*  
POLICE JUSTICE

0059

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Maggie Blaney* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, 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 ~~she~~ is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that ~~her~~ waiven cannot be used  
against ~~her~~ on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Maggie Blaney*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *11 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *1074 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue. four months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *A little girl*

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 did take the  
potatoes and pawned  
them. I am guilty.*

*Maggie Blaney*

Taken before me, this *5<sup>th</sup>*

day of *March* 188*8*

*R. J. Morgan* Police Justice.

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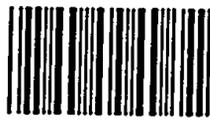
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Clark, John

DATE:

03/13/82



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WITNESSES.

Deft. Lewis at Planks  
Pant on Hudson -  
at Leitch and at  
Frank Jambly

~~John~~  
M. J. [unclear]

Complaint cannot be  
procured in a matter & I  
therefore recommend that  
deft. be discharged on  
his own recognizance  
NY Felony, 25.1804  
Amos S. [unclear]  
Dist. Ct. N.Y. City

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Day of Trial,  
Counsel,  
Filed 13 day of March 1882  
Pleads Not Guilty (for 20th)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
John Lewis  
John the Power

JOHN McKEON,  
Dist. Attorney.  
A True Bill.  
John L. [unclear]

Foreman.  
Not in [unclear]

0062

**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against  
*John Cass*

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

of the CRIME OF LARCENY *from the person*

committed as follows:

The said

*John Cass*

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

*Where* Promissory Note for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *United States Treasury Note* of the denomination *2* dollar and of the value of *two* dollar *5* *to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given*

*Where* Promissory Note *5* for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as *Bank Note* of the denomination of *5* dollars and of the value of *five* dollar *5* *to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given*

*one thing of the value of six dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Benignus Glaser* on the person of the *one Mary Glaser* then and there being found from the person of the said *Mary Glaser*

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

*John McKee*  
*District Attorney*

0063

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:  
The said  
late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

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

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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Sec. 219, 210, 210 & 212.

Police Court

4th District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Alfred Sullivan

Residence

532 1/2 Duane St.

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Witnesses

No.

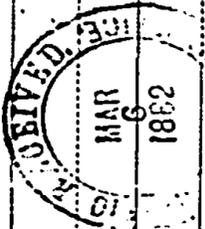
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No.

Street

No.

Street



Dated

March 2nd 1882

1882

Magistrate

Officer

Clerk

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 Clark

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

Dated March 2nd 1882 P. L. Morgan Police Justice.

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

Dated March 2nd 1882 P. L. Morgan Police Justice.

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

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

Handwritten notes on the left margin: "March 1st 1882 - 2 PM" and "John Clark" with other illegible scribbles.

The People &c. 2  
 vs. <sup>James Franklin</sup> Person.  
 John Clark  
 Committion held this 2<sup>d</sup> day of June  
 1842. at 2 o'clock P.M.

Nathan Nesbit Esquire.  
 Counsel for the Defendant.

City and County of N. Y.  
 of New York

Mary Glaeser - the complainant being  
 duly sworn says. I saw the boy for the  
 first time when I was buying the  
 potatoes - and just as I entered the  
 door and my hand upon the knob  
 of the door leading into my residence  
 I felt a pull at the pocket of my  
 dress - I turned around at once  
 and saw this boy and another  
 one over away from me - They  
 were then only a few steps away.  
 I saw them distinctly - It was  
 quite light there from light coming  
 from the Bakery where Lager Beer  
 Saloon - one door below my house.  
 The pull at the pocket of my dress  
 made me turn around - I saw

after they had lost them at 43<sup>rd</sup> Street and 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue - I saw the defendant for the first time since the taking of the pocket-book on the 25<sup>th</sup> of February last - on 42<sup>nd</sup> Street between 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Avenues at about the hour of 5 o'clock P.M. of February 28<sup>th</sup> last.

Cross Examination

It was a little before 5 o'clock P.M. when I saw the defendant at the organ on 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue near 42<sup>nd</sup> Street. It was a Saturday night. There was only one other organ I saw. There were persons around there at this time - men, women and boys. I never saw the defendant before this night. I was only a minute there in purchasing the potatoes. When the defendant ran away from me he turned his head around and I saw his face - and I identify the defendant further by his hair and freckles.

Abner Gleason.

Subscribed before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1882  
A. B. [Signature] Police Justice

(back) Do you not object to withdraw this charge if you would by your return?  
Answer - No.

City & County of N.Y.  
 of New York

John Corrigan - a witness for  
 the defence being duly sworn says  
 I live at 541 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue - I know  
 John Clark - the defendant - I was  
 here. I was with him last Saturday  
 night at about 8 o'clock in 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
 on my way home from work. I  
 work at St. Germain's Restaurant  
 a big restaurant. I met the defendant  
 on the middle of the block on  
 4<sup>th</sup> Street between 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue.  
 I saw two boys fight against a  
 woman - one of them hit the  
 woman on the arm and the  
 other done something with the  
 pocket of her dress - they then  
 ran away up 4<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
 towards 4<sup>th</sup> Street and the  
 woman after them running  
 and crying out money  
 money. I know the two boys  
 who were running - One of  
 the boys name is Pintley -  
 and is his right surname -  
 the other boys name I do not  
 know - his nickname is Robby

Butch - Butch is a boy of my age -  
 and of dark hair - (The witness is  
 4 feet 9 inches in height) - Butch  
 is a little big handed fellow  
 but has not red hair. He does  
 not resemble in appearance  
 Johnny Clark - Neither myself  
 or the Defendant had anything  
 to do with the stealing of the  
 pocket book - I am 15 years  
 of age - John Corrigan

Sworn to before me

March 2, 1883

C. P. Corrigan  
 Ohio Justice

City & County  
of New York &c.

John Clark, the defendant being  
duly sworn says: I live with my  
father - I have never been arrested  
before - I did not steal on  
Saturday night last from the  
Complainant, her pocket book -  
either by myself or in com-  
pany with any other boy -  
I saw two boys fight against  
a woman last Saturday night  
when I was in company with  
John Corrigan - in 42<sup>nd</sup> Street  
near 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue - His

I sworn to before

me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day

of March 1882

B. I. Morgan, District Clerk.

John Clark  
Mark

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4th District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

of No. 55 West 42nd Street, being duly sworn, deposes and saith that on the 25th day of February 1892

Mary Glaeser, age 37, Married

25th day of February 1892

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent,

the following property viz.:

One pocketbook containing gold and silver money of the United States to the amount and value of about Seventeen Dollars and a gold ring of the value of six dollars in all of the value of Twenty three dollars. \$23.

the property of

Bernigens Glaeser her husband

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

John Clark (now blind) and another person whose name is unknown to deponent (not arrested) from the fact that deponent was purchasing potatoes from a vendor Meyer on 10th Street about one block from deponent's residence and there saw said Clark and another person watching deponent while she had her said pocketbook out. Deponent returned

Sworn before me this

day of

Notary Public

1892

To her home and saw  
 said Clark and said  
 unknown person following  
 her. As deponent was about  
 to enter her door she  
 look around and saw  
 said Clark and said unknown  
 person and felt a pull  
 at her pocket book and  
 at once missed the same.  
 Clark and said unknown  
 person ran away. Deponent  
 gave chase both escaped  
 deponent. Deponent last  
 night Feb 28/89 saw Clark  
 on 42nd Street he again  
 ran away and deponent had  
 her finger bit by Clark  
 as he escaped again.  
 Deponent fully identifies said  
 Clark (numbered) and charges  
 him and said unknown  
 person acting in concert together  
 with having taken the property  
 of deponent from the right hand  
 pocket of the skirt of the dress  
 then and there worn on the  
 person of deponent.

