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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Abrahams, William

DATE:

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Witness:
E. Rice
Off. Reagan St.

Counsel, *DP*
Filed *Sept* 189
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THE PEOPLE
vs.
William Abraham
Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

De Lancey Nicoll
DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.
W. J. O'Reilly
Sept 29 1891 Toronto.
Wm. J. Keenan Esq.
6 nos 8 m St

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Police Court— 2 District.

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

George Bell

of No. 206 Elm Street, aged 22 years,

occupation waiter being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16 day of September 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

William Abrahams (now here)

who, cut deponent on the right

arm making a wound skin

deep, with a table knife then

held in his hand by deponent

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 16 day }
of September 1887 }

Geo Bell

[Signature] Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Abraham*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *N. S.*

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

Answer. *Ormeau St - lodging house No 34. 1 week*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *labourer*

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. *He took hold of me first, and then were three of them had me down*

and I took the knife to defend myself. I was kicked and beaten very much by Compeignant and others there

William Abraham
Made

Taken before me this day of *September* 1871

[Signature]
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

William Abraham

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 *Sept 16* 18 *97* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 18 _____ 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 _____ 18 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 1223 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Bell
286th Elm St.
Wm Abraham

Offence
Assault
felony

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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.

Dated Sept. 16 1881

Hogan Magistrate.

Jm Regan Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 500 to answer

James
Sept 16



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 Abrahams

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

William Abrahams

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

The said William Abrahams

late of the City and County of New York, on the sixteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

George Bell

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully did make an assault; and the said William Abrahams

with a certain knife which he the said

William Abrahams

in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, him, the said

George Bell then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab, bruise and wound, against the form of the statute

in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Re Lansey Nicoll, District Attorney

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Ahearn, George

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Plunket, Peter

DATE:

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Witnesses:

John King
Chas. Oulson

Counsel,

Filed

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11 day of *Sept*

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

George Ahern
and *I*

Peter Blumbeck

Burglary in the Third Degree.
[Section 498, 504, 525, 526, 527.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

M. J. LeBerry

Foreman.

Sept 14/91
Attest

Lead of J. P. ...
No 227 on P3 and P2.
No 1. Ed Ref P3.

Police Court - 4th District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York, }
of No. 328 Avenue A Street, aged 40 years,
occupation Metal - dealer being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No. 426 East 18th Street, 18th Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a One Story Frame
Building and which was occupied by deponent as a Stable
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly prying and
loosening of the staple and lock fastening
and removing a door leading from the yard
into said premises and then opening said
door on the 17th day of August 1899 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:
A quantity of Metal of the value
of about Twenty Dollars
(\$20.00)

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
George Avern and another person
who get arrested and while acting in concert
with each other that at about the hour
of 8 A.M. on the aforesaid day deponent
securely fastened and locked the aforesaid
door leading and opening into said
premises and at about the hour of
1 P.M. on the same day deponent returned
and found said door broken open in
the manner aforesaid and deponent
missed said property and deponent

is informed by John King that he
King saw said defendant Ahern and
said other person (not yet arrested) coming
out of said premises through the
aforesaid door which had been
forcibly opened and said Ahern
was carrying the said property
taking station and carrying
away said property.

Said defendant without charges
said George Ahern and said other
person not yet arrested with having
committed said Burglary and
Larceny and asks that he may
be dealt with as the law may
direct.

Sworn to before me }
this 18 day of August 1891 } Tho. Duncanson
A. Duncanson
Police Justice

Dated _____ 1891 _____ Police Justice

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated _____ 1891 _____ Police Justice

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed

Dated _____ 1891 _____ Police Justice

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of

committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, _____ District, _____
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of
vs.
1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated _____ 1891 _____
Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.
Witness, _____
No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
No. _____ Street,
to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 55 years, occupation John King
427 East 18 Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
March Peddler of No.

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

Sworn to before me, this 18 day of August 1898 } John King

Thomas Demica
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Peter Plunket

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. *Peter Plunket*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *425, E, 95th St, 4 days*

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

*Peter X Plunket
Name*

Taken before me this

19

day of *August* 1897

Ad. Michaels

Police Justice

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Sec. 108-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

George O'hearn 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 O'hearn

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Roseton New York

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

Answer.

No 405 East 18 Street about 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Coach - 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

George O'hearn

Taken before me this

George O'hearn
1891

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 defendant

Georgey Abram

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of fifteen 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 August 18 18 91 W. M. Mulvaney Police Justice.

I have admitted

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

Peter Plunket

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

Dated Aug 19 18 91 W. M. Mulvaney Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 4th District. 1089

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Ammer
1328 Avenue A
George Ammer
Pete Plunket

Offence: *Carrying*

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Dated August 18 1891
Magistrate.

John Deemer Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses: John King
427 No 18 Street.
John Ryan
427 No 18 Street.

No. 1300
\$ 1300



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Can Aug 19. *Ammer*

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

John King

of No. 427 E. 18th Street, aged 35 years, occupation Peddler being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the _____ day of _____ 188

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

Peter Plunket (now here) is the person who this deponent saw in company with George Ahern on the 14th day of August in the act of coming out of the door of the premises no 426 East 18th Street.

John King

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of August 1887

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Thomas Duncan

of No. 328 Avenue A Street, aged 40 years,

occupation Metal dealer being duly sworn deposes and says

that ~~on the~~ day of ~~the~~ 18th

~~at the City of New York, in the County of New York~~ Peter Plunket

(now here) is the person mentioned in deponent's affidavit of the 18th day of August 1891, and charged with having burglarized the premises no 426 East 18th Street - and feloniously taken stolen and carried away therefrom, property of the value of twenty dollars in company with one George Ahern, as deponent verily believes, from the fact that deponent is so informed by John King.

Thos Duncan

Sworn to before me, this 19th day

of August 1891

Police Justice

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against
George Ahearn and
Peter Plunket

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

George Ahearn and Peter Plunket

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

The said *George Ahearn and Peter Plunket, both*

late of the *18th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventeenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* in the *day*—time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *stable* of one *Thomas Duncan*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Thomas Duncan* in the said *stable* 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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

George Ahearn and Peter Plunket

of the CRIME OF ~~Grand~~ *Petit* LARCENY ~~in the second degree,~~ committed as follows:

The said *George Ahearn and Peter Plunket, both*

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

*one hundred pounds of metal
of the value of twenty cents
each pound*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Thomas Duncan

in the

stable

of the said

Thomas Duncan

there situate, then and there being found, in the *stable*
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.

