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**FOLDER:**

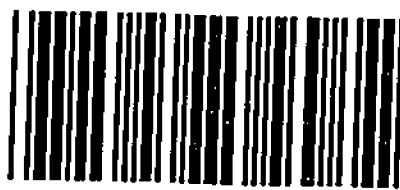
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wagner, Leonard

**DATE:**

11/22/88



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Witnesses,

*off Klein*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

188

Pleads,

*Myself (203)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Leonard Wagner*

[Section 508 of the Penal Code.]  
*Refusing Burglars' Bonds.*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*Not 28-12-1888*  
District Attorney.

*Pr. Dec 5, 1888.*

*Arrest & acquitted.*

**A True Bill.**

*Alfred Macclay*

Foreman.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.POLICE COURT—3rd DISTRICT.31 years  
of the 14 Precinct Police Julius Klein agedStreet, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says that on the 4 day of November 1888at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at the house of 8, 0'clock

at night time, deponent saw about 6 Boys on the North East corner of 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue in company of each other, when deponent heard some heavy instrument drop, and all Boys run away. Deponent found a burglary instrument at said corner known as a Jimmy and is used for the commission of Burglary and Larceny. Deponent pursued said Boys and was unable to find any of them that at the expiration of about 15 minutes Henry Henrich of No 609 East 12<sup>th</sup> Street came to said corner and searched for said instrument. Deponent arrested said Henry Henrich who informed deponent that he was sent for said Jimmy by one known as Dutchy who informed him at the time that Leonard Wagner (brother) had dropped said Jimmy. That said Wagner acknowledged to deponent that he had said Jimmy in his possession and that he dropped it and that it was given to him by said Dutchy to carry. Deponent therefore charges that

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Sara Wagner. had said Purgatory an  
Instrument, with the intent to use the  
same, in the Commission of Burglary  
and Larceny and in violation of section  
508 of the penal code

Present before me this } Julius J. Kleier  
5 day of March 1888 }  
John P. Morgan  
Police Justice

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRIDA VIT.

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Henry Kounucke*  
aged 15 years, occupation Worker in a Piano Store of No.

609 East 12 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

3<sup>rd</sup>  
1888

*John Kounucke*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Leonard Wagner* 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. *Leonard Wagner*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *14 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *204 Avenue C, 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Varrisher*

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 a young man named ~~definitely~~ give me the Chisell to Casey and I told him I wanted not and I dropped it*

*Leonard Wagner*

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

*John J. McNamee*

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.....

Aguiar  
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 Nov 7 1888 John J. Hornum 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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\$500 bail for Ex  
2 P.M. Nov 7

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

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Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

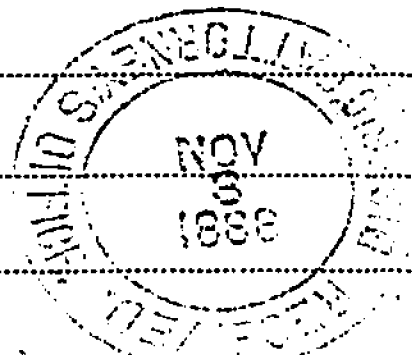
No.

Street.

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to answer

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Offence *Carrying Dangerous Weapon*

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Dr. S. Fischer.  
\* 40 \* Rivington \* Street. \*  
\* NEW YORK. \*

Dec. 1<sup>st</sup>

Hon. District Attorney

Dear Sir,

I herewith transmit  
a report of case of Lewis Polini  
who was stabbed probably by  
Antonio Carro.

A laceration of Skin of left temporal  
region extending one inch downwards  
and into lower portion of left eyeball  
partly piercing it.

I attended him about two weeks  
in all.

Respectfully Submitted,

J. S. Fischer

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

Emmanuel Chapel

727 to 737 Sixth Street.

New York Nov. 30. 1888

Leonard Wagner has been a member of this Sunday School ever since he has been old enough to come. He, his mother & his sister are members of this Church. I have thought he was a good boy, and am surprised to learn of the trouble into which he has fallen. I am told that while he was at work he brought his full wages home to his parents. If he is released I will try to see that he shall do well.

This W. Booth Supt of  
Sunday School  
of Emmanuel Chapel.

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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

Leonard Wagner.

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

Indictment accuse

Leonard Wagner of a mis-  
demeanor

~~of the crime of~~

committed as follows:

The said

Leonard Wagner

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

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

unlawfully  
did have in his possession a certain im-  
plement, to wit: an implement of the kind  
commonly called jimnies, the same being  
then and there an implement adapted, designed  
and commonly used for the commission of  
burglary, under circumstances evincing an  
intent to use and employ the said implement  
in the commission of a crime; against  
the form of the statute in such case made and  
provided, and against the peace of the People  
of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John R. Fellows,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Walker, Charles

**DATE:**

11/02/88



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Witnesses:

*James Raley*  
*Officer Raley*

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

day of

188

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Charles Walker*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Grand Larceny Second degree.  
[Sections 528, 53 / —, Penal Code].

**A True Bill.**

*Samuel Thompson* Foreman.

*Dec. 5/88*

*James Raley*

*Ben 142 - R.M.*

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CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT.

of No. 16 Bowery Street, aged 38 years,  
occupation father being duly sworn deposes and says,  
that on the 2nd day of November 1888

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

formed by Officer Patrick Reagan  
then present that he Reagan saw  
the defendant <sup>Edward Wilson</sup> wilfully and  
maliciously break the plate  
glass windows in defendant's  
premises, by throwing bricks  
through the same, the said  
windows being valued at two  
hundred dollars, defendant's  
property. Jacob Cohen

Sworn to before me, this 2nd day

of

1888

day

W. J. Wilson Police Justice,

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 10th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 2nd  
day of November 1834

Patrick Regan

John Platterson  
Police Justice.

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Police Court— 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 337 East 99th Street, aged 29 years,  
occupation Labourer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 2d day of October 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

One plush  
sewing machine of the value of thirty five  
dollars (\$35)

the property of deponent's wife and then in  
deponent's care

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

Charles Walker (now  
here) for the reason that the  
said property was stolen from  
deponent's residence possession about  
midnight on said date from the  
house No 202 West 35th St  
and deponent is informed by  
William J. Delaney of the 25th  
precinct that he caught the  
defendant in the act of feloniously  
taking the said property from  
said place and arrested him with  
said stolen property in his possession

Daniel Daley

Sworn to before me, this 29  
day of October 1888

William J. Delaney  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation William F. Delany of No. 20th Street

Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Samuel Dely  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

188

William F. Delany  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

2 District Police Court.

Charles Walker 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 Walker

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Halifax

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

Answer.

300 Bowery

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Telegram Room

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

Answer.

I am Guilty

Charles Walker ~~John Roberts~~

Taken before me this

26 day of Oct 1888

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 Stephen

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

Dated Oct 29 188 J. H. [Signature] 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---

1405  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Daniel Daly  
357 vs. E. B. 39  
Charles Walker

Lancery  
felony  
Offence

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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 Oct 29 188

Ford

Magistrate.

Delaney

Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses Jeremiah Murphy

No. 209 W 35- Street.

Patrick Cullen

No. 209 W 35- Street.

John Dwyer

No. 209 W 35- Street.

\$ 500 to answer

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Charles Walker*

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

*Charles Walker*

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

The said

*Charles Walker*

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

*one sack of the value of thirty five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Daniel Daly*

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.

*John R. Fellows,*  
*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3135

**DESCRIPTION:**

Walker, Christopher

**DATE:**

11/22/88



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Witnesses,

*J. Callender*  
*M. J. Lenahan*  
*off Leary*

Counsel,

Filed *22* day of *Nov* 188*8*

Pleads, *Guilty* *23*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Christopher Walker*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

*P2 Dec 19/88*

*Ind. & requested*

A True Bill

*Wm. Macleay*

Foreman.

*Dec. 11 - P. 2*  
*1888*

[Section 96 - 688, Penal Code.]

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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

*Christopher Walker*

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

of the crime of *Burglary in the first degree*,  
as a SECOND OFFENSE, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: at a court of General Sessions of the Peace, holden in and  
for the City and County of New York, at the City Hall, in the said City of New York,

on the *seventeenth* day of *July*, in  
the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *eighty nine*,

before the Honorable *Judge of the said Court*, the said

and Justice of the said Court, the said *Christopher Walker*

by the name and description of *Christopher Walker*

was in due form of law convicted of *the crime of Felony*

to wit: *Larceny*

upon a certain indictment then and there in the said Court depending against him

the said *Christopher Walker*, by the

name and description of *Christopher Walker*

as aforesaid,

*John E. Cunningham and Frank J. Lyons*

for that *they the said John E. Cunningham,*

*Frank J. Lyons and Christopher Walker*

then *each* late of the *Seventh Ward*

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In the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
 — 15th — day of — July — in the  
 year aforesaid, at the Ward, — — City and  
 County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain building  
 there situate, to wit: the store of one  
 John Willoughby, feloniously and unlawfully  
 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 Willoughby, in the said  
 store then and there being, then and  
 there feloniously and unlawfully  
 to steal, take and carry away: also  
 for that they the said John W.  
 Cunningham, Frank Rogers and William  
 Watter, then each of the Ward,  
 City and County aforesaid, did send  
 to wit: on the day and in the year  
 last aforesaid, at the Ward, City and  
 County aforesaid, in the day time  
 of the said day, with force and arms,  
 the characters of the value of twelve  
 dollars and fifty cents each, eleven  
 decanters of the value of fifty cents  
 each, and eleven glass tumblers of  
 the value of ten cents each, of the  
 goods, chattels and personal property  
 of one William W. Beadleston, in  
 the store of one John Willoughby, there

situate, then and there being found,  
 in the store aforesaid, then and there  
 feloniously did steal, take and  
 carry away; and also for that  
 the said John S. Burroughs and Frank  
 Dugan, then each of the Ward  
 of the City and County aforesaid, did send  
 to wit: on the day and in the year  
 last aforesaid, at the Ward, City  
 and County aforesaid, with force and  
 arms, two handkerchiefs of the value  
 of twelve dollars and fifty cents  
 each, seven decanters of the value of  
 fifty cents each and seven glass  
 tumblers of the value of ten cents  
 each, of the goods, chattels and  
 personal property of one William H.  
 Beadleston, by the said Christopher  
 Walker and by certain other persons  
 then lately before feloniously  
 taken, taken and carried away from  
 the said William H. Beadleston,  
 unlawfully and unjustly, did  
 feloniously receive and have; the  
 said John S. Burroughs and Frank  
 Dugan then and there well knowing  
 the said goods, chattels and personal  
 property to have been feloniously  
 taken, taken and carried away. —