David Glass,

OFFICER

MAGISTRATE

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DATED

WITNESSES:

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

OF THE COMPLAINT OF

VS.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Deponent to before me and Justice  
 for City of New York 1889  
 Charles Morgan Vice Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

4<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

John Clark 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 waiven cannot be used against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John Clark

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

13 years of age going on 14 years of age.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States.

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

Answer.

559 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue Six years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

A boy.

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 Clark  
Mark

Taken before me, this 2nd day of March 1882

P. P. Morgan. Police Justice.

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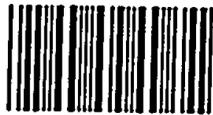
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Clay, Henry

DATE:

03/21/82



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Counsel,  
Filed 21 day of March 1882

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.  
142 N 33.

Henry Clay P

BURGLARY—First Degree, and  
Grand Larceny.

John M. Nelson

Part 2, Vol 22, 1882  
District Attorney.  
pleads *not*  
A True Bill.

John L. P...  
Foreman.  
Cecil S...  
Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

*[Signature]*

Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Henry Clay

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

Henry Clay of the CRIME OF Burglary

committed as follows:

The said Henry Clay

late of the twentieth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the fifth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two with force and arms, about the hour of eight o'clock in the day time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of Helen Lewis

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of forcibly breaking open an outer door thereof whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one James Collins within the said dwelling-house, he, the said

Henry Clay then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of Ellen Elliott

in the said dwelling house 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.

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

Henry Clay of the CRIME OF Larceny

committed as follows:

The said Henry Clay

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, about the hour of eight o'clock in the day time of said day, the said Henry Clay

one cloth sacker of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of Ellen Elliott

Helen Lewis in the said dwelling house of one then and there being found in the dwelling house 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.

John M. Keon S, District Attorney.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

Sec. 204, 205, 210 & 212.

Police Court 2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Williams  
 at 18 n 57  
 1 Henry Selay  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence, Burglary

Dated March 12, 1884

William Magistrate.  
Patrick Ryan Clerk.

Witnesses

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



500 Ave. S. J.  
Conrad

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 <sup>held to answer in this case and</sup> be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he <sup>of the city of New York</sup> give such bail.

Dated March 15 1884 Sam. Payne Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court—Second District.

City and County of New York.

ss: James Collins Agent. 23. Waite  
of No. 18 West 37<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. 18 West 37<sup>th</sup> Street, 20<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling <sup>House</sup> and which was occupied by deponent as a <sup>and his Employer</sup> Dwelling <sup>House</sup> Lewis #

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly opening the basement door leading to said premises by turning the knob of the lock on said door.

on the morning of the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1882 and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One cloth sacking of the value of Ten dollars.

The property of Ellen Elliott and in deponent's care and charge.

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 Henry Clay (Now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent at or about the hour of Eight o'clock A. M. on said date deponent went into said premises and securely fastened the said door. and shortly afterwards deponent saw the said Henry Clay in the basement of said premises with the said property in his possession. The said Clay on discovering deponent ran out. Deponent gave chase to the said Clay caused his arrest and recovered said property.

James Collins  
Mar 16

Deponent deposes on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1882  
James Collins  
Police Court

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Henry Clay 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. Henry Clay.

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York.

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

Answer. No home.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Horseman.

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 did not create anything, the door was open I took the package out of the house.

Taken before me, this 19<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 1888

Henry Clay  
mark

J. M. Putnam Police Justice.

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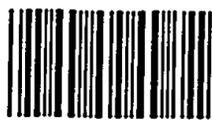
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DESCRIPTION:

Cleveland, Palmer

DATE:

03/13/82



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Filed *AS* day of *March* 1882  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
*Palmer* *By* *B*  
*3/10*  
*John M. Kern*  
DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*John Linn* *Foreman*

Foreman.

*F*  
*La April 4/82*

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

THE PEOPLE OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

0081

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK.

*Palmer Cleveland* against *Cleveland*

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

*Palmer Cleveland*  
of the crime of *assault & Battery*

committed as follows:  
The said

*Palmer Cleveland.*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the *twenty seventh* day of *February* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Eliza Tracy*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *he* the said *Eliza Tracy*  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the  
said *Eliza Tracy* and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

*John H. Moore*  
**DANIEL C. ROLLINS,**  
~~DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY~~ District Attorney.



0083

City and County of New York, ss.

Police Court—2nd District.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Or: Complaint of

*Olivia Tracy*  
For *Assault & Battery*

*James Cleveland*

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby *demand* a trial by Jury. on this complaint, and demand a trial at the **COURT OF <sup>General</sup> SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE**, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated *March 4<sup>th</sup>* 188 *2*

*J. K. Witham*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

*James Cleveland*  
his mark

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Form 11.

Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Eliza Tracy  
vs.

E. Palmer Cleveland

AFFIDAVIT A. & B.

Dated March 3<sup>d</sup> 1882

Kilbeth JUSTICE.

Michaels OFFICER.

WITNESS:

adj'd to Mar 4  
at 2 PM on  
account of  
absence of Court

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Form 11.

Police Court--Second District.

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

Sworn to before me, this  
1889

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

*Eliza Tracy*, 50 years old, cook  
of No. *259 West 38<sup>th</sup>* Street  
*New York City*

being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *February*

in the year 188*2* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at the dwelling  
No. *259 West 38<sup>th</sup>* Street

She was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by *E. Palmer Cleveland*  
*who kicked deponent under the*  
*chin inflicting a severe blow on her*  
*throat and caused her to fall down*  
*stairs and receive a severe wound on the*  
*back of her head*

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, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

*Eliza Tracy*  
*her*  
*mark*

0086

Sec. 198-200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Palmer Cleveland*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *38 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York State*

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

Answer. *No. 243 West 38th Street: since last Monday*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shoe dealer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*Palmer Cleveland*  
*mark*

Taken before me, this *4*  
day of *March* 188*2*

*J. H. Smith*  
Police Justice

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Sec. 151.

2<sup>d</sup> District Police Court.

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 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 Eliza Tracy

of No. 259 West 38<sup>th</sup> Street, that on the 22<sup>d</sup> day of February 1882 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at the dwelling No. 259 West 38<sup>th</sup> Street

she was violently Assaulted and Beaten by G. Palmer Cleveland

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, at the 2<sup>d</sup> 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 3<sup>d</sup> day of March 1882

[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Eliza Tracy  
vs.

G. Palmer Cleveland  
Warrant - A. & B.

Dated March 3<sup>d</sup> 1882

[Signature] Magistrate.

[Signature] Officer.

The Defendant .....  
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Officer

Dated ..... 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, .....

Native of .....

Age, .....

Sex .....

Complexion, .....

Color .....

Profession, .....

Married .....