*De Lancey Nicoll,
District Attorney*

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DESCRIPTION:

Allen, Charles

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Varni, William

DATE:

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W. J. Miller

Witnesses:

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In my opinion the evidence in this case is not sufficient to convict defendant Varric, I recommend the dismissal of the indictment as to Varric.

Oct 6/91 C. M. Dant Ant

Counsel, Filed 23 day of Sept 1891

Plead *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE vs. Charles Allenx and William Varric

Attorney

DR LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

Recd 5.01 1891
F Oct 6/91

A TRUE BILL.

M. J. O'Berry Foreman.

Oct 6/91

Chas. Speed & Lemuel G. V. ...

1892 S. P. 2 yrs. 6 mos
on record of District
Circuit. Chas. P. M.

Burglary in the Third Degree. [Section 498, *Revised Code*]

The People
vs

Charles Allen

Court of General Sessions. Part 1
Before Judge Martine. Oct. 6th 1891
Jointly indicted with Wm. Varni
for burglary in the third degree.

William J. Curtis, sworn and examined
I live at No. 59 Cherry street and am a
bar tender at No. 77 Centre street. I attend
bar for the firm of Millins and Ornera
on the north west corner of North and Centre
streets. On the 23^d of August I was engaged
in business there as a bar tender. I
closed the saloon that night five minutes
to twelve o'clock; all the doors and win-
dows were secured. There are four lights
over the doors; there is a fan light on
the North street door and it leads directly
to the saloon. I should judge it is three
feet square; it was secure when I left
that night by a bar running up and down
and a screw is on the bar. The fan
lights on the other windows were closed and
fastened in the same manner. When
I left the saloon there was about ten dollars
in money there and I should judge about
a thousand dollars worth of cigars and
liquors. I returned to the saloon about nine
o'clock on Sunday evening and found
that the fan light over the North street
door, the screws had been forced out

at the top; the wire was ~~stayed~~ ^{strained} so that the
 fan light could not be closed in a
 proper manner. There was no property
 missing. I saw the defendant the following
 Monday morning at the Tarbs. Had no conversation
 with him. Had never seen him before.
 The fan light is fastened in the centre
 and revolves upon a pivot, and when it
 is opened it leaves a space from the pivot
 to the bottom of the sill of about a foot and
 a half, large enough to admit the body of
 a man; it is on the North street side.

Cross examined. I closed the place myself five minutes
 to twelve o'clock. The fan light entrance is
 about eight feet high from the ground. I
 closed up Saturday night and it was the
 following Sunday evening I went there. I
 left nobody in the store after me that night.
 The other bar tender has a key; he is not
 here in Court; he leaves at seven o'clock in
 the evening and he very seldom comes
 back unless he is wanted: once or
 twice a week, perhaps it may not happen
 once a month. Nobody else has a key.
 Bernard W. Larkin, sworn and examined
 testified. I am an officer of the Sixth Precinct.
 I know this saloon No. 77 Centre St., it is
 on the northwest corner of Centre and

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North streets. I was on duty early in the morning of the 23^d of August last near that place; the North street side of this saloon was on my post. I saw the defendant about four o'clock that morning; there was another man with him who got away. Charles Allen and the unknown man went to the side window of this saloon on North street; there are two windows and one door on that side. They looked in the window; they were there about two minutes; then they walked away and crossed the street. They stood on the opposite corner apparently in conversation and they returned after about two minutes conversation to the same store, but got in the dark side of the storm door. They had been there less than a minute when another man, Mr Varni came along and stood opposite to where they were. It was so dark I could not see what they were doing. I waited about half a minute and heard a noise as though there was something getting forced. I was about seventy five yards away and ran down the street towards them. The unknown man halloed, "cheese it," and ran away. Mr Varni stood there. I caught hold of him and rapped for assistance and assistance came. I told him there was a man

in the store. I could see him drop over
 the fan light. I saw Charles Allen drop over
 the fan light inside of the store. I gave Mr
 Varni over to another officer and got in
 over the fan light; the doors being locked.
 Another officer followed me and we looked
 through the store, but we could not find him
 in the store. We went down to the cellar
 and found Charles Allen behind two ale
 barrels crouched down. I arrested him; the
 first thing he said was not to hit him
 when we ordered him to come out. I told him
 no, I asked him what he done it for, why
 he got in the place? He says, "Don't you give
 me credit instead of touching barrels—
 going round touching barrels?" When he
 was brought out and saw that Varni was
 arrested he said, "you ought to let him go,
 he knows nothing about it, he is an
 innocent man. Is that the Varni you
 have reference to (pointing to Varni)?"
 I had no conversation with him. I searched
 him and found nothing on him. The fan
 light was open as wide as it could be
 I saw the iron rod in the fan light
 was bent. The premises are in the Sixth ward.
 Cross Examined. It is a large fan light and
 one could easily go through it. It is fully

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eight feet from the ground. I was boosted up by the other officers. I should judge the opening over the fan light is a foot and a half or two feet and underneath the fan light I should judge nearly four feet wide. I did not go through head first. I got down on my stomach. Before I went in and before assistance came I tried all the doors. I am perfectly sure all the doors were securely locked. The saloon was lighted by gas in the centre of the store. I saw a figure ^{up} ^{of} ^{man} ^{shop} from the fan light inside of the store. I did not see the face of Allen at that time. I found nobody else in there beside this defendant. I searched all over the cellar of Charles Allen, sworn and examined in his own defence testified. I am twenty three years old and am a painter. I have been working in the Obermer Paper Co. I live in 26 Livingston street with my mother. I did not give my right address because I would not have my mother's name disgraced. I have given my right name. I never was arrested before. I was working three days that week, and on the morning of this burglary I was returning home from seeing the Park Row fire. I generally go through Centre St. because it is the nearest way to my home. I was stopped

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by a very high toned gentleman and he asked me would I enter this place, would I open the door for him. He was a stranger to me. I told him, "no." I asked him what business he would have to go into that place? He says, "I have lost my key, I would like you to open and enter the door." I asked him what way I could get in there? He said, you can go into the fan light. I will give you a foot, you can get in." I like a fool - call me nothing else but crazy and insane.