And Thereupon, upon the conviction aforesaid, it was considered  
by the said Court of General Sessions of the Peace, and ordered and adjudged that

the said Christopher Walker

by the name and description of Christopher Walker

as aforesaid,

for the Petite Larceny whereof

he was so convicted as aforesaid, be imprisoned in the Penitentiary  
of the City of New York, at hard labor for  
the term of Two months,

as by the record thereof doth more fully and at large appear.

And the said Christopher Walker

late of the Seventh Ward

of the City of New York, in the

County of New York aforesaid, having been so as aforesaid convicted of the

Petite Larceny aforesaid in

manner aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the Eight day of

November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and Eighty, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force

and arms, the dwelling house of one Julia

Schubinger, there situate, feloniously

and unlawfully did break into

and enter, in the night time of

the said day, there being then

and there in the said dwelling house

some human being, to wit: the said

Julia Schubinger, with intent to

commit some crime therein to wit:

with intent the goods, chattels and

personal property of the said Julia

Schuyler, in the said dwelling  
 house then and there being, in  
 the dwelling house aforesaid then  
 and there feloniously and unlawfully  
 to steal, take and carry away, the  
 said Christopher Walker being  
 then and there assisted by a  
 confederate actually present, to  
 wit: by Thomas Powers, William  
 Dunn, and others whose names  
 are to the Grand Jury aforesaid  
 unknown; against the form of  
 the Statute in such case made  
 and provided, and against the  
 peace of the People of the State  
 of New York, and their dignity.

John A. Hellman,

~~District Attorney~~

Witnesses,

*J. Adkins*  
*M. J. Lenahan*  
*off Leary*

Counsel,  
Filed *22* day of *Nov* 188*8*  
Pleads, *Atty. Gen. v. 23*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Christopher Walker*  
[Section 96 - 688, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

*P. 2 Dec 19/88*

*Ind. & requested*

A True Bill.

*W. H. MacLach*

Foreman.

*Dec. 11 - Parker*  
*W. H.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3135

**DESCRIPTION:**

Walker, John

**DATE:**

11/02/88



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Witnesses:

*James M. [Signature]*

*Off Moran*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

188

Pleads,

*Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John Walker*

*Burglary in the Third degree.  
Grand Jurors & second degree.  
[Section 498, 506, 528 and 531.]*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*Pr. Nov 9/88 District Attorney.*

*Pleas. Burg. 3rd.*

*SP. 3 yrs + 3 mo.*

A True Bill.

Foreman.

*Small [Signature]*

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick Moran  
Police Officer of No. 23rd Street being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Samuel Weiss  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 31  
day of October 1888 } Patrick Moran

AJ White  
Police Justice.

0254

Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 896 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Street, aged 50 years,  
 occupation Tailor being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that the premises No. 896 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave Street, 19<sup>th</sup> Ward  
 in the City and County aforesaid the said being a store

and which was occupied by deponent as a store  
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the  
lock and fastenings of a door leading  
from the hallway of the first floor into the store  
occupied by deponent  
 on the 31 day of October 1888 in the night time, and the  
 following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Three overcoats and one pair of pantaloons  
together of the value of thirty 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

John Walker

for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent was informed  
by Officer Patrick Moran of the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
precinct that at about the hour of  
2 Am of said date he arrested said  
Walker in the hallway of said premises  
and that he had a quantity of clothing  
about him and that said door was  
broken as described that deponent  
was summoned and arrested a

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apportion I said stolen goods on  
the person of said Walker and  
also saw said door broken as described

Sworn to before me this 31 day of October 1888

Samuel Weiss

A. Johns

Police Justice

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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.

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

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

1.  
2.  
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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198—200.

14 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*John Walker*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Walker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *MS*

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

Answer. *232 E 33rd St. New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shoemaker*

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

Answer. *I do not wish to make any statement*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*John Walker*  
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 Legendau

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 October 31 188

A. J. White 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--- 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Samuel Weiss  
896<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave  
John Walker

Offence *Carrying*

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Dated *October 31* 1888

*White* Magistrate.

*Moran* Officer.

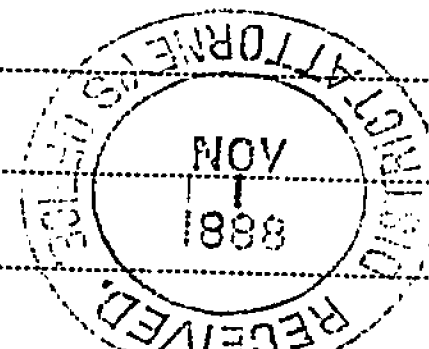
*23* Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.



\$ *157.11* to answer

*Handwritten signatures and notes*

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*

*John Walker*

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

*John Walker*

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

The said

*John Walker*

late of the *Nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirty-first* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *store* of one

*Samuel Weiss*

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

*Samuel Weiss*

in the said *store* 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  
*John Walker*  
 of the CRIME OF ~~Grand LARCENY~~ *in the second degree*, committed as follows:

The said

*John Walker*

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

*three overcoats of the value of  
 nine dollars each, and  
 one pair of trousers of the value  
 of three dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Samuel Weiss*

in the

*store* of the said *Samuel Weiss*

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

*John R. Fellows,  
 District Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wardell, William C.

**DATE:**

11/16/88



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Witnesses:

Officer Kelly  
Lester

1 to 5

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Wardman

Counsel,  
Filed, 16 Nov. 1888

Pleads, *Admittedly* 19  
THE PEOPLE

vs.

ILLEGAL VOTING.

P

William C. Wardell

*W. C. Wardell*  
*Pro Se*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*James MacFarland*  
Foreman.

*Wm. 19/89*  
*Heads Jury*  
D.C. 2 yrs. 4 mo B.M.

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VI.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*Executive Chamber,*  
ALBANY.

November 15, 1889.

Sir:

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of William C. Wardell,----- who was convicted of Illegal Voting, in the county of New York,--- and sentenced Nov. 19, 1888, to imprisonment in the Sing Sing Prison----- for the term of two years and four months,----- I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, as amended in 1884, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts and circumstances developed upon the trial, or upon the preliminary examination, or before the coroner's jury if no trial was had, together with your opinion of the merits of the application. Will you also inform the Governor of any other matters having a bearing upon this case which have come to your knowledge since conviction?

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

I am,

very respectfully yours,

Hon. Randolph B. Martine,  
New York City.

*J. S. Williams,*  
Private Secretary.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.  
*Executive Chamber,*  
ALBANY.

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I am,

very respectfully yours,

Hon. John R. Fellows,  
District Attorney,  
New York City.

*J. S. Williams.*  
Private Secretary.

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forward  
see 19,7889  
J. R. S.

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

POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.

of No. 3d prescient place Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,that on the 6th day of November 1888at the City of New York, in the County of New York, William Q.

Wardell (now Lee) did on the 6th day of November 1888 at a general election held at number 317 Greenwich Street that being the polling place of the 13th election district of the First Assembly district in the City & County of New York, said defendant did unlawfully and wilfully and fraudulently attempt to vote at said election in said place he having no lawful right to vote therein

Sworn to before me  
this 6th day of November 1888 Matthew D. Kelly  
Solomon B. Smith  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

121 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*William P. Wardell* 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

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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*  
*W. P. Wardell*

Taken before me this

*John J. Wardell*  
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.....*

*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* *Mar 6* *188* *Pollock* *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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1939  
District.  
Police Court--

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Officer

Magistrate

Dated 9/26/39

Magistrate

Officer

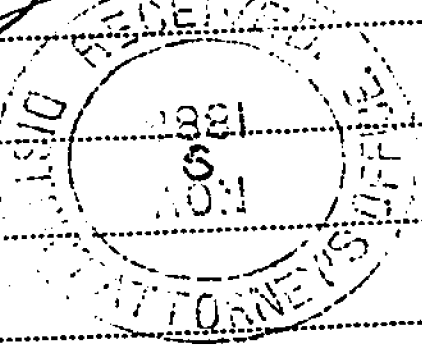
Precinct

James J. Jurek  
Witness

No. Street

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No. Street



No. Street

\$ TO REWARD

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

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Police Court---

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Walter D. Kelly*  
vs.  
*William P. Warpage*

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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 *September 6* 188*8*

*Smith* Magistrate.

*Kelly* Officer.

*2* Precinct.