Single, .....

Read, .....

Write, .....

0088

Charles Tolson  
Brower House  
28 St & Broadway  
Cambridge  
Mass

0089

*Cannot be found*  
Court of General Sessions, Part Two

THE PEOPLE

vs.

INDICTMENT

For

*not found*

*Palmer Cleveland*

To

*Mr Charles Nolan*

No. *Brown House 288 1/2 Broadway Street.*

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *pleading* 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 *21st* day of *March* instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

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

**JOHN McKEON,**

*District Attorney.*

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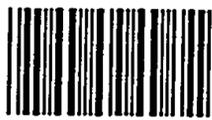
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DESCRIPTION:

Cohen, Max

DATE:

03/31/82



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204/71 Bill Roberts

Counsel,  
Filed 31 day of March 1882  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

Max Logan  
Barrow Sunday  
26  
113 Melrose  
Clerk  
single 2 cases  
bookkeeping

and  
Saul  
Embezzlement  
Larceny.

John W. Stearns  
DANIEL G. RODLINS

District Attorney.  
22. March 31, 1882  
Plead guilty - G.L.  
A True Bill.

John W. Stearns  
Foreman.  
State Reformatory, Aurora.

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0092

**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against  
*Max Cohen*

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

of the CRIME OF

*Max Cohen*  
*Embezzlement.*

committed as follows:

The said

*Max Cohen*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, not being an apprentice or person within the age of eighteen years, on the *Sixth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two* was employed in the capacity of a clerk and servant to one

and as such clerk and servant, was entrusted to receive *from one Charles H Jones* the sum of *sixty dollars* in money and of the value of *sixty dollars*

and being so employed and entrusted as aforesaid, the said

*Max Cohen*

then and there did receive and take into his possession

by virtue of such employment

*from one Charles H Jones* the sum of *sixty dollars* in money and of the value of *sixty dollars*

for and on account of

*Julius M. River*

his said master and employer; and that the said

*Max Cohen*

on the day and year last aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, fraudulently and feloniously did take, make away with and secrete, with intent to convert to his own use, and did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle and convert to his own use, without the consent of said master and employer, and did fraudulently and feloniously and without the consent of his said master and employer withhold, appropriate, apply and make use of the said *Sum of Sixty dollars* in money and of the value of *sixty dollars*

(Over.)

of the goods, chattels, personal property and money of the said

*Julius M. Rivera*

which said goods, chattels, personal property, and money had come into his possession and under his care, by virtue of his being such clerk and servant as aforesaid, 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.

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

*Max Cohen*

of the CRIME OF

*Larceny*

committed as follows:

The said

*Max Cohen*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as a bank note), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as a bank note), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: thirty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: two hundred and forty silver coins (of the kind usually known as shilling pieces), of the value of twelve and a half cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: three thousand copper coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each.

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes, of a number and denomination to the ~~Jury~~ <sup>Jury</sup> aforesaid unknown, and more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of *Sixty dollars*

*Grand Jury* Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomination to the ~~Jury~~ <sup>Jury</sup> aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of *Sixty dollars*

*Grand Jury* Divers Due Bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Fractional Currency, of a number and denomination to the ~~Jury~~ <sup>Jury</sup> aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of *Sixty dollars*

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the ~~Jury~~ <sup>Jury</sup> aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of *Sixty dollars*

*Sixty Dollars*

*60, 100*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Julius M. Reser*

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

*John McKee*  
~~DANIEL G. ROLLINS~~, District Attorney.

704  
Pillbourn St.

Counsel,  
Filed 31 day of March 1882  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
Max Green  
vs.  
12 cars  
and  
Embezzlement  
Larceny.

John H. Rollins  
DANIEL G. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
John H. Rollins  
Foreman.

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**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Max Cohen*

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

of the CRIME OF

*Max Cohen*  
*Embezzlement.*

committed as follows:

The said

*Max Cohen*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid not being an apprentice or person within the age of eighteen years, on the day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*

*Julius M. Rosen*

and as such clerk and servant, was entrusted to receive

*from one William W. Parr*  
*the sum of thirty dollars and fifty nine cents in money*  
*of the value of thirty dollars and fifty nine cents.*

and being so employed and entrusted as aforesaid, the said

*Max Cohen*

then and there did receive and take into his possession

by virtue of such employment

*from one William W. Parr*  
*the sum of thirty dollars and fifty nine cents in money*  
*of the value of thirty dollars and fifty nine cents*

for and on account of

*Julius M. Rosen*

his said master and employer; and that the said

*Max Cohen*

on the day and year last aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, fraudulently and feloniously did take, make away with and secrete, with intent to convert to his own use, and did fraudulently and feloniously embezzle and convert to his own use, without the consent of said master and employer, and did fraudulently and feloniously and without the consent of his said master and employer withhold, appropriate, apply and make use of the said

*sum of thirty*  
*dollars and fifty nine cents in money of the*  
*value of thirty dollars and fifty nine cents*

of the goods, chattels, personal property and money of the said

*Julius M. Ruse*

chattels, personal property, and money had come into his possession and under his care, by virtue of his being such clerk and servant as aforesaid, 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.

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

*Max Cohen*

of the CRIME OF

*Larceny*

committed as follows:

The said

*Max Cohen*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Demand Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as a bank note), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as a bank note), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: thirty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each: sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: two hundred and forty silver coins (of the kind usually known as shilling pieces), of the value of twelve and a half cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: three thousand copper coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each.

*30, 59 / 100*

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes, of a number and denomination to the <sup>Grand</sup> Jury aforesaid unknown, and more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of *Twenty dollars and fifty nine cents*

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomination to the <sup>Grand</sup> Jury aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of *Twenty dollars and fifty nine cents*

Divers Due Bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Fractional Currency, of a number and denomination to the <sup>Grand</sup> Jury aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of *Twenty dollars and fifty nine cents*

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the <sup>Grand</sup> Jury aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

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of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Julius M. Ricci*

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

*John M. Keon*  
~~DANIEL G. ROLLINS~~, District Attorney.

0099

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

No. 6, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 7, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. 8, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

Bill # 133  
 14204 #2

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, & Co.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Julius H. Pines  
 191 1/2 North 1st Street  
 New York

Offence

Dated March 13 1882

Magistrate.

Spink  
 Officer.

William W. Bell  
 Clerk.

No. 160  
 Street,

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

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



\_\_\_\_\_

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Max Cohen he held to answer the charge that he guilty thereof, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he give such bail.

Dated March 13 1882 Solon B. Spink Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

0100

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

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

aged 41 years William K. Reser  
of No. 91 North Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Max Cohen now

here about 26 years of age  
and not being an apprentice, was  
in deponents employment as a  
clerk or servant, and as such  
did collect and receive sixty  
dollars from one Jones on said day,  
and did unlawfully and  
feloniously embezzle and convert  
the same to his own use and  
profit without the knowledge or  
assent of this deponent.

William K. Reser

Sworn to before me this  
13 day of March 1882  
J. J. [Signature]  
Justice

City and County  
of New York

Charles H. Jones, of No. 739  
Broadway being sworn says that  
on the day above mentioned this  
deponent gave to said Cohen the  
sum of sixty dollars & received  
his receipt therefor for Merchandise  
delivered to the firm of Sypher & Company  
doing business at 739 Broadway by  
the Complainant Charles H. Jones

Sworn to before me this  
13 day of March 1882  
J. J. [Signature]  
Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Just* DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Max Cohen*

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.

