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FOLDER:
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DESCRIPTION:
Jasper, William

DATE:
10/14/84



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Witnesses:
John Muir

Counsel, *[Signature]*
Filed *14* day of *Oct* 188*4*
Pleads.....

THE PEOPLE
vs. *P*
William Jasper
33
4th 18th Jan
Grand Larceny, 2nd degree
[Sections 628, 68 & 550 Penn. Code.]

PETER B. OLNEY,
22 Oct-1884 District Attorney.
plead. p. 2
A True Bill.

James D. Kisson
Per: Thru out.
Foreman.

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Police Court—

1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 184 West

John Muir

Street, aged 36 years,

occupation.

Porter

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 11th day of October 188

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

Four Coats of the value of Twenty Three Dollars
 Two Pair of Pantalons of the value of Five Dollars
 and one vest of the value of Two Dollars
 together of the value of Thirty Dollars

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

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

William Jasper (now here)
 from the fact that deponent was informed by John Monahan of No 184 West Street that he saw the said defendant in the hall way of said premises, with a bag and the said Monahan followed the said defendant and informed Officer Thomas Wall of the 6th Precinct Police. And the said Officer found the said bag in the possession of defendant and deponent identified the said property as the property taken stolen and carried away as aforesaid

John Muir

Sworn to before me this 11th day of October 1888
 of 1888
 Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 35 years, occupation John Monahan
watchman of No.

184 Hester

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 11

day of Oct

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John Monahan

P. J. Duffy

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 31 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

6th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John Muir

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day of Oct 1888 } Thomas Wall

J. J. Duffy
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

12 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Jasper 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.

William Jasper

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

33 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

189 South 5th Avenue Sixteen months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Writer

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 was employed
by two men to carry the bag in*
William Jasper
Thurs

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Muir
184 Hester St.

William Jackson

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Dated October 11 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 184 Hester Street.

Thomas Wace

No. 6 Precinct Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ _____ to answer

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

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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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

William J. Jones

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

William J. Jones

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the ~~second~~ degree, committed as follows:

The said *William J. Jones*

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

four coats of the value of

six dollars each,

two pairs of trousers of

the value of three dollars

each pair,

and one vest of the value

of two dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Smith*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

~~William Farmer~~
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed
as follows:

The said

~~William Farmer~~ 7
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
on the ~~eleventh~~ day of ~~October~~ in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~four~~ at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

~~Four coats of the value~~
~~of six dollars each, —~~
~~Two pairs of trousers of~~
~~the value of three dollars~~
~~each pair, —~~
~~and one vest of the~~
~~value of two dollars, 7~~

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one ~~John Smith~~

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

~~John Smith~~
unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said

~~William Farmer~~
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.

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Johnson, May

DATE:

10/07/84



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Witnesses:

Wm. A. Myerson
Wm. Sullivan
10th Street

New trial granted
upon the ground of
newly discovered
evidence. No. 44
Nov. 23rd 1884.

Bail \$1000.
No. 44

The Complainant in this case
cannot be found and so I am
informed has gone to Europe &
therefore recommend that deft. be
discharged on her own recognizance
Nov. Dec. 10. 1884,
Jno. C. Sullivan
not. out. atty.

#13 will find
Counsel, Knitzing
Filed 7 day of Dec 1884
Pleads Not Guilty (s)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
P
Grand Larceny (2d degree)
(From the person.)
[Sections 528, 530 - Penal Code].

Wm. A. Myerson
216 217
PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney.
Not recorded
A True Bill. Nov 4

John B. Myerson
Foreman.
Oct. 10
Wednesday?
J. B. Myerson

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PART I.

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPENA
 FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE
 Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To *File Mayson*

of No. *4 Barclay* Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *10* day of *Dec* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth, and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Dec* in the year of our Lord 188 *7*.

PETER B. OLNEY, *District Attorney.*

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

May Johnson

City and County of New York, ss.:

John J. Carroll being duly
sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No 245 Clinton
Street, in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the
office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the 8th day
of Dec. 1884, I called at No 4 Carlyle Street

the alleged residence of Ole Myson
the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by one of
the proprietors of the Sailors Boarding House that he
left there in the middle of the month of October &
had a ticket for Europe on the Inman Line,
and he believes he ~~not~~ went to Europe but
left no word whether he would return or no.

Sworn to before me, this

10th day

of December, 1884

Rudolph L. Schaaf
Clerk of Court
N.Y. City & Co.

John J. Carroll
Subpoena Server.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

The People vs.

VS
May Johnson

OFFENSE

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *May Johnson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Canada*

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

Answer. *216 Elizabeth St. 2 yrs.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Waitress*

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*
May Johnson
Maid

Taken before me this *17* day of *June* 1917
William J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, }

of No.

occupation

deposes and says, that on the

day of

Street, aged 36 years,

being duly sworn

188 at the City of New

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

Bank notes of the Value of Twenty
Nine hundred & forty dollars, in Canadian
Bank notes, of the denomination of Ten
dollars each— Bank notes of Canadian

issue of various denominations, to the
amount and value of Four hundred
and eighty five dollars— Gold Coins
of English Money valued at Seventy
five dollars in all of the value of thirty five
hundred dollars, property of Deponent and that this deponent

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

who was in Deponent's Company on
a Lounge

a at a room of the premises

No 25 Bowerly that while in said

May Johnson's Company Deponent

had the above described property

in a Belt around his waist,

underneath the clothing he wore

Sworn to before me, this
day
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Police Justice.