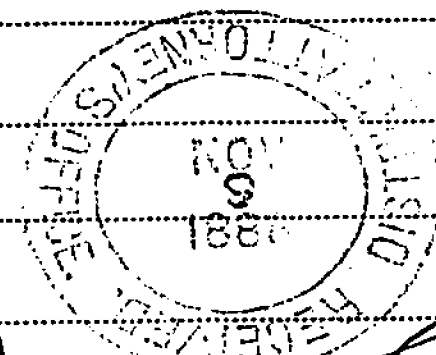
Witnesses *James J. Tuile*

No. *2d Precinct* Street.

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

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

\$ *5.00* to answer *Ed*



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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 D. Wardell*

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

accuse

*William D. Wardell*

of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on Tuesday, the *ninth* day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *eight*, (the same being the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in the said month of November), there was held a general election throughout the State of New York and in the said City and County of New York; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, and at the said election the said *William D. Wardell*, late of the said City and County, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *Seventh* Election District of the *First* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and then and there feloniously did knowingly, willfully and fraudulently *attempt and offer to* vote in the said Election District without having a lawful right to vote therein, to wit: he, the said *William D. Wardell* not having been then and there an inhabitant of the said State for one year, and the last four months a resident of the said County of New York, and for the last thirty days next preceding the said election, a resident of the said Election District: against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Waters, Mary

**DATE:**

11/26/88



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Sullivan, Nellie

**DATE:**

11/26/88



3135

Witnesses;

John Longue  
John Kelly

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Counselman

Counsel,  
Filed 26 day of Nov 188  
Pleads *Chargely - n*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Shary Waters  
and  
Ellie Sullivan  
vs. *John*

Grand Larceny in the 1st degree.  
(MONEY.)  
(Sec. 528 and 530, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

Re 10<sup>th</sup> Sub 2  
1888

A True Bill.

*Wm. Macleay*

Foreman.  
Dec 10 1888.  
Bark. Inca Committed.  
Verdict set aside & new trial  
granted  
By Court & Jury  
Per. Wm. Macleay

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Police Court—1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 171 Broadway N. Jersey City Street, aged 42 years,  
occupation Salesman being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 31 day of October 1888 at the City of NewYork, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and  
from of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

A purser-book containing  
good and lawful money of  
the United States of the  
amount and value of  
Twenty-two dollars & 12/100  
the property of

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

Sullivan (both now here), for the  
reasons following, to wit: at  
about the hour of three o'clock  
on said date as deponent was  
walking along said street having  
the said purser-book in the  
right pocket of the trousers then  
worn by deponent as a portion  
of his bodily clothing when he  
was accosted by the defendants.  
The said Nellie Sullivan pressed  
against deponent whilst the  
said Mary Waters placed her hand  
in the said pocket and took the

Sworn to before me this

1888

Police Justice.

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said person - took out of the  
same. They both ran into a  
liquor store. Repperson is  
informed by John H. Kelly  
that the said de-  
fendant Sullivan came to  
him Kelly on the said date at  
the hour of Ten. O'Clock and  
gave him fifty dollars to run  
for her. Repperson further  
says that when the both  
defendants accosted him they  
asked him for some money  
saying that had none at the  
time.

Sworn to before me } John Byrne  
this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November  
1888

John Patterson  
Police Justice

I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1888  
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 1888  
Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1888  
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

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
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Offence - LARCENY.	
Dated	1888
Magistrate.	Officer.
Clerk.	Witness.
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
No.	to answer
\$	Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Bar tender of No. 102 West 103

Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John Coyne and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 1st

day of November 183 4

John H. Kelly

J. M. O'Leary

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

*Nellie Sullivan* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is h<sup>er</sup> right to  
make a statement in relation to the charge against h<sup>er</sup> that the statement is designed to  
enable h<sup>er</sup> if she see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h<sup>er</sup> that  
she is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h<sup>er</sup> waiver cannot be used  
against h<sup>er</sup> on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer. *Nellie Sullivan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *86 Catharine St. 10 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Domestic*

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*

*Nellie X Sullivan*  
mark

Taken before me this

day of *November* 188*8*

*James J. Sullivan*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

*Mary Waters*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer *Mary Waters*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *25 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *Ireland*

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

Answer *70 Oliver Street; 9 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer *Living out - Domestic*

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.*

*her*  
*Mary Waters*  
*ma*

Taken before me this

day of *Nov* 1888

*McMullen* 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~~ *he* be held to answer the same and ~~he~~ *he* be admitted to bail in the sum of *Five* Hundred Dollars, *each* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until ~~he~~ *he* give such bail.

Dated *Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>* 188 *J. M. 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~~ *h* to be discharged.

Dated.....188 ..... Police Justice.

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Police Court---

1790 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Coyne*  
*117 Brunswick St*  
*James H. H. H.*  
*William Sullivan*  
*Officer*  
*James H. H. H.*

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated *Nov 1* 188

*Paterson* Magistrate.

*Magistrate & Bail* Officer.

*6* Precinct.

Witnesses *John Kelly*

No. *102 West 103* Street.

and *187 Park Row*

No. *Motion Deft*

*Ex*

No. *17* Street.

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*10000* back to Ans.

Gen. Sess. *Conrad*

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE:  
City and County of New York.

The People

against

Mary Waters and Nellie Sullivan  
Indicted for Grand Larceny in the  
first degree.

Indictment filed, November, 1888.

:Before,

:Hon.Hy.A.Gildersleeve

:and a Jury.

Tried, December 10, 1888

APPEARANCES:

Assistant District Attorney, for the People.

Messrs. Buttner & Heintxleman, for the Defence.

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JOHN COYNE, the complainant, testified that he was  
a travelling salesman, and lived in Jersey City. About  
3 o'clock on the morning of the 31st. day of October, he  
met the defendants at 68 Bayard Street. He met them on  
the street. He was walking along Bayard Street and as  
he got near 68 Bayard Street, Waters slipped her hand

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into his pocket. The two women met him in Bayard Street and asked him for some money and he said he had none to give them. They walked along with him for some time and then Mary Waters slipped her hand into his pocket. They walked on different sides of him, each on one side. He had \$72 in a small pocket. He had a \$50 bill; two \$5 bills; and the remainder in single dollar bills. He had the money in his pocket before the women met him. He had been drinking, but not to any extent. Mary Waters slipped her hand into his left trousers pocket. He had a short coat on. He told her she had robbed him. He followed them into a saloon and said he was robbed by the two women and a police officer came along and arrested them. When he made the charge in the saloon, nobody paid any attention to him. The women went into a back room, and he stood there until a police officer came. In their presence he made his complaint to the officer. He didn't hear them make any reply.

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CROSS-EXAMINATION. He testified that he carried on his business all over New York and had his head-

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quarters at 13th. Street and Avenue A. He earned the money that he had in his pocket and he saved it from his salary. He was down town at that hour and was going home. He was a married man. In the Jefferson Market Police Court, when the case was called in the morning after the alleged robbery, it was adjourned, but it was not adjourned because he was so drunk that he could not testify. He was more sleepy than anything else. It was adjourned twice but he didn't know that it was adjourned on both occasions because he was so drunk that he could not testify. He had had the \$50 bill in his pocket for 3 months.

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JOHN KELLY. testified that he was a bar tender at 187 Park Row. He had seen the defendants on the street and they had come into the saloon once in a while. On the morning of the 10th. of November, Detective Murphy came into his saloon and arrested the defendant Sullivan. Before the officer came in, defendant Sullivan gave him, the witness, a \$50 bill to keep. She ordered a drink

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and asked him if he would mind that \$50 bill for her, for the night. His employer told him, after the arrest, to take the bill to the station house. . At the station house, the sergeant told him to keep the bill and he took it to the police court and Judge Paterson gave it to the dectective Murphy.

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CROSS-EXAMINATION He testified that the woman Sullivan had never given him money before to keep. He was not in the habit of taking money from women of her class to keep, because his employer would not allow it, and had told him that he would discharge him if he did it.

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OFFICER JEREMIAH J. MURPHY, testified that he was an officer of the municipal police attached to the 6th. Precinct. He arrested the defendant Mary Waters on the 1st. of November. Officer Crystal got the \$50 bill from Kelly in the Police Court and it was marked so that it would be known again. He arrested Mary Waters at

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Roosevent Street and Park Row. He asked her what she had done with the money and she said she didn't have it. Another officer arrested the defendart Sullivan.

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OFFICER SAMUEL BAILEY, testified that he was an officer of the municipal police of this City. He arrested Mary Waters. Dectective Murphy was mistaken in the name. Dectective Murphy arrested Nellie Sullivan and he, the witness, arrested Mary Waters. He told Mary Waters what the charge against her was and she said that she had nothing to do with the larceny.

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CROSS-EXAMINATION. He testified that he arrested her at 68 Bayard Street, a liquor store. She was searched at the station house. She was sober. She had been drinking but was not drunk. In the police court, the following morning the examination was adjourned on account of the complainant's condition. He was only about half sober.

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FOR THE DEFENCE. MARY WATERS testified that she was drunk a good part of the night and went into the liquor store at 68 Bayard Street. She never saw the complainant until he came into the saloon and he halloed out that he was robbed. She never stirred from her seat until the policemen came in and arrested her. She did not rob him and didn't know who did.

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CROSS-EXAMINATION. She testified that she had known Nellie Sullivan for a long time but didn't see her that night. She was arrested in the morning on November 1st. She had never been in prison for any offence except drunkenness.

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NELLIE SULLIVAN testified that she knew Maryie Waters. That she was not with her on the night of the 31st. of October. She didn't rob the compleinant, or assist anyone esle to rob him.