*Max Cohen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*133 Orchard Street About one year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Bookkeeper*

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 the charge*

Taken before me, this *13*  
day of *March* 188*8*

*Max Cohen*

*Solou B. Smith*  
Police Justice.

0102

BAILIED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

433 204 1882  
 Police Court  
 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William H. Fisher*  
 191 St. Marks St.  
*Max Cohen*  
*Ember Glenn*

Offence,

Dated *March 13* 188*2*

*Smith* Magistrate.

*Golden* Officer.

*14* Clerk.

Witness *Charles H. Jones*

No. *739* *Providence* Street,

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

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



*H. J.*  
*Stou*

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 *Max Cohen*

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

Dated *March 13* 188*2* *Robert B. Smith* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

0103

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

POLICE COURT, First DISTRICT.

of No. 191 Worth 44 years Manufacture  
Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says that on the 2nd day of February 1882

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Max Cohen

now here about 26 years  
old and not being an apprentice  
was in deponents employment  
as a clerk and by virtue  
of such employment did  
on the aforesaid day collect  
from one Wm. W. Parr the sum of  
thirty dollars & fifty nine cents  
which he did not return to depon-  
nent but did unlawfully and  
feloniously embezzle and convert  
the same to his own use and profit  
without the knowledge or assent  
of this deponent

Julius M. Riesser

City and County  
of New York, I, William W. Parr

aged 22 years

102 Fulton Street being sworn  
says that on the day in question  
deponent paid to said Cohen  
thirty dollars & fifty nine cents  
for Merchandise delivered to  
the firm of Hiles, Post & Company  
doing business at 102 Fulton Street  
in said City by the Complainant  
Wm. W. Parr,

Sworn to before me this  
13 day of March 1882

Robert J. Smith  
Justice of Peace

Sworn to before me this  
13 day of March 1882

Robert J. Smith  
Justice of Peace

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Sec. 708-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

*First*

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Max Cohen*

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.

*Max Cohen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*123 Orchard Street & about 1 Year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Bookkeeper*

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 the charge.*

Taken before me, this *13* day of *March* 188*9*

*Max Cohen.*

*Solomon S. Smith*  
Police Justice

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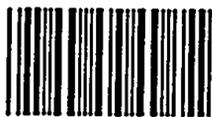
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Collins, Owen

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Filed day of March 1882  
Pleas. Popper & Co.

Att. Rec. John Stock  
Aug. Ideg. P. Parony

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Owen Collins

John Weston  
DANIEL G. ROSS

District Attorney

A True Bill

John Hann Phelan  
March 10/82 Foreman

Sheds [unclear]

5.15 years  
at

Court of General Sessions

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Owen Collins

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

of the CRIME OF

Owen Collins Burglary

committed as follows:

The said

Owen Collins

late of the twenty-first Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the twenty-fifth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

about the hour of four o'clock in the night with force and arms, time of the same day, at the

Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of John M. McCarthy there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of open an inner door through

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one John M. McCarthy within the said dwelling-house, he, the said

Owen Collins

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of

John M. McCarthy

in the said dwelling house 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.

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

of the CRIME OF

Owen Collins Larceny

committed as follows:

The said

Owen Collins

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, about the hour of four o'clock in the night time of said day, the said

divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given of the value of one dollar and sixty six cents

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of

John M. McCarthy

in the dwelling house 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.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney

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

*Owen Collins*

of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

*Owen Collins*

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

*Received coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given of the value of one dollar and sixty-six cents.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*John McLaughlin*

by a certain person or persons to the <sup>Grand</sup>Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said

*John McLaughlin*

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

*Owen Collins*

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

*John McKeon*

~~DANIEL G. ROLLIS~~, District Attorney.

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Police Court Q District 187

BAILABLE

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Frank W. O'Connell*  
*306 W. 83rd*  
*West Queens*

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

Dated February 26 1882

*James W. O'Connell* Magistrate.

*W. O'Connell* Officer.

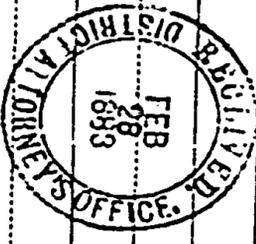
*W. O'Connell* Clerk.

Witnesses *Paul J. O'Connell*

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

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

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



*Comm for trial after  
 guilty of 5.1.1882  
 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 *Frank W. O'Connell*

~~held to answer, and~~ guilty thereof, I order that he be ~~admitted to bail in the sum of~~ *he is legally discharged* and be committed to the Warden or Keeper of the City Prison until he ~~is released~~

Dated *February 26* 1882 *Henry J. Gardner* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

*[Faint handwritten notes and signatures at the bottom of the page]*

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

John W. Leahy  
aged 26 years occupation liquor Dealer

of No. 306 East 39<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 306 East 39<sup>th</sup> Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor store and

place of business were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the lock on the leading door the Hall into the store from the first floor

on the night of the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882 and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz:

good and lawful money of the issue of the United States Treasury Department consisting one silver coin of the denomination and a value of ten cents and several coins of diverse denominations and values to the amount of one dollar and fifty six cents in to the amount, one dollar and fifty six cents

the property of deponent 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 John Callus (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent is informed by officer Dennis McCarthy of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Police Precinct that on the night of the above date at about the hour of four o'clock

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and he said McCarthy saw  
the said Collins in said  
premises and said store  
and behind the counter  
in the name of Mr. Carthy

Subscribed before me  
this 26 day of February 1882

Hugh Garvey  
Police Justice

City and County of New York

Dennis McCarthy of the 21  
Police Precinct, being duly  
sworn says that he has heard  
read the foregoing affidavits  
made by John McCarthy  
the within named complainant,  
and knows the contents thereof,  
That all of the same which  
relates to defendant is true of  
defendants own knowledge  
Dennis McCarthy

Subscribed before me  
this 26 day of February 1882

Hugh Garvey  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4<sup>th</sup>  
DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Owen Collins

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Owen Collins

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 345 East 39<sup>th</sup> St. About 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Bottle tester

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 was intoxicated and  
was sleeping in the back  
room. During the night I  
awoke and went out of the  
back room and into the  
street. I did not break into  
the place I was in the place  
all night

Taken before me, this 26  
day of February 1882

Owen Collins

Blough Police Justice.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cooney, Michael

DATE:

03/28/82



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*Sick vs. Reginald*

Counsel, *[Signature]*  
Filed 28 day of March 1882  
Plends, *Not Guilty* Apr 4

THE PEOPLE  
*[Signature]*  
Michael Conroy  
Homeleide of the Degree of Murder  
in the First Degree.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS  
*John W. Kern*  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
*John Kern*  
*John W. Kern* Septiman.  
*[Signature]*  
Tried and *[Signature]*  
the *[Signature]* 20<sup>th</sup> Printed  
*[Signature]* A. R. H.

Witness  
*Richard Bangan*  
647 Carl - 16<sup>th</sup> St

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against  
The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse  
*Michael Cooney*  
of the crime of

committed as follows:  
The said

*Michael Cooney*

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

*Joseph Cunningham*

in the peace of the People of the State then and there being, willfully, feloniously, and  
with a deliberate and premeditated design to effect the death of *him* the said  
*Joseph Cunningham* did make an assault.