I entered the place, and as I entered it the policeman came and rapped the club I was so frightened and afraid of getting hit with the club. I ran down stairs. I am innocent. I never had any one to lay their hand on me or arrest me before. Did you go into that store for the purpose of committing a burglary? No sir. Did you go in for the purpose of stealing? No. Did you go in there with the intention of helping anyone to commit a burglary? No sir. Was this fan light open at the time? Yes. Did you open it? No. Was it open when you got there? Yes, it was open about two feet.

Cross examined. I gave a wrong address to save

my family from disgrace. My family consists
 of mother, two sisters and a brother. My
 sister lives in Rivington street and my mo-
 ther lives overhead. It would be enough ^{disgrace} to see
 my name in the paper and have
 people call me a thief and one thing
 and another. I gave my right name. It
 lay in my power to give a wrong name
 but I always stick to my own name. Guilty
 or innocent I would have given a wrong
 address. Will you tell us how giving your
 wrong address but your right name could
 possibly save your family from disgrace?
 There is more Allens than one; they
 would not know that I was the Allen
 that was arrested. I live in 26 Rivington St.
 and always lived home and worked hard
 for my mother. Since I have been arrested
 she has been to see me; she is in Court
 I was working all summer and stopped
 about the 6th of August because work was
 very slack. There are no gentlemen in
 Court connected with the company I worked
 for. I worked for Charles Smith a wagon
 painter in Fintenth street between 10th
 and 11th avenue. I do not know if he
 is in Court. I was arrested on the 23^d
 of August and have been in the Tombs
 ever since. My mother has been to see

me two or three times. My brother is not in New York; my sister has been to see me once. I have not had counsel. My mother and sisters have not done anything to get people here to speak about my character. What did you mean by saying to the officer when he arrested you, as he has testified, Don't you give me credit for this rather than running around touching bums? I only said to that officer, "Don't hit me." That is false. I heard him say that, but it is false. I did not say anything like that. I did not refer to it at all. I never had any trouble with the officer before this. I don't know what became of the man who asked me to go through the fan light. I was arrested in the place. He appeared to be a man 28 or 29 years old and was sober. I had perfect confidence in him. I heard the officer say that I looked through the window of the saloon before I went in, but I did not. I was not drunk. The man told me he would give me 25 cents for going in.

Georgiana Allen, the mother of the defendant testified that he had never been arrested before this and always lived at home.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of attempt at burglary.

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Testimony in the
case of
Charles Allen
filed Sept. 1941

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Police Court - District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

William F. Curtis

of No. 59 Cherry Street, aged 27 years,
occupation Bartender being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 77 Centre Street, 6 Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a large six story brick
building and the ground floor
and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor saloon
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly forcing the
body in over the fire light on the
West Street side of said building.

on the 22 day of August 1891 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Wines, Liquore and Segare of the value
of about \$500.

the property of Messrs Murray and Wilkins by whom deponent is employed
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
Charles Allen and William Vanni and
one other person not arrested.

for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent securely fastened
and locked the door and all exits to said
premises on Sunday August 23rd at 12.00
A. M. He is informed by Officer Bernard W.
Larkin of the 1st Precinct that he found
the defendant Allen in said premises
about 4. A. M. Sunday August 23rd 1891,
previous to finding the said Allen in said
premises the said Larkin further informs

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deponent that he saw the said Allen in company with the said Verni and one other person unknown to said Larkin and not yet arrested. When the said Larkin got to said premises the said Allen dropped from the front light to the inside of the store and said Verni was on the outside. The other man (unknown) ran away. Wherefore deponent charges the said Allen and Verni with acting in concert with each other and the unknown man and he further charges them with Burglary.

William H. Curtis
Deponent

Sworn to before me this
24th day of August 1891

[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
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of
the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated _____ 1891
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated _____ 1891
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated _____ 1891
Police Justice.

Police Court, _____ District, _____
THE PEOPLE, et al.,
on the complaint of _____
vs.
1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
Dated _____ 1891
Magistrate, _____
Officer, _____
Clerk, _____
Witness, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
No. _____ Street, _____
to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 22 years, occupation Police man of No. 15th Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of August 1899, } Bernard W. Larkin

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

F. J. ... District Police Court

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William Varnit 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 Varnit*

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. *22 Mulberry 15 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Glass Painter*

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*
William Varnit

Taken before me this

day of

Sept 9 1891

Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Charles Allen 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. *Charles Allen*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *408 West 16th St. 4 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Painter*

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*

Chas Allen

[Handwritten initials]

Taken before me this *17th* day of *August* 1891
[Signature]
Police Justice

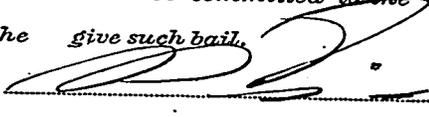
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

Defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of ~~Three~~ *500* 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 *August 24* 18*91*



Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *William Varni*

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *August 26* 18*91*



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 *27* 18*91*

Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William F. Curtis
59 Cherry St

1 Charles Allen
2 William Vanni

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Offence
Larkin

Dated August 24 1891

Divna Magistrate.

Larkin Officer.

h Precinct.

Witnesses Bernard W. Larkin

No. 5th Precinct Street.

No. Street.

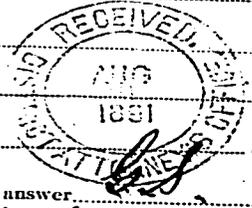
No. Street.

\$ 5.00 to answer

#2. Bailed

Curtis

Aug 25



BAILED.

No. 1, by
Residence Street.

No. 2, by Louis Barano
Residence 31 Mulberry Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Allen
and
William Varni

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

Charles Allen and William Varni

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

The said *Charles Allen and William Varni*, both

late of the *Sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-third* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one* in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit, the *saloon* of one *William F. Curtis*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *William F. Curtis* in the said *saloon* 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.

He Lancy Nicoll,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Anderson, James

DATE:

09/25/91



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Counsel,
Filed *23rd* day of *Sept* 1891
Plents,

Burglary in the Third Degree,
[Section 488, 1891]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Anderson
[Signature]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Corberr
Foreman.