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CROSS EXAMINATION. She said that she had a \$50 bill of her own. She had saved it from her earnings.

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She was born in Syracuse. She had never been in prison  
except for drunkenness twice, three months ago.

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The People

vs

Mary Waters & Nellie Sullivan

Defendants

John Hyatt & Goldenlaeve  
and a jury

Indicted for Grand Larceny  
in the first degree  
Indictment filed November 1888

Tried, December 10/1888.

to

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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*  
*Mary Waters and*  
*Nellie Sullivan*

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

*Mary Waters and Nellie Sullivan*  
of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE *first* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*Mary Waters and Nellie*  
*Sullivan, both*

*32.* late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirty-first*  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,  
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *night* time of  
the same day, *three* promissory note for the payment of money, being then  
and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of  
the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*;  
*seven* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of  
ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *fourteen* promissory notes for the  
payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States  
Treasury notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*;  
*thirty-six* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and  
of the value of two dollars *each*; *seventy-two* promissory notes for the payment  
of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury  
notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*;  
*three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes),  
being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *seven*  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and  
there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *fourteen* promissory notes for the  
payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied,  
of the value of five dollars *each*; *three* United States Silver Certificates of the

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denomination and value of twenty dollars *each*; *seven* United States Silver Certificate *of* the denomination and value of ten dollars *each*; *fourteen* United States Silver Certificate *of* the denomination and value of five dollars *each*; *thirty* ~~four~~ *six* United States Silver Certificate *of* the denomination and value of two dollars *each*; *seventy-two* United States Silver Certificate *of* the denomination and value of one dollar *each*; *three* United States Gold Certificate *of* the denomination and value of twenty dollars *each*; *seven* United States Gold Certificate *of* the denomination and value of ten dollars *each*; *fifteen* United States Gold Certificate *of* the denomination and value of five dollars *each*; and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *thirty* dollars, and one pocket-book of twenty-five cents

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Coyne* on the person of the said *John Coyne* then and there being found, ~~from the person of the said John Coyne~~ then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3135

**DESCRIPTION:**

Watson, Henry C.

**DATE:**

11/23/88



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Witnesses:

*Philip Thompson*

Counsel,

Filed *23* day of *Nov* 188*8*

Pleads *C. M. Guey-ns*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Henry C. Watson*

Assault in the First Degree, Etc.  
(Firearms.)  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

*Dec 4/11*  
*JOHN R. FELLOWS,*  
*1201 1st St.*

District Attorney.

**A True Bill**

*Walter Macalcey*

Fyremen.

*Dec 4/11*

*Philip Thompson*  
*S.P. 5-11-11*

*B.M.*

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Police Court 2 District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }of No. 4 Congress Street, aged 22 years,  
occupation Truck Driver being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, on Bleeker St. and Cottage Place.he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Henry C.

Watson. (Yonkers) who willfully and  
maliciously pointed and aimed at deponent  
a revolving pistol loaded with powder and  
ball and discharged one shot from  
said pistol at deponent. which said  
shot struck deponent in the left hip  
causing a severe and painful wound.  
Deponent further says that such assault  
was committed

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 13<sup>th</sup> dayof November 1888Philip ThompsonPolice Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Henry C. Watson*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *29 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Washington D.C.*

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

Answer. *4 Congress. St. 2 1/2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Work in a laundry*

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*

*Henry C. Watson*  
*Munk*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 2<sup>nd</sup> DISTRICT.

of John Dougherty Police Officer aged 37 years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 188

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

Dependant Arrested  
Henry C Watson (now dead) for  
feloniously assaulting William Thompson  
of No 4 Congress Street by shooting said  
Thompson in the left hip with a ball  
cartridge discharged from one of the barrels  
of a loaded pistol. The dependant held  
in his hand and inflicted injuries from  
which said Thompson is now confined in  
No 16 Menetta Lane and is unable to appear  
in Court as set forth in the annexed Certificate.  
Said Thompson identified said Watson in the

Sworn to before me, this

of

188

day

Police Justice.

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Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Doughty*  
vs.  
*Henry Watson*

Dated Nov 8 1888

Magistrate.

*Doughty*  
Officer.

Witness,

Disposition, *Held to await*  
*the result of injuries*

presence of deponent as the person that  
did inflict said injuries  
Wherefore deponent prays he may be  
held to await the result of said injuries  
Sworn to before me  
this 8th day of Nov 1888  
*John Doughty*  
Police Justice

*John Doughty*  
Clerk

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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.....

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

Dated *Nov 13* 188 *J. P. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188..... Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188..... Police Justice.

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Police Court 2 1785 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Philip Thompson*  
*Henry C. Watson*

Office *Account*  
*Bill*

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Dated Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1888

*Duffy* Magistrate.  
*John Dougherty* Officer.  
*pt* Precinct.

Witnesses *Mary Hughes*  
No. 213 *Nine* Street.

*Dr J. B. Halstead*  
No. 1 *Spencer* Street.

No. 1000 Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

*Om*

*Asst*  
*Master*

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

0300

New York  
Nov 9/88

This is to certify  
that Mr Philip Thorne  
is unable to go to  
Court today on account  
of his recent injuries

Deft Hatched  
13 Spencer Pl

This is to certify  
that Mr Philip Thorne  
will not be able to  
appear in Court until  
Monday next on  
account of his recent  
injuries

Nov 9/88

Deft Hatched  
13 Spencer Pl

0301

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Henry C. Watson

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

Henry C. Watson  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Henry C. Watson

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Philip Thompson in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and to, at and against him the said Philip Thompson a certain pistol then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Henry C. Watson 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 Philip Thompson 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 Henry C. Watson of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Henry C. Watson

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Philip Thompson in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and to, at and against him the said

Philip Thompson a certain pistol then and there charged and loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said Henry C. Watson

in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully 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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

3135

**DESCRIPTION:**

Watson, William

**DATE:**

11/02/88



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Witnesses:

*J. J. Roche*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

188

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*William Watson*

*Burglary in the Third degree.*

[Section 498, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

*John A. [unclear] Foreman.*  
*W. J. [unclear]*

*Deputy J. [unclear] July*  
*P.P. 2454 m. [unclear] P.M.*

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 25 years, occupation Police Officer of No. the 93rd Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Patrick Cunningham  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 29 day of Oct 1888 by James E. Roche

A. J. White  
Police Justice.

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was arrested & him and indicted  
tried and convicted and sentence  
was suspended.

Wherefore defendant  
prays that said defendant Watson  
may here be held to answer and  
be held dealt with as the law  
directs.

Done to before me Patrick C. Cunningham  
this 30th day of Oct 1888 ✓  
A. J. [Signature]  
[Signature]

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been  
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated 1888 . Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1888 . 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 1888 . Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

0306

Police Court—V District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 331 East 87th Street, aged 55 years,  
occupation Liquor dealer being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 860 First Ave. Street, 19 Ward  
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a five story brick  
building  
and which was occupied by deponent as a business place  
and in which there was at the time a human being by namewere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open  
the window leading into the first floor  
from the rear and entering therein  
within intent to commit a felonyon the 19th day of August, 1888 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:A quantity of liquors and cigarsalso gold and lawful money ofthe United States of theAmount and value of the  
dollars \$500.00the property of deponentand 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 byWilliam Watson now here

for the reasons following, to wit:

That deponent is  
informed by Officer James  
Reah of the 93rd Precinct that  
at about 3 o'clock A.M. of the above  
date, he saw defendant Watson and  
one Thomas Short in said premises and  
that defendant Watson made his escape.  
Deponent is further informed  
by said officer that said Short

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK }

H District Police Court.

William Watson being duly examined before the under-  
signed 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 an; that the statement is designed to  
enable h an if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h an  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h is waiver cannot be used  
against h an on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

William Watson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

1414 First Street E. S. E. Denver

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Tobacco Stripper

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 at present  
Watson

✓ William Watson

Taken before me this

day of

188

J. H. White

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 *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 *Oct 31* 188 *8* *A. J. White* 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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145 556.  
Police Court---H District. 1707

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Cunningham  
331 E. 8th  
Wm. Watson

Offence *burglary*

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

Dated *Oct 31* 188*8*  
*White* Magistrate.

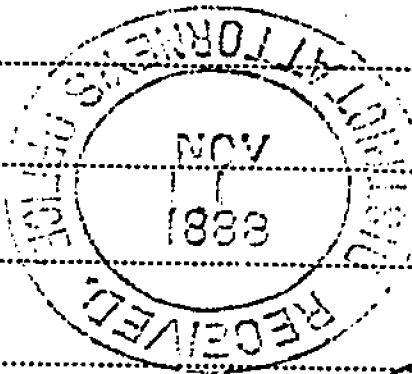
*Cuff and Roche* Officer. &  
*23* Precinct.

Witnesses *Ellin Roche*  
No. *23* Street.

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street.

\$ *1500* to answer  
*Wm. Watson*  
*for*



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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 Watson*

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

*William Watson*

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

The said

*William Watson*

late of the *Nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *nineteenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *store* of one

*Patrick Cunningham*

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

*Patrick Cunningham*

in the said *store* 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.