And that he the said

*Michael Cooney*

~~the said~~

with a certain *knife*  
which he the said

*Michael Cooney*

in ~~his~~ right hand then and there had and held

the said *Joseph Cunningham* in and upon the *right side*

of ~~the body~~ *of him* the said *Joseph Cunningham*  
then and there wilfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to  
effect the death of *him* the said *Joseph Cunningham*

did strike, stab, cut and wound, giving unto *him* the said *Joseph Cunningham*  
then and there with the *knife*

aforesaid, in and upon *the right side of the body*

of *him* the said *Joseph Cunningham* one mortal wound of  
the breadth of *one* inch and of the depth of *five* inch of which

said mortal wound *he* the said *Joseph Cunningham*  
at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, from the day first aforesaid, in the year  
aforesaid, until the *twelfth day of December*

in the same year aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, and on which  
~~twelfth day~~ day of *December*

in the year aforesaid, the said *Joseph Cunningham* at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say that *he* the said

*Michael Cooney* *him*

the said *Joseph Cunningham* in the manner and form, and by  
the means aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, wilfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to  
effect the death of *him* the said *Joseph Cunningham*  
did kill and murder against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided,  
and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

*John W. Keen*  
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney.

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MEMORANDUM.

AGE.			PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE, When Reported.
25 Years.	Months.	Days.	New York	601 E. 15 St.	Dec 12. 81.

See for further  
 Mother  
 James Thomas  
 244 W 42 St.

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AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of  
 Joseph Manning  
 whereby it is found that he came to  
 his Death by the hands of

Michael Boney-  
 during a quarrel on  
 December 5th-1881.  
 Cor 15th St & 4th St

Inquest taken on the 15 day  
 of December 1881

Committed to the  
 House of Correction  
 on March 15. 1882

Discharged  
 Date of death December 19. 1881



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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*Michael Cooney* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to answer or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.— *Michael Cooney*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.— *thirty two years old*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.— *Ireland*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.— *615 East 16<sup>th</sup> Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.— *Coach Driver*

Question.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what, relative to the charge here preferred against you?

*I have nothing to say, further than the statement I made this was before the coroner & jury*

*Michael Cooney*

Taken before me, this *15* day of *Mar* 188*2*

*[Signature]* CORONER.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the house of Office of the Board of Coroners No 15 Chatham Street in the 4 Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, this 15 day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 82 before Gerson A. Herrmann Coroner, of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of

Joseph Cunningham lying dead at

Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of nine good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said Joseph Cunningham came to his death, do upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said Joseph Cunningham came to his death by being stabbed by a knife or sharp instrument during a quarrel with Michael Donovan and we believe from the evidence that the instrument was in the hands of the said Donovan.

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JURORS.

J. Leonard  
W. D. Murphy  
Robert J. Price  
C. A. Hook  
John Hartman  
C. A. Hook

Chas. Amey  
Andrew Mathewson  
Charles Decker  
J. Brown

Gerson A. Herrmann  
CORONER, J. S.

The People of the State of New York, on the  
Complaint of

vs.

List of Witnesses.

Michael Cooney

NAMES.

RESIDENCE.

Mary Kelly	426 E. 13 St.,
Mary Ann Cunningham	601 E. 15 St.,
W. James Brennan	18 <sup>th</sup> Precinct
M <sup>rs</sup> M <sup>rs</sup> Taverner	613 E 16 St.,
Bernard Quinn	411 E 15 St.,
John Rourke	256 Ave. "B"
<del>John Rourke</del>	<del>609 E 14 St.,</del>
Michael Cooney	615 E. 16 St.,
John McDonald	7 <sup>th</sup> Street Row West 57
Michael Lynch	553 8 <sup>th</sup> Ave., Brooklyn
A. E. Nichols M.D.	Near Surgeon. 1 <sup>st</sup> Surgical Division Bellevue Hosp., N.Y.
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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

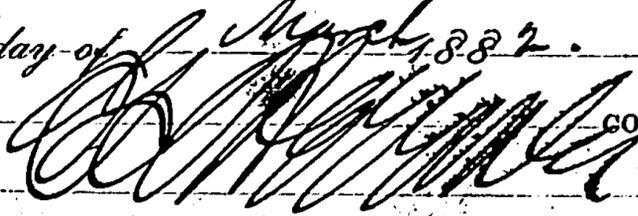
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Mary Kelly 426 E 13<sup>th</sup> being  
 sworn & I knew & described  
 Cooney - I did not see the  
 stabbing, but was present with them  
 during the riot; I saw Cunningham  
 strike Cooney with a pitcher, at  
 15 ft - at 13, outside of Cunningham's  
 Liquor store - Lawrence Quinn & Law-  
 nigan & another were there - before that  
 Cunningham told Cooney to go home or  
 he would be arrested - Cooney told  
 him it was none of his business.  
 Quinn said to Cunningham, he should  
 hit him with the pitcher; so did Lawrence  
 Quinn told Cunningham the 2<sup>nd</sup> time  
 to deal the S. - of a B. - with  
 a pitcher - Lawrence said so the 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 time also to deal him with the pitcher  
 Cunningham just going into the saloon,  
 turned around, and swore an oath,  
 that he would deal the S. - of a  
 B. - with the pitcher; I told Cunnig-  
 ham it would be better for him to pay  
 me what he paid 4 or 5 years ago, than  
 to strike him with the pitcher - Cunningham  
 called me a God damned Whore, and  
 Cooney heard this, turned in his heels,  
 when Cunningham struck him with the

Taken before me

this

15 day of April 1882.



CORONER.

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Pitches; they had a tussle and in a couple of minutes, I saw Cooney fall & Cuningham ran up ~~at~~ 15th street, after he had been hit by a Policeman. I saw no knife - I lifted Cooney up & told him to go home - I am married, live with my husband; I have no animosity to facing of Cuningham, or particular prejudice for Cooney - I was out with a party, and met these parties while they quarreled - I am sure they had no quarrel before that Cooney was not sober; had been drinking that day - Cuningham was sober - I was in the liquor store before Cooney came in - this happening Oct 11. 20 1882

Mary Kelly  
(Mark)

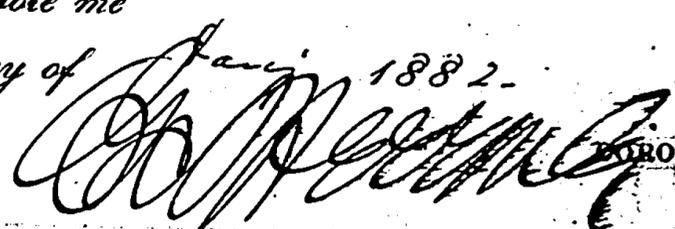
Taken before me

this 15 day of March 1882.

*[Signature]*  
CORONER.