[Signature]
Thos. P. [unclear]
29th Sep 1891

Witnesses
Off. McEneaney
Blk

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Police Court 3 District

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

of No. 149 Goersck John Mohr Street, aged 36 years,
occupation Laborer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 149 Goersck Street, 11 Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a three story frame
building - the second floor of
~~and~~ which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking the
door leading to said apartments from the
Hallway

on the 1 day of September 1891 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Coat, One Vest, and one Gold
pin all together of the value of
Twenty dollars

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
James Andersson (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent is informed by his
wife Louise Mohr that about the hour of
9 o'clock a.m. she securely locked
and fastened the door of said apartments
and the said property was in said apartments
Deponent further says that about the hour
of ten o'clock a.m. he discovered
the door leading to his apartments had been
broken open and found the defendant

in his room - the Defendant ran away and was pursued by Deponent, and caught and arrested by Deponent - at the time of his arrest the Defendant had on his person the said property which Deponent fully identifies as his property - Deponent further says that he found in apartments an Iron Jimmy and Deponent further says that he is informed by Officer McCormick that he found concealed on the person of Defendant, an Iron Jimmy - a Pick lock and a dangerous Knife at the time of his arrest.

John Ellohr

Sworn to before me

this 2nd day of September 1891

[Signature]
Police Justice

Dated _____ 1891

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

Dated _____ 1891

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

Dated _____ 1891

of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Offence - BURGLARY.

Date, _____ 1891

Magistrate, _____

Officer, _____

Clerk, _____

Witness, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

No. _____ Street, _____

§ _____ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William J. McCormick
aged _____ years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. *13*
Police Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *John Mohr*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponent's own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *2* } *William J. McCormick*
day of *Sept* } 189*0*.

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Louise Mohr

aged 26 years, occupation Housekeeper of No.

149 Goerck Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 2 day of Sept 1896, } Mrs Louise Mohr

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Anderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

35 yrs

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Boston, Mass.

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

Answer.

declines to answer

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Shoe cutter

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

James Anderson

Taken before me this

John J. [Signature]

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.....

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

Dated *Sept 2* 18*91* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 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..... 18 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

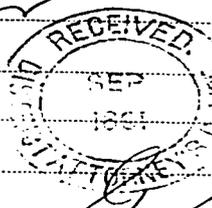
THE PEOPLE &c..
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Mohr
149 Goerck Street
James Anderson

Officer
Burdman

Dated Sept 2 1891
Murray Magistrate.
McCormick Officer.
13 Precinct.

Witnesses Louise Mohr
No. 149 Goerck Street.
Officer
No. Street.
No. Street.
2000 to answer



Signature
P.T.

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Anderson

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

James Anderson

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

The said

James Anderson

late of the *11th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*, with force and arms, in the *day*-time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

John Mohr

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

James Anderson

of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

James Anderson

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

one coat of the value of ten dollars, one vest of the value of five dollars, and one pin of the value of five dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Mohr

in the dwelling house of the said

John Mohr

there situate, then and there being found, from 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.

*W. L. Hancey Nicoll,
District Attorney.*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Anson, William F.

DATE:

09/25/91



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

Witnesses:

Stephen D. Pyles
Lucy F. Davis

J.P. [Signature] 27 122

Counsel,

Filed 25th day of Oct 1891

Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

I
William F. Anson

Perjury.
Section 96, Penal Code

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. [Signature]
Part 2 - Oct. 2, 1892
Tried and acquitted Foreman.

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Police Court 2 District. Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,

William J. Anson

of No. 16 Downing Street, aged 23 years,
occupation Reaman Laborer being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 7 day of September 1891 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the day time, the following property, viz:

a draft on Presel
Moyan & Co payable to the order
of deponent, of the value of ninety
six dollars and seventy six cents,
\$ 96.76

the property of deponent

Peoples in evidence 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 Stephen D. Pyles (now here) under the following circumstances: On said
date deponent went to the store of defendant at the corner of Front Street and Coenties
slip, at 19 Coenties slip, and defendant was in the store, and saw the defendant
there, and deponent asked the defendant to cash the ~~said~~ draft and the defendant
said he had not money enough to cash the said draft, defendant then paid deponent
twenty dollars which defendant owed deponent being money which deponent had left
in the custody of defendant on the previous day, and the said twenty dollars had
no relation to the said draft, and was not part of it. Deponent then left
the store of the said Pyles about

Sworn to before me, this
day of
1891
Police Justice.

the hour of ten o'clock in the morning, and deponent then forgot to take the said draft away with him but left it in the possession of the defendant. Deponent went to the office of Greel Morgan & Co on Monday the 14th of September 1891 for the purpose of collecting the said draft, as deponent did not remember at that time that he had left the said draft in the possession of the defendant, and deponent suffered when he went into the office of Greel Morgan & Co on the 14th of September that he had said draft in his pocket. Deponent made inquiry at the office of Greel Morgan & Co on the 14th of September, and soon thereafter was informed that the said draft had been paid and deponent was then shown the said draft with the name of the defendant Stephen D. Ogden endorsed thereon, and deponent also saw his own name written on the back of the said draft, which had been done by some one without deponent's authority or consent or knowledge, and deponent was then and there informed that the said draft had been paid to the Produce Exchange Bank. Deponent therefore charged the defendant with the larceny of the said ninety six dollars and seventy six cents by feloniously appropriating the said draft to his own use. Deponent has not received any part of the proceeds of said draft, and defendant has refused to pay deponent said proceeds when deponent demanded the same on the 14th of September when defendant claimed he had paid deponent

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
 THIS 19th DAY OF September 1891
[Signature]
 POLICE JUSTICE

[Signature] William J. Anson

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Stephen D. Ogles

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. *Stephen D Ogles*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *42 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Nova Scotia*

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

Answer. *375 A. Sackett St Brooklyn - 11 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Seaman outfitting*

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. *The charge is false. I do not deny receiving the draft, but I have paid the complainant every cent of it, and I have witnesses to show effect*
Stephen D Ogles

Taken before me this

Robert DeWitt
John H. Kelly
1891

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.....

Stephen D. O'Neil

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... *Sept 27* 1891..... *John S. Kelly* Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm F Anson

vs.
Stephen D. Pyles

Office
Laney
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Dated September 19 1891
Kelly Magistrate.

Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Discharged Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ to answer

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Et. Sept. 21. 2 P.m

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street

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Court of General Sessions,
Judges' Chambers,
32 Chambers Street.

New York,

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Pro se

William F Anson

William F Anson



Court of General Sessions,
Judge's Chambers,
32 Chambers Street.

New York, 189

William F. Anson

Geo. F. [Signature]

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William F Anson ^(W.F.)

William F Anson ^(W.F.)

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Statement of
William J. Anson

Engineer in
Charge, Prison

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34 Bleeker St
New York
Dec. 31st 1891

Dear Sir,

I would recommend
respectfully that the
enclosed statement
by William Anson be
considered.

Please excuse my liberty
but I feel strongly
that William Anson
is acting wrongly.
He has been guilty
three months in

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person with no opportunity
to prove his innocence
Yours faithfully
J. H. Gillman
Episcopal Church
Chaplain

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(A) was written
by Anson in the
presence of
Capt. Morrison

(B) was written
by Anson in the presence
of Clerk of Judge
Jacey's court
Mr. A. Skinner and
Thos. D. Roubant.

Both acknowledged
by Anson Sept. 21 before
Judge Keller

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

Please send me the Papers in the Case of

PEOPLE

vs.

[Faint handwritten text, possibly names and dates]

District Attorney.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

I have been left
 looking up over
 mountains and have
 been down to see
 the bottom of
 the lake in
 Room. They want
 me to be with
 them at night
 and be with
 them in the
 morning.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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TO THE CHIEF CLERK.

Please send me the Papers in the Case of

PEOPLE

vs.

.....
District Attorney.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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7/11/15 (1) City Mission
D. J. [unclear]
P.O. Box 705

Dear Sir

The statement of my case is that I left an American ship in London & that my wages were not paid to me. I had a check in my own name that I brought from London for £50 in value. The check was payable to no one but my wife's money was wages from my wife. The United States Consul in London after he paid me off from my ship he sent me a letter from the American Consulate in London Street London. The name of the bank is Pressel & Morgan and I had the amount of £50 in the bank. The amount of £50 is a number of money &

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Took a check to draw my money in on one until this time when I came ashore from the steam boat. I then had the rest of my money changed in I and after my ^{or wages} ~~travels~~ was paid and after expenses I had left beside my check. It is a note that was the way I got my money now I do not know a great deal about New York I follow the sea for a living at you the longest stay in New York is 3 to 4 weeks at a time and then I go to sea again and I have good recommendations and discharges from every ship I have been in, the man that had me arrested on this false charge I know him he keeps a clothing store in front street I used to trade with this man years ago buy clothes from him every time I came to New York and he has never played any crooked game

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until this time when I came ashore from the steam boat. I went to his man store and ask him how was shipping because he is in the shipping trade and he said it was good and that one of my old Captains was here I then ~~asked~~ ^{took} him ~~to~~ he could get me a room to hire and he said yes as he got me one before when I was here before he then ask me if I had any money and I told him yes I had 50 in my pocket but did not tell him about the check so he said if you are going up town to night you had better have some of your money with you because use you may need it so I said all right and I did not go out of the room kept so he then sent a boy with me to see the room in the hotel so I was in the room with the man and I took 50.

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took a bank to draw my money in on one until this time when
New York. When he had the ^{money} I came ashore from the Steamboat
my money ^{was} ⁱⁿ ^{my} ^{hand} and ^{of} ^{the} ^{same} ^{day} I sent to his man store and ask
my ^{man} ^{to} ^{take} ^{it} ^{and} ^{ask} ^{him} ^{how} ^{was} ^{shipping} ^{because}
expensive. I have ^{to} ^{pay} ^{my} ^{share} ^{of} ^{the} ^{shipping} ^{trade} ^{and} ^{he} ^{is} ⁱⁿ ^{the} ^{shipping} ^{trade} ^{and} ^{that} ^{the}
bank. He says that was the he said it was good and that the
way I do not know now. I do not of my ^{old} ^{partner} ^{was} ^{here}
I have a deal about ^{the} ^{bank} ^I ^{know} ^{that} ^{he} ^{could} ^{not}
I believe the man is a living eyes we are now to hire and he said yes
the longest stay in New York as he got me one before when I was
is to 4 weeks at a time, and then he began he then ask me if I
go to see again and I have had any money and I told him
good recommendations and dis- you had to see and but did not
charges from every ship I have tell him about the check so he said
been in the man that had me if you are going up town to night
invested on this false charge. I will had better have done of
know him he keeps a circulating your money was with me. He
in front street I used to make use of on my way in. It so I said
with this man 20 years ago buy all right and I told him to get
clothes from me every time I of his and kept so he then sent
came to New York and he has a boy with me to see they soon in
never played any more. I had gone with the man and I look at it

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of my pocket and found for the
room and my ~~and~~ the boy went
to the store and I gave him
25 for his bubble and I then went
to a theatre that night it was on a
patented an eight 50¢ at after sleep
the theatre I met my cousin and
he told me to come and stay with
him but I had already had a
my room so I had to go
right and went to my room
and slept there that night it
was the other night I stayed in
the room of an I was then
used to that and started when he
was told on Monday when he was
labor day I went to his money
and he asked him for the 25 I
left ~~for~~ ^{the} him on Saturday night
and he gave it to me and then
made me sign a receipt for
the money I did not know what
he wanted a receipt for but he

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People of B

said it was all right. When asked
him if he could cash a check for
me and he said he would see to
that. He took the check from me and went
behind the counter with it and
said he could not cash it. It was
all right this was before I asked
him to cash the check. He then came to the
and commenced talking about
shipping and other things. I told
him I was counting on
to go to the office up and put
them in my pocket and went on
with me. He then returned the
check and I never gave it to him
yet so when we got through talking
I told him to get by till up
it will be remembered this was
Lubbock, Texas and the bank was
closed and the check was not cashed.