*John R. Fellows,*  
*District Attorney.*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

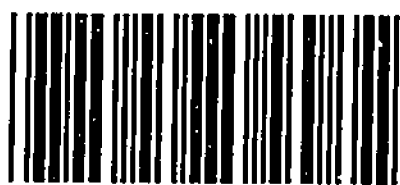
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wheeler, Walter

**DATE:**

11/28/88



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Witnesses:

*off. v. t. t.*

*21. p. c. h.*

*There is no proof in this case  
of any crime whatever, and  
therefore recommend the dis-  
missal of the indictment.*

*Dec 5/88. A. B. Barker  
Deputy*

Counsel

*W. J. Chon*  
Filed day of 1888

Pleads *Not Guilty* Dec 5

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*POOL SELLING.*  
(Section 331, Penal Code and Chap. 479,  
Laws of 1887, §§ 4 and 7.)

*Walter Wheeler*

*Dec 5/88*  
JOHN R. FELLOWS.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney

**A True Bill.**

*Robert Macclay*  
*Dec 5/88* Foreman.

*On recem. of Dist. Atty.  
indict. dis. P. B. M.*

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Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Walter Wheeler*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*40 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Virginia*

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

Answer.

*No 245 East 117<sup>th</sup> St One month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Clerk*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and  
if held I demand a trial by jury*

*Walter Wheeler*

Taken before me this

day of

1888

*David M. McCall* District Justice.

0314

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 *Oct 3* 188

*Sanford* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named.....

*Defendant*

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *Oct 4* 188

*Sanford* 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

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

*James M. Cartney*  
*No 2 East 36* Street.

*16. 4 - 5 1/2*

Police Court---

1544 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Chas Lott*

vs.

*Walter Wheeler*

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Dated

188

*Oct 3*

*Philly*

Magistrate.

*Lott*

Officer.

*21*

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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*3000*

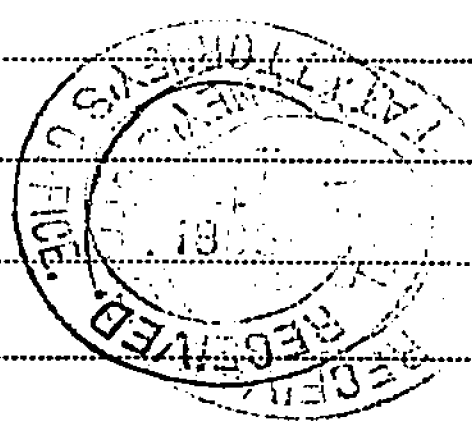
to answer

*Barker*

*Officer*

*Proe Selling*

*No 2 East 36*



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Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 1888  
Examination

Charles Lott, complaining witness testified as follows on

Cross Exam - by - our lawyer

I went in the premises 156 West 42<sup>nd</sup> Street. I am a police officer attached to the 21<sup>st</sup> Precinct. I saw the defendant there, on the rear of the first floor. It is a tenement house. I went in there to see if I could get a bet with him and he told me I could not get a bet with him. I told him I wanted to play "Le Rogos" in the third race at Jerome Park for a dollar & he said the bet would have to be made in Jerome Park and he said he would place it there on that horse for me. He said he acted as a Commission Merchant for a man in Jerome Park and that I could not make a bet there and I gave him the dollar to take there and he gave me the card which is attached to this

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Complaint. He didn't bet me; I did not demand; at any time the return of the dollar and I don't want it now, if he bet in Jerome Park and lost it.

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By 'The Court' 9

Q How did you come to go to the place?  
 A I was sent from the Station house and was told to see if I could get any bets there on the races in Jerome Park.

Q What information did you have?  
 A He told me he thought it was a pool room.

Q When you went in there what did you do?

A I asked what odds they were laying against "Si Bogus" in the third race at Jerome Park and he said no odds there. That they would have to be got at Jerome Park.

Q He took the dollar?

A Yes sir and gave me that card.

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(meaning card attached to this am-  
plaint).

A direct transcript

James A. Lyon

Official Interpreter

NY Oct 4/88

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NEW YORK

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Please execute for me on the race track <sup>at</sup> ~~day on the grounds~~  
at the races to be held this ~~Association, and at no~~  
of the ~~Association, and at no~~  
other place or time, the sum of ~~dollars on~~  
but do not under any circumstances  
accept odds in this race at the said track at a less price than  
to

I desire it to be positively and distinctly understood and  
for this reason only place in your charge my money, that you  
place my said money for me on the horse above mentioned, and  
at no other place than the grounds of the

Association during the progress of the races this  
day; and for that purpose I make you my common carriers for  
the expense incurred by you in placing my said money on the  
said grounds of said  
and I will pay you the sum of

C. L.

0320

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.Charles Lottof No. the 21<sup>st</sup> Duane Street, aged 33 years,occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,that on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1888at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Walter Wheeler

(now here) did unlawfully sell  
to deponent in the rear room  
of first floor of premises No  
156 East 42<sup>d</sup> Street, the ticket  
hereto annexed marked A  
379 and received from deponent  
the sum of One dollar therefore  
as a wager or a bet upon the  
result of a trial of speed or Contest  
of skill of a horse named Le Logue  
to be run this day with diverse other

Sworn to before me, this

188

day

Police Justice.

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Sharon to defendant  
Chas 23 day of Oct 1888  
Joni C. Kelly  
Police Officer

horses at the racetrack known  
as Jerome Park, said City.

Deponent further says that  
defendant became the Custodian  
of said sum of money for said  
purpose in violation of Sec. 351  
of the Penal Code of the State of  
New York.

Charles Lott

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

0322

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*against*

*Walker Wheeler*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Walker Wheeler* —

of the CRIME RECORDING AND REGISTERING A BET AND WAGER, committed as follows:

The said *Walker Wheeler*.

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *third* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~eight~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, and not upon any grounds or race track owned, leased, or conducted by any association incorporated under the laws of this State, for the purpose of improving the breed of horses, where racing was lawfully had, with force and arms, did unlawfully record and register, and cause to be recorded and registered, a certain bet and wager, then and there made by and between one *Charles Bell*, —

and divers other persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, upon the result of a certain trial and contest of speed and power of endurance of and between a certain horse called *De Lago* and divers other horses (a more particular description whereof, and of each of them, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) thereafter to be had, holden and run on the day and in the year aforesaid, at a certain place and race track situated at *The City and County aforesaid* in the County of *in the State of* and commonly called the *Jerome Park* Race Track, and which said trial and contest was had, holden and run on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the place and race track aforesaid (a more particular description of which said trial and contest, and of the said bet and wager so as aforesaid then and there made upon the same, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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 Walter Wheeler

of the CRIME OF POOL SELLING, committed as follows:

The said Walter Wheeler,

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, and not upon any grounds or race track owned, leased or conducted by any association incorporated under the laws of this State, for the purpose of improving the breed of horses, where racing was lawfully had, with force and arms, did feloniously engage in pool selling, and did then and there feloniously sell, and cause to be sold, to one Charles Bell and to divers other persons, to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, a certain pool upon the result of a certain trial and contest of speed and power of endurance of and between a certain horse called De Dequis and divers other horses (a more particular description whereof, and of each of them, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown) thereafter to be had, holden and run on the day and in the year aforesaid, at a certain place and race track situated at De City and County in the County of De County in the State of De State and commonly called the Jerome Park Race Track, and which said trial and contest was had, holden and run on the day and in the year aforesaid at the place and race track aforesaid (a more particular description of which said trial and contest, and of the pool upon the same so as aforesaid then and there sold, is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH E. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.

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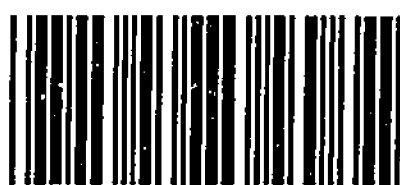
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White, Harry

**DATE:**

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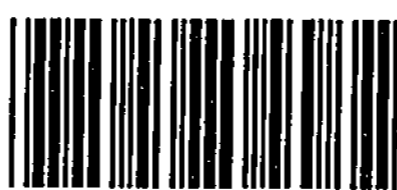
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White, Harry

**DATE:**

11/22/88



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Sent for  
Officer Dolan 15th Precinct  
Witnesses;  
Jesse Duffin  
Garwood Markab

Lo Levin  
McCarty  
Frank Cuyler

209  
Counsel,  
Filed 22 day of Apr 1888  
Pleads, Myself

THE PEOPLE  
Harry White  
Grand Larceny, 3rd Degree  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 598, 580-585 Penal Code]  
JOHN R. FELLAWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill  
Wes MacLae

Foreman.  
Part 3. November 27/88.  
Fined and Committed  
to the County Jail 12 days.  
J. R. Duffin, D.A.

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 11 Greenwich Avenue Street, aged 24 years,occupation Terminator being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1888 at the City of New

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

person of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

One Gold Watch of the value  
of Twenty two dollars & fifty Cents

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 Harry White (Thowhac)

and another man not now arrested from the fact that at about the hour of two o'clock & thirty minutes A.M. while deponent was in the act of entering opening the front door of his residence when the defendant and the other man not arrested came to the door where deponent was and pretended to assist deponent to open the door and one of said men snatched the aforesaid watch from the left hand side top pocket of deponent's vest worn on the person of deponent and ran away. Deponent pursued said other man and the defendant White and shouted

Sworn to before me this  
day of  
1888

Police Justice

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ready for Police and caused the arrest  
of said defendant and charged said  
defendant and said other man with the  
larceny of said property

Sworn to before me  
this 11<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1888

Joseph Lavin

J. M. M. M.

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 1888  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1888  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1888  
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer

Sessions.

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

2 District Police Court.

*Harry White* 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. *Harry White*

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. *4 Rivington St one month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *waiter*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*Harry White*

Taken before me this  
day of *Nov* 188*8*

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 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 Nov 11th 1888 J. Henry Wood 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---

21764 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Levin  
Greenwich Ave  
Harry White

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Offender  
The People

BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street

Dated Nov 11 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

\$

to answer

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District Attorney's Office.