0123

Miss Mary Ann Keenan having been sworn as I reside with my mother - deceased was my Brother; I did not hear of any disturbance; all I know is, he went out and then came back bleeding profusely I had gone down to the corner and was looking what was the matter; I heard my Brother's name was mentioned; I afterwards heard he had got into a grannel and had gone into 15<sup>th</sup> St. I heard a noise; I saw Thomas Lawrence & a woman whom I recognized; there was a crowd at the corner; they were strangers; My Brother afterwards came up stairs - I don't know where he was when he was - I visited my Brother at the Hospital - he was told me how it happened - he kept company with young men, but don't know names, except John Connors & Michael Connolly - A man was brought in Officer Brennan and he identified the man, as the one who stabbed him - I never heard of his having ever had a quarrel with any one; he worked regularly - I never saw or heard of Looney before he came home before 12 - ~~the~~ Miss Mary A. Carravignani

Taken before me  
 this 25 day of Jan'y 1882.  
  
 GOVERNOR.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

4

He borrowed a coat which he  
came home with. he had none  
when he went out. he had on his  
hat when he left & when he came  
in -

Mary Ann Cunningham

Taken before me

this 15 day of July 1882.

*[Signature]*  
CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

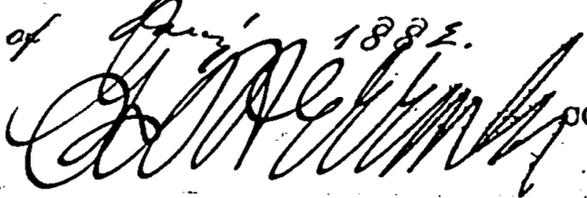
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Mary Ann Cunningham 607 E 15<sup>th</sup> St  
 being sworn, I am the mother of  
 deceased; He was working at  
 Johnsons business 41 Maiden Lane.  
 He had left the room a little while  
 before he had been stabbed; I had  
 sent him to Mr. Cunningham's saloon  
 to get a pint of Lager; I was lying  
 down sick; He was rather much  
 a very quiet man; I did not know  
 he had any previous quarrel; there  
 was a noise in front of our house  
 and my daughter opened the window;  
 afterwards went down; my daughter  
 was there; I was told by some one that  
 my son was in the saloon on the corner;  
 He afterwards came in and I asked  
 him if he got into any trouble; he said  
 never mind; he would not tell me  
 what was the matter; I then followed  
 him up; he took off his clothes & showed  
 he was bleeding; my step son went for  
 Dr. Joad; he was then very faint; Dr. Joad  
 said I don't know if he will die; the  
 Priest took his confession and said  
 to me he could not get over; An ambulance  
 was sent for and he was taken to Bellevue  
 where he dies 6 days after - It was on a

Taken before me

this

25 day of July 1882.



CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Monday night between 11 & 12 o'clock; he  
had not been gone more than 5 or  
10 minutes when we heard the noise  
in the street;

by  
Mary Ann Cunningham  
Name & Mark

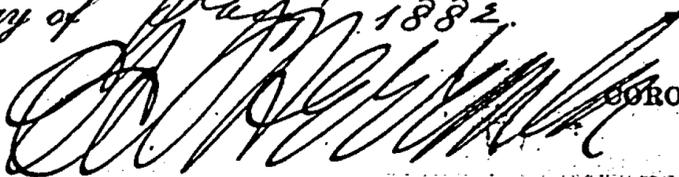
Continuation

I had seen Cooney the afternoon of  
the same day my son was stabbed  
go into O'Rourke's saloon with Mrs  
Kelly, but I did not see them come  
out. He had been ~~sent~~ <sup>bailed</sup> out by  
O'Rourke the same day - I never  
knew him before that day - but be-  
tween 12 & 1 o'clock that night, Cooney  
was brought in by an officer and  
identified by my son as the one  
who stabbed him.

Mary Ann Cunningham  
her mark

Taken before me

this 25 day of May 1882.

  
CORONER.

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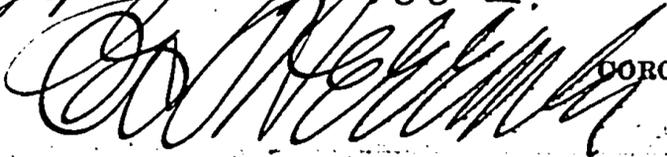
Officer James Brennan, 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct  
 being sworn dep. was on post on  
 Dec 6. 82, having come on duty at night -  
 I was informed by 2 young men, that  
 there was a young man stabbed at  
 S. W. Corner of 15<sup>th</sup> St. & Ave. B, by Michael  
 Cooney, and that the wounded man  
 was then at home attending by the  
 Doctor & Priest; I was told where  
 Cooney lived at 615 E. 16<sup>th</sup> St. and  
 I went there and found him covering  
 up in bed; I took him before the  
 dying man, who positively identified  
 Cooney as the man that stabbed him;  
 I took Cooney to Station house; he was in  
 full rags but very weak; it was  
 then about 45 minutes after the stab-  
 bing; Cooney said he would do some  
 more up before he got through;  
 He was sent up to Penitentiary, and  
 made inquiry today, and he is too  
 sick to be removed; I know Cooney  
 for past 7 years; he was a very decent  
 inoffensive young man.

James Brennan

Taken before me

this

25 day of Aug 1882.

  
 CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

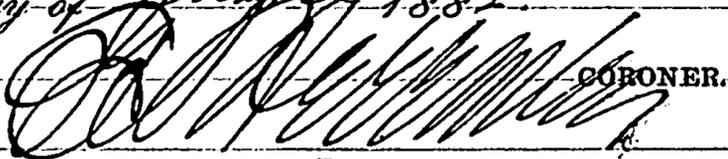
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Wm McGinn 613 E 16<sup>th</sup> St being  
 sworn to I was there at 11.30 P.M.  
 when Cunningham came over with a  
 Pitcher to go to saloon of Cunningham  
 Cor 15<sup>th</sup> St & Ave B; Cooney had  
 previous to Cunningham's coming, had  
 some words with a man named Melch.  
 before Cooney crossed over to Cunningham's  
 Corner, he stopped at place where I  
 worked, O'Rourke's saloon on the other  
 Corner. Cooney was a little noisy &  
 was taken out quietly - he (Cooney)  
 then went looking for Melch. he  
 saw him & Melch went up to his house.  
 On Cooney's way back Cunningham  
 spoke to Cooney - He said he had  
 better go home or he would get arres-  
 ted - some words passed between I  
 did not hear - Joe lifted up the  
 pitcher to strike Cooney, which he  
 did; both ran up 15<sup>th</sup> St; I did not  
 see anything else - I heard Cunningham  
 was stabbed; I saw no knife in any  
 ones hands - I saw no one fall during  
 the tussle - Cooney was drunk that  
 night - I know of no other fight around  
 there before that - Wm McGinn

Taken before me

this

15 day of May 1882.


 CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

98

Bernard Quinn Longshore was  
 being worried here with parents  
 at 411 E. 15<sup>th</sup> St. - I was on Cor Ave  
 B + 15<sup>th</sup> St. when Michael Cooney  
 was hollering out he was going to  
 kill somebody with whom he had  
 been fighting before - Cunningham  
 came along, and told him to go home  
 before he got into trouble - Cooney &  
 Cunningham walked towards the Cor-  
 ner, I saw Cooney strike <sup>at</sup> Cunningham  
 3 times one after another; Cunningham  
 struck Cooney on the elbow with a  
 Pitcher; Cooney struck at him again  
 on right side; don't know what he struck  
 him with - Cunningham was knocked  
 down and as he got up Cooney struck  
 him again - I saw no knife in anyone's  
 hands - or any other weapon -

Barney Quinn  
 When Cooney struck Cunningham the last  
 time, Cooney said take that you son of  
 a bitch - Cunningham made no outcry  
 it was all done very quick. Cooney  
 struck Cunningham first -

Barney Quinn

Taken before me  
 this 15 day of Aug 1882.