0204

(67)

I got it from Mr. Bantz in
London. I did not endorse it
after I gave him goodby I went
home to my room and told him
and he said to me it is no use
to have your money because
you have got enough now to
use you a while I said all
right thinking my check was
safe in my pocket about a week
after that I mind I never look
for my check in that time.
I thought it was all right I
went down to the bank to draw
my money and when I got there
I looked for my check and it
was not there I then thought I
left it home but the second man
that struck me and I ask the
cushier if any body had found
my check and he said he had
said he would look to me

Book

(7)

over the books and the one that
 the check had been cashed I saw
 him by whom and he brought
 a bill of checks and showed me
 it there was my name on it
 and his name on it &
 the position exchange bank
 I asked him if he had run it
 through the produce exchange
 Bank first then I remembered
 he did not give me back my
 check I told the cashier it was
 a forgery and that the check
 belonged to me I brought it
 from a doctor he told me with
 that if it was a forgery the
 produce exchange bank would
 have to pay it back to them
 he told me that I was god down
 and on the man and so I was
 with the money the money would
 be paid but he refuse to pay it

(2)

He claims that he checked the
 check for me and he had
 proof I said it was his. He
 told me that if I did anything
 about it he would send me
 (unclear) was a man
 I made him good by and
 a summons taken out for
 him up at Jackson. He
 had some money and a lot
 of men I never seen before he
 said was witness the case
 was tried in front of
 and decided it and let
 I could get it. He
 is my he made a
 kind of a sum of money
 but he up for having the
 claims he took the check &
 I claim he did not I am
 guilty of the charge and wish
 do not see any I could
 like a New York

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Pay to the order of

N^o 631 **London** 21st Aug^r 1891 \$96 ⁷⁶/₁₀₀

On Demand pay to the order of
William F. Anson Esq
the sum of Ninety six Dollars & seventy six cents



value received which please to account as advised.

To Mess^{rs} Drexel, Morgan & Co.
New York.

Morgan & Co



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No. 1.

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District Attorney's Office.

Part 3.

PEOPLE

vs.

Wm. J. Anson

Perjury

~~Comp.~~
Comp. S. D. Pyles and
Guy T. Davis served
personally. the rest
given to comp. to
serve. for Oct 12/91

served Oct 5/91

H. W. S.

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Depts 5-1 for idm
William F. Anson, S.F.H.

Depts 5-1 for idm
William F. Anson, S.F.H.

*Written by
depts 5-1 for idm*



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William F Anson *Wm F Anson*

William F Anson *Wm F Anson*

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William L. Brown Peop. D. M. - engine
W. L. B.

~~Stephen D. Oyles~~

~~W. L. B.~~

(B)

N. Y. General Sessions

The People vs
 - vs -
 William F. Anson }

Sir.
 You will please take notice
 that upon all the papers and
 proceedings in this action we
 shall move this Court at
 Part I thereof in the Court
 House in the City of New York
 on Friday January 6th 1892
 at the opening of the Court
 on that day or as soon
 thereafter as counsel can be
 heard for an order dismissing
 the indictment against defend-
 ant for want of prosecution
 and that he be discharged from
 custody on a day fixed for
 trial of this action.

Dated N. Y. January 6th 1892

Yours &c

By *Hyman & Feinshman*

To *Delaney Mitchell*
 Dist. Atty

Lefty Atty
 150 Nassau Street
 New York City

N. Y. Co.

N. Y. City Court

The People vs

- vs

Wm. F. Anson

Notice of Motion

Hyman v. Steingold

Depts. of Justice

100 Nassau St

N.Y.C.



do delay made by

Asst. Atty. Gen.

N. Y. Co.

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Police Court 7 District.

City and County } ss.
of New York.

of No. 375 A. Duck St. Brooklyn Street, aged _____ years,
occupation Seaman outfitter being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 19th day of September 1891, at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, one William F. Anson

Stephen J. Pyle

did willfully and knowingly after having
been duly sworn as a witness in
the matter of the complaint of
William F. Anson against Stephen
J. Pyle this deponent, falsely swore
and declare that he paid
Anson on the 7th day of Sep-
tember 1891 fail to receive from
deponent the amount of a
certain draft or bill of exchange
which he had delivered to deponent
amounting to the sum of \$96.26
(Ninety six dollars and twenty six
cents) and that he never received
any part of said draft and that
he never endorsed the same
while in truth and in fact
deponent had cashed said draft
for him on September 5th 1891
and paid him the full amount
thereof at the time deponent re-
ceived said draft from him;
and that said false deposition and
statement was so made by said
Anson was material to the issue
in said complaint and on the
hearing thereof. And that said
Anson in making said statement
was guilty of willful perjury and
deponent charges him with will-
ful and corrupt perjury in
making said deposition aforesaid.

SWORN TO before me
this 19th day of September 1891
John J. Kelly
POLICE JUSTICE.

Stephen J. Pyle

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. William J. Anson

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Demenara

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

Answer. 16 1/2 Downing St - 1 week

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Seaman

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. What I have sworn to is the truth. Compliment did receive the draft and in return I never received value for the same. I never endorsed the draft.

William J. Anson
Per G. G. [Signature]

[Signature]

Taken before me this

1891

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.....

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

Dated *Sept 21* 18*91* *John S. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18..... 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.....18..... Police Justice.

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Room 281
Stewart Building

Police Court--- 7 District 1249

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Stephen Pyle
37 E. Beekmant St.
Wm. J. Ryan

Office
Sergant

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Witnesses for the
Capt. Kelly
James Thompson
19 Court St.

Dated Sept 21 1911

Kelly Magistrate.

_____ Officer.

_____ Precinct.

Witnesses Guy F. Davis

No. 19 Court St.

Robert Pyle

No. 37 Court St.

Chapman Morrison

No. 19 Court St.

\$ 1,000 to answer

Subpoena
Charles Whittier
42 Beekmant St



People
 v.
 arson

List of Witnesses

Stephen D. Pyle, outfitter,
 19 Counties Slip, New York

Guy Davis, clerk,
 19 Counties Slip, New York

Robert Pyle,
 37 Front St. New York

Spencer DeVan Bokkelen, handwriting,
 71 Broadway New York

Davis, teller in bank
 of ~~Drexel~~ Morgan & Co

1 Broad St. New York

Morrison, sea captain,

Pier 11 on board bark ~~Peerless~~

John H. Tierney, bank clerk - in bank
 of ~~Drexel~~ Morgan & Co

Maurice Daly, hotel clerk,

10 South St. New York

Charles Wpher, boarding house keeper

42 Baxter St. New York

~~Hompson, sea captain,~~

on board bark "Peerless"

(Puskerton Detective)

Exchange Place

G.S.D.