Part 3  
PEOPLE

vs.

Harry White  
Nov 27th '88

Served Process  
Nov 26th '88

Nov 11th '88  
Levin Campbell  
Kraft witness

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 The People of the State of New York :  
 against : Before  
 H A R R Y W H I T E : Hon. Frederick Smyth,  
 : and a Jury.  
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Indictment filed November 22nd., 1888.

Indicted for grand larceny in the first degree.

New York? November 27th '88

A P P E A R A N C E S :

For the People,

Asst. Dist. Attorney A. A. Parker;

For the Defendant,

Mr. J. O. Keane.

JOSEPH LEVINE, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live at No. 11 Greenwich Avenue in this city. On the night of the 11th. of November in this year my gold watch which was in my left hand vest pocket was taken from me. I value the watch at \$77.50. I was going along the street about 2 o'clock in the morning and I came across Sixth Avenue and was about to step into my own doorway. I carry my night-key on a chain which is also attached to my watch. I took this key out and tried to open the door with it but it would not open. I then went and stood un-

der the electric light at the corner of Christopher Street and took the key out to look at it and see if it was all right. As I stood there two men approached me, one of whom was this defendant. He stood on my left hand side while I was looking at the key and snatched my watch and chain and ran away with it. I shouted "Stop thief" and ran after them to the corner of West 10th. Street. I caught hold of the defendant by the back of his coat as he was turning the corner of West 10th. Street. He got away from me but I caught him again about half way down the block. An officer came up very soon afterwards and I told him that I charged this man with robbing me. I recognized the defendant positively. I had been over to Hoboken on that evening and was on my way home when this watch was taken from me.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

The exact time of this occurrence was shortly after two o'clock on the morning of the 12th. I was slightly under the influence of liquor on this evening as I had drank three or four whiskey cock-tails. I was not so drunk, however, but that I could recognize this man as being the person who came up to me in the manner I have described. The electric light on the corner gave me sufficient light to see his face clearly.

Q Will you positively swear that he is the man who stood in

the position you indicated on that night ?

A Yes, sir; I never would have pressed the charge if I could not do that. I am positive there was another man with him but he was not caught. I think there was a charge of intoxication preferred against me the next morning in the Station House.

FRANK CRAFT, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live at No. 604 Sixth Avenue. My business is that of driving a milk wagon. At about 2 o'clock on the morning of the 12th. of November I was on my milk wagon directly opposite the house of Mr. Levine. I saw Mr. Levine on the opposite side of the street and I saw one man each side of him. The next thing I saw was that one of the men made a dash away from the side of Mr. Levine and Mr. Levine ran after him as far as 10th. Street. I ran also and I saw Mr. Levine catch the defendant in front of the Engine House in 10th. Street. The defendant said that he did not take Mr. Levine's watch. The defendant told the officer that he resided at No. 42 Stanton Street.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I have known Mr. Levine by sight for about a year and a half. I am a neighbor of his. Mr. Levine was somewhat intoxicated on this evening; he staggered a lit-

tle but not much.

GEORGE E. McCARTHY, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a police officer attached to the Ninth Precinct. About half past 2 on the morning of the 12th. of November I arrested this defendant at the corner of Greenwich Avenue and Sixth Avenue. I heard the complainant call "police" and I ran to him and when I came up to him he had hold of the prisoner and he insisted upon having him arrested for stealing his watch. I arrested the defendant and took him to the Station House. The defendant gave me his residence as No. 42 Stanton Street.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I searched the defendant and found nothing in his possession but a knife. This little chamois watch bag which the complainant identified as his was found right where the prisoner was standing.

D E F E N C E.

HARRY WHITE, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I am a waiter by occupation and live at No. 4 Rivington Street. I have never been arrested previous to this in my life. I did not steal Mr. Levine's watch. On the night of the 11th. of November I was at a sociable held in Odd Fellows' Hall in Hoboken. I remained there

until about 12 o'clock. I came over the 14th. Street Ferry, walked through 14th. Street to Greenwich Avenue and down Greenwich Avenue to 10th. Street and as I got to 10th. Street in front of the Fire Engine House Mr. Levine staggered against me and tore my coat. He demanded his watch of me. The man who had taken his watch ran past me. I saw two men pass me very rapidly just before Mr. Levine caught hold of me. I was arrested by the officer and searched right there on the corner but nothing was found upon me. The officer didn't want to arrest me because he didn't think I had the watch.

## CROSS EXAMINATION:

I did live at No. 42 Stanton Street some time ago. I did not run as the complainant and the other witness have testified. The complainant dropped this little chamois bag from his pocket, I guess. I did not have it in my possession at all. The officer picked it up from behind me.

The Jury returned a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the first degree.

Indictment filed Nov. 22-1888

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS  
Part III.

The People &c.

against

HARRY WHITE

Abstract of testimony on

trial New York, November

27th 1888.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

The jury returned a verdict of guilty of Grand  
larceny in the first degree.

about 12 o'clock. I came over the 14th Street  
looking for a place to go. I went to Greenwich Avenue  
and down Greenwich Avenue to 10th Street and as I got to  
10th Street in front of the Third Building House Mr. Levine  
approached me and said to me. He introduced his  
friend to me. The man who had been with me before  
me. I saw him at that time and he said to me before  
me. I was introduced to the officer  
and he said to me. The officer said to me that he had  
come to see me. I said to him that I had the money.

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Harry White*

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

*Harry White*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said

*Harry White*  
*3*

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

*one watch of the value*  
*of seventy-two dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one  
on the person of the said

*Joseph Levin*  
then and there being found, from the person of the said

*Joseph Levin*  
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

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

The said

Harry White  
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,

one watch of the value of seventy  
two dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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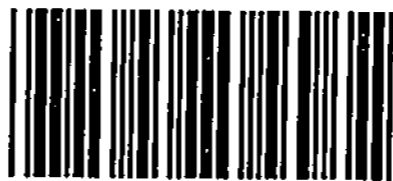
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Whitney, John

**DATE:**

11/26/88



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Witnesses;

M. Haselbunt

Officer Mueller

H. Ostr

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Counsel,

Filed

26<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1888

Pleads,

Charges guilty of

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Whitney

Grand Larceny, Second Degree.  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Prosec 3788 District Attorney.

Pleads guilty

A True Bill.

~~Alfred~~ Foreman.

Pen One year.

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Police Court—1<sup>st</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

*Michael Hesleitner*  
 of No. *228 West 68<sup>th</sup>* Street, aged *23* years,  
 occupation *tin roofer* being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 188*8* at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession *and*  
*person* of deponent, in the *day* time, the following property viz:

*Gold and large money & the*  
*amount and value of seven*  
*dollars and thirteen cents*

the property of *deponent*

and that this deponent  
*attempted to be*  
 has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
 and carried away by *John Whitney, now here*

*from the fact that deponent then*  
*sat asleep on the deck of a*  
*tug boat at Pier 24 East River,*  
*and said money was then in the*  
*right side pocket of the pants*  
*worn on deponent's person.*  
*That deponent awoke and found*  
*the said deponent sitting beside*  
*deponent with one of his hands*  
*in the said pocket where said*  
*money then was*

*Michael Hesleitner*

Sworn to before me, this *29<sup>th</sup>* day  
 of *October* 188*8*

*Alfred McTeague* Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John Whitney* 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.

*John Whitney*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*26 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.

*152 South St., 3 or 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Steamboat Hand*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty. That is  
all I have to say.*

*John Whitney*

Taken before me this

*29<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*March*

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*James J. McCann*  
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 Two Hundred Dollars, \_\_\_\_\_ and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated October 27 188 8 A. M. 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--- / District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Michael Herleiner*  
*228<sup>th</sup> W. 68<sup>th</sup>*  
*John Whitney*

*Offence Attempt at  
Licensing from person*

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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 *October 29<sup>th</sup>* 188*8*  
*Patterson* Magistrate.  
*Mullins* Officer.  
*H* Precinct.

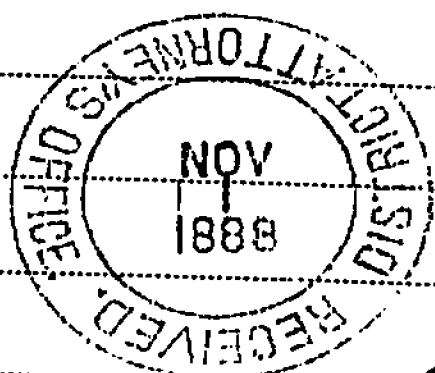
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

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

\$ *1000* to answer *G.D.*

*Conrad*



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TELEPHONE JOHN NO. 581.

J. [REDACTED],

[REDACTED],

General [REDACTED], [REDACTED] WORK.

*H. His Honor*

*Presiding*

copy. Dec 3006/88  
 Your Honor

The Prisoner John Whitney  
 has been in the past a very consistent  
 good Workman. I am not acquainted  
 with the Nature of the charge against him  
 but this I can say in reference to his  
 Character. We always found him Vigilant  
 and faithful to our interests

I Earnestly hope you will bestow  
 Clemency in sentencing

Yours Very Respectfully

Frank Ford

Supt. Kansas State Prison  
 Pier 24 ER

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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

*John Whitney*

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

*John Whitney*  
attempting the crime of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said

*John Whitney*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty-eight* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-eight*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one* promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *two* dollars; *one* promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *two* dollars; *one* United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of *two* dollars; *one* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *two* dollars;

*two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; *two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; *two* United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; *two* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *one* dollar each; and

*divers* coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *two* dollars and *thirty* cents

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Michael Hesleitner* on the person of the said *Michael Hesleitner* then and there being found, from the person of the said *Michael Hesleitner* then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

*John R. Fellows*  
District Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Whitten, Edward

**DATE:**

11/12/88



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Witnesses;

John Whitten

Opin Michael

2<sup>nd</sup> paid

I have examined the testimony in this case and find the as well as the statement made of the complainant in her affidavit to be correct and true. I am of the opinion that a conviction can not be obtained & do therefore recommend that the defendant be discharged with her own recognizance.