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upon his person - That said May Johnson was kissing and caressing deponent, and had her hands upon deponents person where said Debt containing the above described money was, for about the space of ten minutes - That while in said room with said May Johnson deponent missed the money aforesaid -
Spoke before me this 4th. } Ole A Myers
October 1884 }
Circuit Court

Police Justice

Police Justice

Dated

1884

guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Police Justice

Dated

1884

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

Police Justice

Dated

1884

of the City of New York, until he give such bail. and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

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

Police Court, District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Ole A. Myers
May Johnson

October 4th 1884
White
Sullivan & Co.

Witnesses
No. 1000
Street

No. 1000
Street
Seasons.

Robert B. O'Leary
District Attorney

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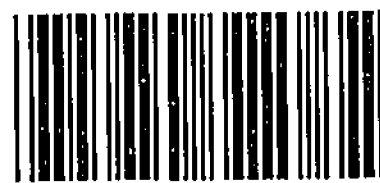
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DESCRIPTION:

Johnson, Richard

DATE:

10/03/84



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Witnesses =

John C. Hicks

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Filed 3 day of Oct 1884

Pleads *Not guilty (6)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

F

Richard Johnson

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Chiles, Ind

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN JOHNSON~~

District Attorney.

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Heads Assault 2 dy.

A TRUE BILL.

Edward Van Munching

Foreman.

Pen: Two years.

Assault in the First Degree, (Firearms.)
See 217 and 218

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Police Court—2 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York, }of No. 199 South Fifth Avenue John C. Hicks Stet, aged 34 years,
occupation Book-Black, being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 29 day of September 1884 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, at the Home of Socio P. M.
he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED ~~by~~ by

Richard Johnson, now here,
who vilely aimed and pointed
a pistol at deponent, and while
so holding said pistol in his hand—
so aimed and pointed at deponent,
did wilfully and maliciously fire
off one barrel of said pistol, which
pistol was loaded with live
cartridges, at deponent the ball
so fired off from said pistol
striking the wall about five
inches from deponent's head.
That deponent was so attempted
to be Beaten

And
with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, ~~or~~ to do him grievous bodily harm; and without
any justification on the part of the said assailant :

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be ~~apprehended and~~ bound to answer
for the above assault, etc., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day
of October 1884

John C. HicksM. Patterson Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Richard Johnson 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 Johnson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *90 Watts St. 4 or 5 months*

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 have nothing to say.*

R. Johnson

Taken before me this

day of

1884

John J. O'Connor
Police Justice.

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

_____ *Richard Johnson* _____
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *900*
Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he
give such bail.

Dated *October 1st* 188 _____ *Wm Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John C. Hicks
199 South 5th St.

Richard Johnson

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Office of the
Clerk of the Court

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

October 1

188

Patterson

Magistrate.

Gardner

Officer.

Court

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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1000

to answer

G.B.
Cord

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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

Richard Johnson

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

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *Richard Johnson*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty ninth day of *September* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *James C. Vidar*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and to, at and against *him* the said *James C. Vidar*
a certain *revolver* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one
lead bullet, which the said *Richard Johnson*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge, with
intent *him* the said *James C. Vidar*
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such
case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and
their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

of the Crime of assault in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *Richard Johnson*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *James C. Vidar*
— then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully,
make an assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *James C. Vidar*
Vidar, a certain *revolver* — then and there loaded and
charged with gunpowder and one lead bullet, which — the said
Richard Johnson
in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, the same being an instrument
likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and
there shoot off and discharge

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Judge, Nicholas

DATE:

10/03/84



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Witnesses

Frederick W. Hoffmeyer

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Day of Trial, 1

Counsel, *Chambers*

Filed 3 day of Oct 188 4

Pleads Not guilty (Oct 6)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Nicholas Judge

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24th 7th Ave

Radde Ave. N.Y.C.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MURPHY~~

Inter 9/11 District Attorney.

Pleads guilty. Ind. Cont.

A TRUE BILL.

Charles W. Murphy

Foreman.

See: one month.

INJURY TO PROPERTY.
Sec. 654, Penal Code.

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Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Nicholas JUDGE*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *60 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *70 West 89 St. 13 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Saddle Tree 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 did not create the evidence*
Nicholas JUDGE
(his name)

Taken before me this *29*
day of *September* 188*8*
by *W. J. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *September 27* 188 _____ *M. W. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court-- 2 District. 1647

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thos. Pfefferger
266 West 34th St
Nicholas Pfefferger

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated Sept 29 188 4

Patterson Magistrate.

Pless Officer.

20 Precinct.

Witnesses Henry Holland

No. 266 West 34th Street.

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

\$ 500 to ansr

G. S. Conrad

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

of No.

266 West 34th

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the

29th

day of

September

1884

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

Nicholas J. Fudge,

Now, did unlawfully and
wilfully injure and destroy
certain property of another, to wit:
a plate glass window of the
value of one hundred and
twenty five dollars, in violation
of Section 654 of the Penal Code
of the State of New York. That
deponent then and there saw
said defendant wilfully throw
a large basket through the

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show evidence of defendants said
premises, breaking and entering
the same.

Sworn to before me this } Fred W. H. H. H.
29 day of September 1884

W. M. Patterson Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Disposition.

District Attorney.