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People

Dr.

Auxon

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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 F. Anson

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

indictment accuse *William F. Anson*

of the crime of *Perjury,*

committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: *on the nineteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, the said William F. Anson, late of the City and County of New York, at the City and County of New York, did personally appear before me, John E. Kelly, Justice of the Peace, then and now being one of the Justices of the Peace of the said City of New York, duly appointed and qualified, and did then and there produce and exhibit to and lay before the said John E. Kelly, Justice of the Peace, a certain indictment in writing to wit: the said William F. Anson did knowingly and unlawfully and feloniously commit the crime of grand larceny*

in the second degree, the same being then and there
sworn to by the said William F. Anson, and there and there
before the said John E. Kelly, Esquire, and Police Justice
as aforesaid, and the said William F. Anson

was then and there in due form of law
sworn, and did take his corporal oath,
try and before the said John E. Kelly
Esquire, Police Justice as aforesaid,
knowingly and concerning the truth of the
matters contained in the said information
in writing, and the said John E. Kelly
Esquire, as said Police Justice as
aforesaid then and there having full and
competent power and authority to administer
the said oath to the said William F. Anson
in that behalf.

And having so sworn as aforesaid,
the said William F. Anson, upon his oath
aforesaid, in and by his said information
in writing, before the said John E. Kelly
Esquire, and Police Justice as aforesaid,
voluntarily, knowingly, and
conscientiously did falsely swear, depose
and say, among other things, in substance
and to the effect following, that is to
say:

That on the seventh day of September
in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, there was feloniously taken,
stolen and carried away from his possession,
in the day time, the following property,

morning, and in leaving a draft to take
 the said draft away in the train, but left
 it in the possession of the said Herbert
 C. C. on Monday the 11th day of
 September in the year aforesaid in the
 said William T. Huron went to the
 office of the said Dresser Storage &
 for the purpose of collecting the said
 draft, and that he did not remember
 that he had left the same in the possession
 of the said ~~William T. Huron~~ Herbert C. C., and
 supposed that he had the same in his
 pocket. That he did not know the said draft
 at the office of the said Dresser Storage &
 he saw his own name written on the back
 thereof, and that his name had been so
 written thereon by some one without his
 authority or consent or knowledge; that
 he had not received any part of the proceeds
 of the said draft.

Whereas in truth and in fact
 on the said seventh day of September
 in the year aforesaid, at the City and
 County aforesaid, the said draft was
 not indorsed by the said Huron and
 carried away from the possession
 of the said William T. Huron, in the
 day June, and the said William
 T. Huron did not then have a probable
 cause to suspect, and did not then suspect

that the said property was deposited
 to him, to him and carried away by the
 said Stephen D. Page under the circum-
 stances aforesaid; and whereas in truth
 and in fact the said Stephen D. Page
 did not on the said last mentioned day,
 upon being asked by the said William
 F. Anson to cash the said draft, in the
 said store, say that he had not money
 enough to cash the same; and the said
 Stephen D. Page did not then pay to
 him the said William F. Anson twenty
 dollars which he had on the previous day
 left in the custody of the said Stephen
 D. Page; and the said William F. Anson
 did not thereupon leave the said store,
 or the vicinity about the door of the store
 in the morning, and in leaving did not
 attempt to take the said draft away in
 truth; and whereas in truth and in fact
 on Monday the 14th day of September in
 the year aforesaid the said William
 F. Anson did not go to the office of the
 said Drexel, Morgan & Co for the purpose
 of collecting the said draft, but at that
 time well knew that he had left the same
 in the possession of the said Stephen D. Page

on the said seventh day of September in
 the year aforesaid, and did not suppose
 that he had the same in his pocket;
 the name of ^{him} ~~him~~
 and the said William F. Anson, ^{so} being
 with or the said draft at the time he was
 shown the said draft at the office of the
 said Drexel Morgan & Co, ~~and~~ was not
 so written thereon by some one without
 his authority or consent or sanction,
 but was written thereon by himself, and the
 the said William F. Anson had received
 the entire proceeds of the said draft: all
 of which he the said William F. Anson
 then and there well knew.

And so the said young Anson
 do say, that the said William F. Anson,
 in manner and form aforesaid, feloniously,
 knowingly, wilfully and corruptly did
 commit willful and corrupt perjury;
 against the form of the Statute in
 such case made and provided, and
 against the peace of the People of
 the State of New York, and their
 dignity.

De Lancey Mill,
 District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4130

DESCRIPTION:

Arena, Thomas

DATE:

09/14/91



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Witness:

Hyman Minto
Ed Douglas
12th Ave

Counsel,
Filed *14* day of *Sept* 1891
Plends, *August 15*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Arma

Attorney at Law
Grand Larceny Degree.
[Sections 528, 537 — Penal Code.]

DE LANCEY NICOLL,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. Berry
23 Sept 17. 1891 Foreman.
Tried and acquitted

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Police Court

3-1

District.

Affidavit-Larceny.

City and County } ss:
of New York,

Nyman Moritz

of No. 1 Attorney Street, aged 22 years,
occupation Peddler being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that on the 7 day of August 1891 at the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously ^{attempted to be} taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in
the night time, the following property, viz:

Two push Carts valued at
Twenty eight 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 Thomas Arena (now here)

and one other person not yet arrested
for the reasons following to wit

On said date the Deponent had in front
of his residence no 1 Attorney Street
the said property with a number of
other push Carts. Deponent heard a
noise and looking out of his window saw
the Defendants breaking the chain by which
the carts were connected.

Deponent shouted "Police" and the said
Defendants ran away. Deponent
is informed by Officer Dougherty of the 12th
Precinct that he saw the Defendant
running through Division Street and arrested
him. Deponent further says that he fully identified the
Defendant as one of the persons who was breaking said chains
Thyoman Moritz

Sworn to before me this
12th day of
August 1891
at New York
Police Justice

0230

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William J. Dougherty

aged _____ years, occupation *Police officer* of No. _____

17 *Precinct* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Hyman Masatz*

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

Sworn to before me, this *8* day of *August* 189*9*, *Wm J Dougherty*

[Signature]
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT 3 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Thomas Arena

On Complaint of Hyman Maratz
For Attempted Larceny

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

Dated August 8 1891

[Signature]
Police Justice.