Wm 20/61  
William Foster

I concur in the above recommendation

Wm M. Davis  
Dist

Counsel,

Filed 12 day of Nov 1888

Pleads, Computy (13)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Whitten

Nov 21st Part 3 PM

Grand Larceny in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree,  
(MONEY.)  
(Sec. 528 and 531, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm Macclay  
M. J. Foreman.

On recm. of Dist. Atty.  
def. discharged on his  
own recogn. R.B.M.

## New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

Edward Whitten.

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. I made the charge against the defendant, who is my brother, believing at the time that he had stolen my money. However, I have since been assured by him, and believe him, that he did not take the money. Am convinced in this belief of the fact that other persons had access to the room in which the trunk was which contained my money. In addition to this the room lined by me above named is connected with club rooms in the front of the house which rooms are frequented by many members of the club, and the room lined by me is easily accessible from these club rooms. It was three days before I discovered that my money was gone. My brother & I slept in the room every night and I believe him to be innocent. Think it a hardship if he were detained in prison long especially since his imprisonment has almost prostrated my aged father, and I would therefore respectfully ask for his discharge.

In presence of  
William Stone

John Whitten

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Police Court—2nd District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 333 10th Ave Street, aged 24 years,  
occupation Bricklayer being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 31st day of October 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money of the  
United States of the amount and  
value of ninety-two 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

Edward Whitten (now here)  
from the fact that deponent placed  
said money in a trunk in deponent's  
bed room on the 31st day of October and  
deponent missed said money from deponent's  
trunk in said bed room on the 1st day  
of Nov the defendant is the brother and  
room mate of deponent and no other  
person had recourse to said bed room  
but the defendant and deponent  
wherefore deponent charges said defendant  
with the larceny of said money

John Whitten

Sworn to before me, this  
day of Nov 1888

William H. Bell  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

*Edward Whitten* 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.

*Edward Whitten*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*333 Tenth Ave 4 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty  
Edward Whitten  
Mar 12*

Taken before me this

day of

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*J. H. [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 Nine Hundred Dollars,.....and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.*

*Dated Nov 4 188 J. J. Hendricks 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---

2nd 1726 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Whitten  
Edward Whitten  
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Offence

BAILED,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated Nov 4 188

Artemus W. Whitehall  
20 Precinct.

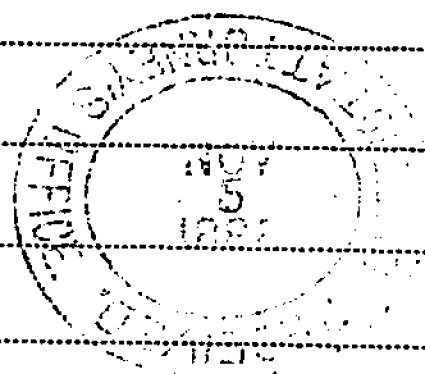
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\$ 500 to answer



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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

*Samuel Whitten*

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

*— Samuel Whitten —*

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

The said *Samuel Whitten*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirtieth*  
day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *eight*,  
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *— day —* time of  
the same day, *four* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then  
and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of  
the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each* ;  
*six* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of  
ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each* ; *ten* promissory notes for the  
payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States  
Treasury notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each* ;  
*ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and  
of the value of two dollars *each* ; *ten* promissory notes for the payment  
of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury  
notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each* ;  
*four* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes),  
being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each* ; *six*  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and  
there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each* ; *eight* promissory notes for the  
payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied,  
of the value of five dollars *each* ; *four* United States Silver Certificates of the

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denomination and value of twenty dollars *each* ; *six* United States Silver  
Certificates of the denomination and value of ten dollars *each* ; *eight* United  
States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of five dollars *each* ; *ten*  
United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of two dollars *each* ;  
*ten* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of one dollar  
*each* ; *ten* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of  
twenty dollars *each* ; *six* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination  
and value of ten dollars *each* ; *eight* United States Gold Certificates of the  
denomination and value of five dollars *each* ; and divers coins, of a number, kind and  
denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *twelve*  
*dollars,*

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of one \_\_\_\_\_

*John W. Hixson* , \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wilder, Robert P.

**DATE:**

11/02/88



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Witnesses:

J. B. Blecker,  
E. M. Kingsley,  
G. H. Bradhurst

Nov. 14, 1888.

I recommend the  
dismissal of this In-  
dictment for the reasons  
stated in the case of  
People v. Duncan Mc-  
Bushman, filed here-  
with.

J. H. Parsons  
District Attorney

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Counsel,  
Filed,  
Pleads,

day of Nov

1888

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Robert P. Wilder

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

David L. Smith Foreman.  
F. 2 Nov. 16, 1888  
Indictment dismissed

FRAUDULENT REGISTRATION.  
[Chap. 410, Laws of 1882, § 1908.]

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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*

*Robert P. Widen*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by  
this indictment, accuse *Robert P. Widen*  
of a FELONY, committed as follows:

Heretofore, to wit: on the *9th* day of  
October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~eight~~ *nine* the  
same being a day duly appointed by law as a day for the general registration of the  
qualified voters of the said City and County, the said *Robert P. Widen*  
late of the City and County aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally  
appear before the Inspectors of Election of the *21st* Election District  
of the *21st* Assembly District of the said City and County, at a meeting  
of the said Inspectors of Election then being duly held for the purpose of the general  
registration of the male residents of the said Election District as then were, or would be  
on the day of election next following the said day of registration, (to wit: on the *ninth*  
day of November, in the year aforesaid, being the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in  
the said month of November, and being the day duly appointed by law for the holding of  
a general election throughout the said State, and in the City and County aforesaid), entitled  
to vote therein, at the duly designated polling place of the said Election District, and did  
then and there, at the said general registration of voters, feloniously and fraudulently  
register in the said Election District, not having a lawful right to register therein, in this,  
to wit: that the said *Robert P. Widen* was not then a male resident  
of the said Election District as then was, or on the said day of election next following the  
said day of registration would be entitled to vote therein, for the reason that he was not  
then, nor would he on the said day of election have been, an inhabitant of the said State  
one year next preceding such election, and the last four months a resident of the said  
County of New York, and for the last thirty days a resident of the said Election District,  
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and  
dignity of the said People.

JOHN R. FELLOWS. District Attorney.

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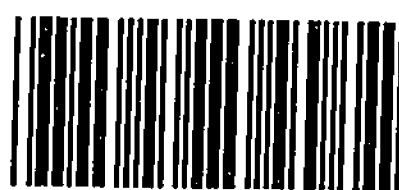
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wilmot, Joseph

**DATE:**

11/09/88



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Witnesses:

Leah Schmecker  
Ally Conboy

Counsel,  
Filed 9 day of Nov 1888  
Pleads, Not guilty in  
41-M. H. Butler  
3rd Bay

THE PEOPLE

vs.  
36 ch.  
Hand planter. P  
Joseph Wilmar

Nov 3 Nov 19. 08 M.C.  
Burglary in the Third Degree  
(Section 498, Penal Code)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Ward McClellan

Foreman.

Part 3. November 19/88

Indicted and Committed -

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Police Court—H District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }of No. 231 East 75<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 49 years,  
occupation Medlar being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 231 East 75<sup>th</sup> Street, 19<sup>th</sup> Ward  
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a tenement houseand which was occupied by ~~deponent as a~~ Simon Schiff as a dwelling  
and in which there was <sup>not</sup> at the time a human being, ~~by name~~Attempted to  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly attempting to  
break open a door leading into the  
back room on the first floor of said  
premises, at about the hour of 3<sup>1/2</sup>  
o'clock P. M.on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of October 1888 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:attempted to  
be taken, stolen and carried away, viz:  
wearing apparel, money and jewelry,  
value of it valued at one thousand  
dollars.the property of the said Simon Schiff  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY <sup>attempted to be</sup> was committed and the aforesaid property <sup>attempted to be</sup> taken, stolen and carried away byJoseph Wilmoth, and another man  
unknown to deponent.

for the reasons following, to wit:

That deponent then saw  
the said Joseph Wilmoth, now here,  
and another man not arrested,  
standing at said door and waiting  
with their hands at the pad-lock  
on the door. That deponent asked  
them what they wanted and they  
did not answer deponent but  
walked out of the house. That

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deponent then saw that a portion  
of the panel of the door had been  
cut out and the lock in the door  
broken and the staple holding  
the pad-lock partially drawn out.  
That deponent followed said defendant  
and said other man who boarded  
a 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Purgeon Car, and when  
deponent got on the car with them  
they jumped off the car and de-  
ponent caught hold of Wilmut and  
said other man ran away.

Sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1888  
J. W. D. [Signature]

J. M. Patterson 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 1888  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1888  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1888  
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness.