*[Signature]*  
 CORONER.

0130

John Rowke 256 Ave B being sworn up I kept jaloon Cor 15<sup>th</sup> ft Ave B. N.W. corner, at time of affray; I saw Cooney come into the jaloon, he was bleeding on the cheek he was looking for a man who bearded with him; he said he had been bitten on cheek; I got him outside as he was noisy, I went with him & saw Birmingham coming across the street who said cheese it, here comes the Cops - they had a few words & I shoved Cooney away, and he was going away. Mrs Kelly stepped up and called the deceased a hungryfaced bastard - she said he had better pay for what he owed her for what they eat 4 or 5 years ago - deceased called Mrs Kelly some very rude name & Cooney went to strike deceased - deceased up with the pitcher & let Cooney have it on the head or shoulder - deceased ran up 15<sup>th</sup> ft, Cooney after him, and 3 or 4 more also - about 40 or 50 ft further, they all had a tussle. I stood on the corner & when O'Brien came I spoke to him 3 minutes; I saw no more. Cooney was drunk; Mrs Kelly was in

Taken before me

this 15 day of March 1882.

*[Signature]*  
CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

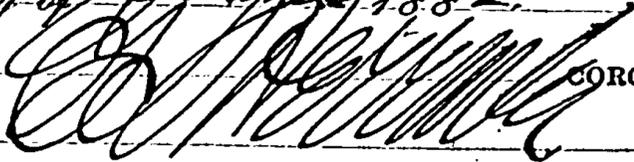
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my floor before Cooney came in -  
she was sober - I don't know what  
became of Mrs. Kelly after the  
man ran up 15<sup>th</sup> St. - Cooney is the  
man whom is now the Prisoner.

John Rowden

Taken before me

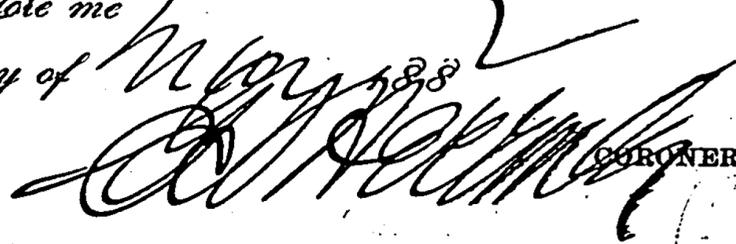
this 15 day of August 1882.



CORONER.

0132

Thomas Lioroney 609. E. 15<sup>th</sup> St  
 being sworn by Justice at times  
 for Eagle Pencil Co; I knew deceased;  
 never saw Cooney before that night -  
 was there before disturbance occurred  
 on Ave 5, 11, I was going home, I saw  
 Lioroney, strike a man, about 11.20  
 P.M. on the Cor 15<sup>th</sup> St + Ave B in the  
 liquor store owned by O'Rourke.  
 Lioroney came unprovoked and  
 what the matter was, as I was looking  
 on; I told him I thought it was a  
 drunken quarrel. O'Rourke put  
 Lioroney out, and as Cooney was  
 out, he said he would look for the  
 1<sup>st</sup> man he had beaten, supposing  
 that this was the 2<sup>nd</sup> man he had  
 beaten that night. He overtook the 1<sup>st</sup>  
 man on Ave. B. bet 14 + 15<sup>th</sup> St. and  
 swore he would kill the man, if they  
 would let him go. Mrs Kelly, whom  
 Cooney boarded with and who was in  
 liquor store at time of assault on  
 second party, and some other friends  
 of Cooney held him back. I saw the  
 1<sup>st</sup> party, was covered with blood & dis-  
 figured; Lioroney + ~~the man~~  
 advised Cooney to go home, before by

Taken before me  
 this 15 day of May 1888  
  
 CORONER.

was arrested - Hee singled Cunningham out of the crowd & made a strike at him - I don't know if he had a knife in his hand. Cunningham walked & was on the cor of 15<sup>th</sup> St. & Ave B - followed by Coony, who tried to strike him again - Cunningham got of his way by jumping back - Coony made a third attempt to strike Cunningham when the latter struck Coony with a pitch he had in his hand - on the arm - at the same time Coony struck Cunningham with a knife & stabbed him. After this Coony ran down the street with his friends. Cunningham when he got up - he walked up the street to Avenue A. He did not walk with any one nor say anything to any body. I walked after him & up to his home & then he said he was stabbed by Coony -

Since all this time Cunningham gave no provocation to Coony & he had no knife or any other Weapon in his hand during all this time. I did not know many of the young men around there at the time.

Taken before me  
this 25 day of

July 1882.

*Thos Lawrence*  
CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Continuation of Mr Lawrence -

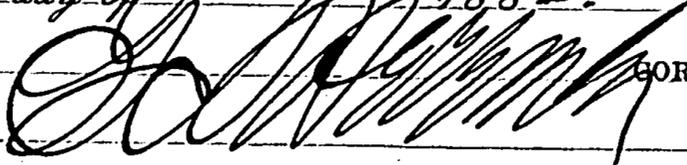
When Cooney struck the 2<sup>nd</sup> time, he said take that you son of a Bitch - I saw a knife in Cooney's hand the 2<sup>nd</sup> time he struck him - he drew his arm straight out and struck him in the side forcing Cunningham against the wall & when accused got up again, he struck him the second time; I saw the glitter of the knife. He borrowed the coat 2 doors off where he lived & he was facing Cooney when stabbed; did not see any one stabbing Cooney - if Cooney got stabbed, it must have been by Mrs Kelly or his friends - I heard Rooney say he would kill some one - Cooke held the knife in the left hand. The stabbing was done on the S. W corner of 15<sup>th</sup> & Ave B. No one told Cunningham to strike <sup>Cooney</sup> ~~the~~ Kelly with the pitcher as stated by Mrs Kelly -

J. Lawrence

Taken before me

this

15 day of March 1882.



CORONER.

Michael Cooney, being told by the Coroner of his privilege & made or to refuse to make a statement and being desirous of making such statement, being sworn, says I live at 615 E 16<sup>th</sup> St. I am a Coach driver for Ryerson & Brown & I had a quarrel with Pat Boyle, in the yard of my boarding house, he said he would show me an English touch, so he got me by the leg & knocked me on my back; he did the same after I got up again - he hit me on the cheek. I got up and gave him a few boxes - he went home; I went to have him arrested for Carnubalism - I went to Rourke, who said come along, & we will get him arrested - ~~dear~~ his friends were on the corner and told me to go home for a Son of a Bitch, or I would get arrested myself - with that some of Cuninghams' friends said a couple of times to him, deal him with the Pitcher; he said by Jesus Christ that he would - I told him better not - I was on my own Business & none of his affair; Mrs Kelly made some remark about a grocery bill & he called her a pet name; I told him it was no name &

Taken before me

this 15 day of March 1882



CORONER.