Thomas Arena
his
mark

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Arena 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 Arena*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Greece*

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

Answer. *Baxter St 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Peddler*

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*
his
Thomas X Arena
mark

Taken before me this

day of

[Signature]
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.....

Defendant

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

Dated *August 8* 18 *91*..... Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18..... 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..... 18..... Police Justice.

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Police Court --- 3 District. 1079

~~Not Guilty~~

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Hyman Morab
Attorney Street
Thomas Arena

Attended
Officer
Lacey

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Dated *August 8 1891*

Duffy Magistrate.

Dougherty Officer.
12 Precinct.

Witnesses *Officer*
No. _____ Street.

Ad. Tice
No. *14* Street.

No. _____ Street.
\$ *300*



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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.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Thomas Arena

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse

Thomas Arena

of attempting to commit the crime of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the second degree committed as follows:

The said

Thomas Arena

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

two fresh carts of the value of fourteen dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Hyman Marantz

then and there being found, then and there feloniously did attempt 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.

De Linsey Nicoll, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

4130

DESCRIPTION:

Arnisted, David

DATE:

09/21/91



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John

Witness:

Orlando Johnson
George A. Ford

Counsel:

[Signature]
day of *[Signature]* 189

Filed

Placed

[Signature]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

David Armstrong

Grand Larceny *[Signature]* Degree.
[Sections 528, 530 & 532 Penal Code.]

DELANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.

[Signature]
[Signature]

A True BILL.

[Signature]

Foreman.

all done to Part I 157 of Sept 24 1891
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not by Complainant
at No 262 West 42nd St
City of New York
66 Broadway Office
of the District and County
of New York } ss.

4th District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

of No. Scranton Pa Street, aged 45 years,
occupation Coal operator being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 28th day of August 1891 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:

Team of horses, of
the value of
One thousand (1000) 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 David Aristed (now here) for the

reasons following to wit: Deponent says
said horses were left in the care of William
S. Brooks, of 172nd Street and Jerome Ave
Mount Eden Park, and was informed
by said William S. Brooks, that on said
date said property was missed.

Deponent further says - he is
informed by George A. Field, Bro. 160
East 129th Street, that on August 28th
he purchased a horse from defendant
and which horse deponent identified
as his property.

Deponent further says - he is
informed by William - Wick, of No.

Sworn to before me, this
day of
1891
at New York
Police Justice.

60 was West 38th Street, that on September
 4th he purchased a horse, which defendant identified
 as his property. Defendant further says - defendant
 was arrested by Officer William H. Barrett
 of the 22nd Precinct on Sept 5th and
 that said George A. Field and Andrew
 Nick, identified defendant, and that they
 are defendants and said Officer's presence,
 as being the identical man, from whom
 they had purchased said horses in the
 manner aforesaid, and defendant is
 informed by said Officer, that de-
 fendant admitted to him, that he did
 on said date, steal said horses from
 Wood's Mount Eden Farm, and sell
 the same.

Wherefore, defendant charges de-
 fendant with feloniously taking, stealing
 and carrying away said property from
 defendant's possession.

Sworn to before me this 6th day of Sept 1913

Orlando J. Johnson

Notary

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

George A. Feld

aged *38* years, occupation *Printer* of No.

164 East 129th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Orlando S. Johnson*

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

Sworn to before me, this *6th* day of *Jan* 18*91* } *George A. Feld*

W. M. Mahlon
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

Andrew Wick

aged 21 years, occupation Merchant of No.

112 West 38th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Orlando S. Whisen

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

knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 6 day of Sept 1891

Andrew Wick

[Signature] Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

William H. Barrett

aged 22 1/2 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Orlando S. Whisman

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

Sworn to before me, this

6

day of

April 1897

William H. Barrett

W. W. ...

Police Justice.

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(1895)

Sec. 108-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. David Arnisted

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Scotland

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

Answer. 2110 Grand Boulevard - 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. pauper

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.

David Arnisted

Taken before me this

day of

1891

John J. ...

Police Justice.

[Faint, illegible handwritten notes or scribbles at the bottom of the page.]

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Notify complainant
at No. 262 West 42nd St
40 W. Molony

Police Court--- District. 1175

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Orlando S. Johnson
vs.
David Arnsted

Office
Frank Harvey

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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.

Dated Sept 6th 1891

W. Malin Magistrate.

Wm H. Barrett Officer.

22nd Precinct.

Witnesses Said Officer

George A. Field Street.

164 East 129th St

Andrew Wick Street.

212 West 38th St

William J. Brooks Street.

3000 to answer E.S.

Return 27th Mar 38

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ATTORNEYS

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District Attorney's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Dec 3 1892

CAPTAIN OR OFFICER IN COMMAND.

Dear Sir:

I desire to see Officer *J. M. J.*
Barrett attached to your command in
Co. 101 in relation to the case of
David Armstrong
sentenced *Sept 29/92* to *2*
years and *2* months imprisonment by
Judge T. G. ...

Please ask the officer to bring such information in relation to the case, and as to the previous record of the prisoner, as he may be enabled to obtain.

Yours truly,

HENRY W. UNGER,

Deputy Assistant and Secretary to the District Attorney.

0247

OFFICE:
2345 TENTH AVENUE,
Near 130th Street.

D. F. O'MAHONEY,
HOUSE, + SIGN + AND + FRESKO + PAINTER.

New York, Sept. 23rd 1891

Hon. Judge Fitzgerald

The man named David Blumstein
on trial before you has been a neighbour
of mine for one year and I have always
found him very straight and a man
of very good character I have never known
him to be in any trouble before and if
this his first offence I hope you will be
as lenient as you can for the sake of his
wife and baby of three weeks

Remain yours
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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

David Arnsted

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this
indictment, accuse *David Arnsted*

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

The said *David Arnsted*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *28th*
day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
ninety-one, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*two horses of the value of
five hundred dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Orlando S. Johnson*

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.

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said *David Arnisted*

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

two horses of the value of five hundred dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Orlando S. Johnson

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

Orlando S. Johnson

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

David Arnisted

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.

DE LANCEY NICOLL,

District Attorney.