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

14 District Police Court.

*Joseph Wilmon* 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. *Joseph Wilmon*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *36 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *United States*

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

Answer. *West 14 St. I don't know the number, one week*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Plasterer*

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 in  
the hall-way looking for a  
furnished room*

*Josep Wilmonot*

Taken before me this

28<sup>th</sup>

day of October 1888

*William J. Sullivan*  
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.....

*Joseph Walmsley*  
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 *October 25* 188*8* *John M. Putnam* 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---

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Jacob Schreiber*  
*931 East 75*  
*Joseph Wilmut*

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*Office Attempt at*  
*Burglary*

Dated

*October 25*

1888

*Patterson*

Magistrate.

*Mrs. Conboy*

Officer.

*25*

Precinct.

Witnesses

*Mrs. Conboy*

No.

*25 Prec. Police*

Street.

*Simon Schiff*

No.

*231 East 75*

Street.

No.

*1500*

to answer

*Comm*

*Atty. Gen. 3 D.H.*

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

## PART III.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK:	:	HON. Frederick Smyth,
agst.	:	and a Jury.
J O S E P H W I L M O T.	:	
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Indictment filed November 9th, 1888.

Indicted for Burglary in the Third Degree.

New York, November 19th, 1888.

## A P P E A R A N C E S:

For the People, Asst. Dist. Atty. W.T. Jerome.

For the Defendant, Mr. W.H. Buttner.

JACOB SCHREIBER, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live at No. 231 East 75th Street in this City.  
 On the 24th of October, at about half past two o'clock  
 in the afternoon I saw this defendant in the hall on the  
 first floor of the house in which I live; when I saw  
 him he was working on the door of Mr. Schiff's room. I  
 had been down stairs and I passed this door about ten  
 minutes before; the door was in perfect order. Mrs.  
 Schiff was going out and she asked me if I would watch  
 her place. I then went down stairs. About ten minutes  
 afterwards I heard a noise and I went slowly up stairs  
 again and I saw this man and another man working at the  
 door. I asked them what they wanted there but they did

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not give me any answer. They jumped away from me and at once I saw that the door was broken open. I followed both men to the corner of 75th St. and Second Avenue, and this defendant jumped on a Second Avenue car. I jumped on the car after this man but as quick as he saw me he jumped off again; the man who was with him also jumped off the car and ran to the corner of 75th St. in a liquor saloon. I caught this defendant at the corner of 75th St. and First Avenue. I took him as far as the corner of 74th St. and First Avenue and he got away from me again. I ran after him to the corner of Avenue A and 74th St., where there was an Officer and he arrested him. The officer took him back to the house where the door was broken open and we found that two bolts were loose but the padlock was hanging on a little bit yet; the door had been forced open.

#### CROSS EXAMINATION.

I have lived in this house for seven years. About four years ago I was robbed myself in this house of about \$1,000 worth of goods. I could see the condition of the padlock on this door without a light; it is bright in the hall in the day time. There are eight families live in this house.

THOMAS COMBOY, a witness for The People, sworn, testified:

I am an officer of the Municipal Police. I arrested this defendant on the 24th of October, on Avenue A near 73rd St. At the time I arrested him he was running pursued by a great many people among them being the witness who was just on the stand. I arrested the man and brought him back to the house No. 231 East 75th St. When we got there we found that the door of Mr. Schiff's room was partly broken open, the woodwork was smashed, the panel kind of hanging in. I asked this defendant if he did it and he said no. I got a light to examine it more carefully to see if I could find any tools but I did not find any tools. At the station house the prisoner claimed that he was looking for furnished rooms in this house. I told him I thought it was rather a funny way to look for furnished rooms by breaking a door open. The only article found upon the person of the defendant was a small machine screw driver. The prisoner said he lived in 14th St. West of 8th Avenue, but he did not know the number.

CROSS EXAMINATION.

Q You don't claim that this door was broken open with the small machine screw driver? A No, sir.

Q Did he have any money on his person when arrested?

aa About \$1.61

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SIMON SCHIFF, a witness forThe People, sworn, testified:

I live at No. 231 East 75th St., on the first floor. On the 24th of October, I left my home about eight o'clock and I returned shortly after three o'clock. When my wife goes out she generally leaves the key of your floor with Mr. Schreibe. We have always kept a padlock on the door. When I was at home at three o'clock the door was in good condition. I went away and returned after six o'clock and I found that the padlock had been broken off the door. There was property in these rooms belonging to me worth about \$2,000.

CROSS EXAMINATION.

There is never any light in this hallway during the daytime. Mr. Schreiber and I are pretty good friends. We have not talked about this case.

D E F E N S E.

JOSEPH WILMOT, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I am thirty-six years old; my home is in Hartford, Conn.; I am a plasterer by trade, I first came to the City of New York last June; fromhere I went to Otsego County, remained there until September and when the harvest was over I came back to New York. I first engaged a room at No. 227 West 3rd St. and remained there for two weeks. I then moved to 14th St. but I do not recollect the number. On the 24th of October I went up to 86th St. to see a friend of mine named Crawford. I

I was walking along 75th St. when I saw a sign out "Furnished Rooms to Rent". I went up the stoop of this house, rang the bell but there was no response. I walked into the vestibule and I was about to catch hold of the knob of the door as this gentleman, Mr. Schreiber, and another man came out in his shirt sleeves and said "What do you want here, go away from here". I walked down towards the Avenue and crossed over; I was walking leisurely down to see if I could find any more signs of furnished rooms as I wanted to move up town. As I walked down the Avenue this man Schreiber, in his shirt sleeves came up to me. He did not catch hold of me he simply shouted very loud. I said "What is the matter?" and he said "You have robbed a whole thouse back here"; I said "I guess not, sir"; she said "Yes", and I walked down the stret with him a whole block if not more. A crowd was collecting and after I had gone a block I ran away because of this crowd. The officer caught me and arrested me. The reason I ran was because I was a stranger and the crowd was collecting and this man had accused me of robbing the whole house. I was also afraid of violence from the crowd. I nevr made a motion to hit this man or do anything of the kind. When I walked away from him he made several attempts to grab hold of me and hit me. I was brought back to this house by the officer and I saw the door. I did not have anything to do with

the breaking open of this door. I have never been arrested before except once in Hartford for firing off a large fire cracker on the Fourth of July.

CROSS EXAMINATION.

When I came to the City early in September I did not go to work at my trade but went to work selling photographs. I do not use a screw driver in my business. The screw driver which I had in my pocket was one which was loaned me by a lady in the house where I was boarding. The sign of "Furnished Rooms" on this house in 75th St. was posted up in a conspicuous place.

The witnesses Schreiber and Schiff, being recalled state, that there was no sign of "Furnished Rooms" on the premises in 75th Street on the 24th of October, 1888. Also that there are no furnished rooms rented in that house.

The Jury returned a verdict of Guilty of an attempt at Burglary in the Third Degree.

Indigment filed Nov. 9-1888.

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Indictment filed Nov. 9-1888.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS**

## Part II.

THE PEOPLE & C.

**against**

Joseph Wilmoth

# Abstract of testimony on

trial November 19th 1888.

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Joseph Wilmot*

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

*Joseph Wilmot*

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

The said

*Joseph Wilmot*

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *twenty fourth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty *eight*, with force and arms, in the  
*day* — time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the  
dwelling house of one

*Simon Schiff*

attempt to

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 *Simon Schiff* —

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.

*John R. Fellows*  
District Attorney

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Wilson, Edward

**DATE:**

11/12/88



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Witnesses:

*Leont Cohen.*

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Counsel,

Filed *13* day of *Nov* 188*8*

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Edward Wilson*

INJURY TO PROPERTY.

[Section 634, Penal Code.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Wm Macclay*  
*John Ste* Foreman.  
*James G. G. G.*  
*S. P. 1409 mo. P.M.*

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*Edward Nelson* 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

*Edward Nelson.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*24 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland.*

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

Answer.

*113rd 2nd Avenue, 6 months.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Blacksmith*

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

Answer.

*I was drunk and did not know what I was doing.*  
*Edward Nelson*  
*man*

Taken before me this 2nd day of November 1884

day of November 1884

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.....

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

Dated Nov 2 188 8. J. M. Patton 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---

1735 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Jacob Cohen*  
*616 Bowry*  
*Edmund Wilson*

*Malicious*  
Officer

*Murder*  
(Felony)

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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Dated *Nov 2nd* 188

*Patterson* Magistrate.

*Reagan* Officer.

*6* Precinct.

Witnesses *Henry E. McNeal*

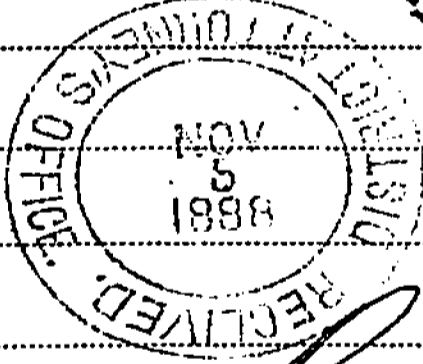
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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Edward Wilson*

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

*Edward Wilson*

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* —  
PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Wilson*, —

late of the *Sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *second* day of *November*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms, *two certain boxes of*  
*plate glass* —

of the value of *one hundred dollars each*, —  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Jacob Cohen*, —  
then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break*  
*and destroy*. —

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

*Edward Wilson* —

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* —  
REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *Edward Wilson*, —

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

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aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *two certain*  
*panes of plate glass —*

of the value of *one hundred dollars each, —*  
in, and forming part and parcel of the realty of a certain building of one

*David Cohen*  
there situate, of the real property of the said

*David Cohen*  
then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break and*  
*destroy, —*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.