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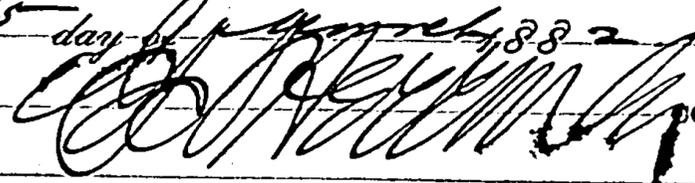
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call any woman, and I turned on my  
 heel and he struck me with the Pitcher  
 in the face. we got in a tussle, all the  
 fellows taking a hand in, I was stabbed  
 but did not know it, & I think they  
 were stabbing at me and stabbed him -  
 I was stabbed through coat & vest & to  
 collar bone - I was knocked down &  
 I know no more - Mrs Kelly lifted  
 me up & I walked home; I went to  
 bed & was arrested at 1.30 a.m. I was  
 taken by Officer Cunningham's house  
 and placed before Cunningham - I saw  
 the knife cut in the 57<sup>th</sup> St Court - I  
 was to Island & then sent to the Hosp-  
 ital; I came down here 2 weeks ago -  
 I had a good share of drink during  
 the evening of the affray - I am not  
 usually in the habit of drinking; I did  
 not know Cunningham or the boys  
 with him at time. I always worked  
 regularly - *Wick Browne*

Taken before me

this

15 day of *April* 1882



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John W Donald 7 Strikers Row  
 2257<sup>th</sup> St being sworn up I know nothing  
 of the affray - I do not know  
 deceased; know Cooney for several  
 years, in fact from Bayhook - I know  
 him to be a sober, honest & industrious  
 man; he worked for me off & on - I  
 do not know him as a man ad-  
 dicted to drink - He worked for me  
 Sept 1880. I have seen him since -  
 he left me then; I am Court Officer  
 Court of Common Pleas never heard  
 him to be even quarrelsome - I never  
 saw him drunk; when drinking he  
 would be inclined to be sociable  
 and to sing.

John W Donald

Michael Lynch 553 8 Ave Brooklyn  
 being sworn up I saw Cooney in 57<sup>th</sup> St  
 Court a few days after; I know him  
 since June 1881 - I always considered  
 him a steady good fellow and he never  
 got into trouble - I give him a good gen-  
 eral character - When I saw him at court  
 he had his head bandaged up, his head  
 was swollen & he told me he had nothing  
 to do with it - He said he was hit with a pitch-

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 this 15 day of July 1882

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Joseph Cunningham was brought to Bellevue Hospital Ward II on Tuesday Dec 6 at 12:45 o'clock A.M. Examination revealed a stab-wound about 1 1/4 inches long, in the right side, penetrating the chest wall at the lower border of the 8<sup>th</sup> rib a little in front of the axillary line. The finger of the surgeon was introduced into this wound, and it was found that the pleural cavity had been opened, but whether the wound extended further than this could not be determined at that time. The patient had lost a large quantity of blood, but all hemorrhage ceasing he exhaled a small quantity of a very bright arterial blood had ceased before admission. There was a second wound caused by a knife about 1 inch long just to the left of the sacrum, but this was very superficial. The patient readily recovered from the shock incident to the wound and on Tuesday morning was in a very good condition. During the day a tympanitic distension of the abdomen was developed. This was referred to peritonitis due to perforation of the abdominal cavity and, <sup>probably</sup> a wound of the liver. No other untoward symptoms were developed until the afternoon of Saturday Dec. 10. At this time there was a sudden increase of the tympanites, the patient's breathing was slightly accelerated and he complained of a slight pain in the vicinity of the right nipple. The pulse was somewhat faster and weaker than before. The temperature which had averaged 99 1/2 - 100 rose to 103. A physical examination of the

Chest revealed dulness over the lower part of the right chest. The sound of pericarditis was also discovered. These symptoms continued to increase until 2.30 o'clock Sunday morning when the abdomen was greatly distended, the breathing was very short and labored and the pulse was fast and feeble. The wound in the chest was then thoroughly cleaned with the finger and about 40 ounces of very bloody serum escaped. This greatly relieved the patient and he gradually became somewhat better. During the night he had 3 or 4 attacks of syncope due to failure of the heart. At 9 AM his condition had somewhat improved but the pulse was very feeble. At 12 o'clock noon the heart suddenly failed this being due to overdistension of the right side of the heart causing paralysis of that organ.

### Autopsy.

The knife passed through the abdominal wall, pleural cavity and diaphragm into the abdominal cavity and wounded the liver at its upper and outer aspect.

Heart.

The right heart was distended with blood.

The pericardium was inflamed, fibrous deposits being found on both the visceral and parietal surfaces.

The pericardial sack was filled with fluid.

Lungs.

The left lung was normal. The right lung was completely solidified and displaced somewhat.

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upwards. The pleural surfaces on this side were in some parts adherent. The parietal surface at its lower part was covered with deposits of pus. The pleural cavity contained a very bloody serum mixed with pus. At its lower part were two openings, one leading outwards and the other inwards into the abdominal cavity.

Liver.

The liver was somewhat enlarged especially at the upper part of the right lobe. The surface was congested. There was an incised wound about 1 inch in length and the same in depth at the upper and lower aspect of the right lobe. Around the edge of this wound were some yellow deposits inflammatory in character. A little below the wound was an inflammatory patch, and at this place there were adhesions between the liver and diaphragm.

Intestines.

The intestines were distended with gas. Their coats showed no traces of inflammation. In the vicinity of the liver they were somewhat congested. The abdominal cavity was free from fluid.

All the other organs were found normal and healthy.

A. E. Nichols, M.D.

House Surgeon / Surgical Division.

Bellevue Hospital.

New York.

Taken before me  
this 15 day of

March 1882

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Compt. Treasurers.

in case of.

Joseph Cunningham.

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Dr. J. W. Waterman being sworn  
 by the coroner an autopsy was  
 performed at 601 E. 15th, and  
 the results of said examination are  
 given in the testimony of Dr. Nichols  
 of Bellevue Hosp, who assisted me  
 at the autopsy, and from notes taken  
 by me at the time; from the evidence  
 and autopsy, I am of opinion death  
 was caused by actinia and septic  
 poisoning, following a stab wound  
 received Dec 5. 81, at 11.30 P.M., Cor  
 Ave B + 15th St.

J. W. Waterman M.D.

Taken before me

this 15 day of April 1882.

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Mr Mc Leary

Report

Dec 1881

The People  
 vs  
 Michael Cooney ?

The weight of the testimony - in addition to the previous sworn statements. Shows the killing to have occurred in a drunken quarrel. Two or three witnesses testify to the deceased striking Cooney on the head with a pitchfork, before the stabbing. There was no premeditation or previous ill will as the deceased and Cooney were strangers.

Cooney was cut and wounded in the affray. I do not think the People would ever secure a conviction of more than manslaughter in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree - and if the previous and Mary Kelly's story be sustained at the trial it is probable Cooney would be acquitted.

W. O. Byrne  
 Att. Gen. of the  
 Oct 5 82

The plea of 3<sup>rd</sup> degree.  
 B.M.K.