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DESCRIPTION:

Meehan, William

DATE:

05/10/89



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POOR QUALITY
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WITNESSES:

Officer Jones

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1889

Pleads

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

William Meehan

May 17/89

27. May 1889

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

May 13/89 *WMD*

A True Bill.

Edward W. Meehan

Foreman.

May 17/89, P.M.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1083, Sec. 21 and
page 1080, Sec. 5.]

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0011

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 Meehan

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
William Meehan
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

William Meehan

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty-fourth day of *March* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid,
the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with
force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine,
one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial,
one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer,
and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one

James B. Jones

and to certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of
the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

William Meehan

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

The said

William Meehan

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as
Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of a certain place
there situate, which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and
spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County
aforesaid, the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did not close and keep
closed, and on the said day the said place so licensed as aforesaid unlawfully did then
and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain
open, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the
peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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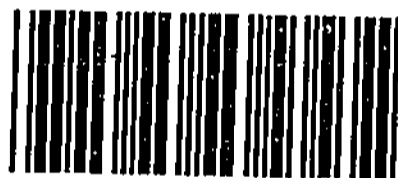
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Mell, Michael

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Mell, Michael

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Witnesses:

Acton Elias
Offr. Nalley

269 Racy

Counsel,

Filed

188

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Michael Mell

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

June 14, 1889

Pleas A. & J.

A True Bill.

N.Y. Penitentiary

Edward M. M. M.

Ordered to the COURT of Foreman.

of the COUNTY of NEW YORK,
for trial (Entered in the Minutes)

June 11, 1889

June 24, 1889
S.S. 23

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Police Court—6th District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Pietro Allessio, 20 years old, laborer
of Bedford Park, Southern Boulevard Street,
New York City

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Sunday the 12th day of May
in the year 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Michael

Mell who struck deponent with
a knife then and there held in his
hand inflicting a wound on deponent's
chest.

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 14th day
of May 1889.

Pietro Allessio
his
Mark

A. T. Michelson POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

Michael Melle

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. *Michael Melle*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *Bedford Park; 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Maite Melle

Taken before me this 14
day of May 1889
H. H. Macdonald
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 6 District 109

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Peter Allen
Bedford, Esq.
Michael Muel

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence Assault -
Fictitious

Dated May 14th 1889

Magistrate

Officer

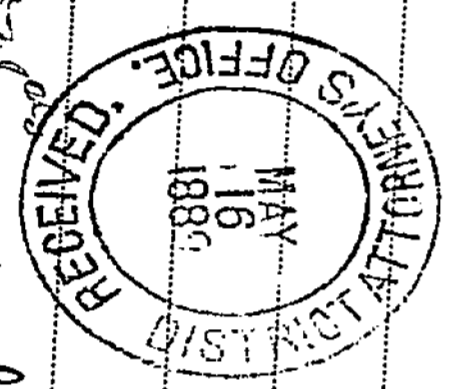
Precinct

Witnesses

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____



No. 1070 to answer

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Contest

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 Michael Muel

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 May 14th 1889 R. T. M. Graham 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.

0018

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Michael Mell

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Michael Mell
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Michael Mell
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twelfth day of May — in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Pietro Allesso
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and him the said Pietro Allesso
with a certain knife —

which the said Michael Mell
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

3 with intent him the said Pietro Allesso —
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
Michael Mell
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Michael Mell
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 Pietro Allesso
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and him the said
Pietro Allesso
with a certain knife —

which the said Michael Mell
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 strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT—

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

Michael Mell

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

The said

Michael Mell

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 said

Pietro Allesso in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and

with a certain

knife

which

he

the said

Michael Mell

in

his

right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the

breast

of

him

the said

Pietro Allesso

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said

Pietro Allesso

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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Minutti, Michael

DATE:

05/15/89



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ORIGINAL

0021

Witnesses:

Paulo Pineda

12/15/89
Counsel, *Henry Limon*
Filed 15 day of May 1889
Pleads, *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Michael Jimenez

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
722 May 28/89 District Attorney.
Indicted & acquitted.

A True Bill.

Edward W. May
Foreman

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0022

Police Court—4 District.

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

of No. 253 3rd avenue Street, aged 25 years,
occupation Barber being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on 6 day of May 1889 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Michael Minnetto. (nowhere)
who cut and robbed deponent in
the left hand with a pair of Barber
shears he held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 9 day
of May 1889

Santo Viniguerria

John J. Gorman Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0023

Sec. 198-200.

4- District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Michael Minetto 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*m; that the statement is designed to
enable *h*m' if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *h*m'
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *h*m's waiver cannot be used
against *h*m' on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Michael Minetto*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Italy*

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

Answer. *1 Congress Street 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Barber*

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 demand
an Examination*

Michael Minetto

Taken before me this

day of

1889

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

Police Court... 681
District...

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Jas. Thompson
253 W 3rd Ave
100th Street
Offence... assault
February

Dated May 9 1889
Magistrate.

Witnesses _____
Precinct _____
Officer _____

No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
\$ 500 to answer
RECEIVED MAY 13 1889 DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Law

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 May 10 1889 _____ 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.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0025

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Michael Minutti

(The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Michael Minutti
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Michael Minutti

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
sixth day of May in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Santo Vinaguirro
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and him the said Santo Vinaguirro
with a certain shears

which the said Michael Minutti
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

with intent him the said Santo Vinaguirro
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
Michael Minutti
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Michael Minutti

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 Santo Vinaguirro
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and him the said
Santo Vinaguirro
with a certain shears

which the said Michael Minutti
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 strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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THIRD COUNT—

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

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

The said *Michael Minutti*

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 said
Santo Vinaguirro in the peace of the said People then
and there-being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and
him the said *Santo Vinaguirro*
with a certain *shears*

which *he* the said *Michael Minutti*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *hand*
of *him* the said *Santo Vinaguirro*

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Santo Vinaguirro*

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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Mitzky, John

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Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

1889

THE PEOPLE

vs.

BIGAMY
(Section 298, Penal Code).

John Mitzky

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Edward Van Winkle
For me

Park III May 17/89

Pleads guilty.

Pen: One year.

Witnesses:

Hubert Mitzky
Mary Mitzky
Morris Samuels
Officer Muller

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0029

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

POLICE COURT, 3rd DISTRICT.

Hannah Mitzky, formerly Hannah
Polonsky

of No. 99 Allen Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 2nd day of August 1888

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

nowhere, did feloniously marry
deponent and did take deponent
as his wife, he well knowing
at the time that Mary Mitzky,
here present, his lawful wife
was then living and in full
life.

That deponent was married
to said deponent in the City
Court of New York, on the
day aforesaid, by the Hon.
David McAdams, Chief Justice
of said Court, and since then
deponent has lived and co-
habited with said deponent
as his wife and is now
pregnant with child to him.

That deponent is
informed and believes that
said deponent was married
to the said Mary Mitzky in
the City of Odessa in Russia
Poland in the month of
September 1886 by a Jewish
Rabbi, and has had two (2)
children by him.

Deponent, therefore, says he
may be liable with as the law
may direct. Hannah ^{new} Mitzky
mark

Sworn to before me this
11th day of May 1889
J. J. McAdams
Chief Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0030

City and County } ss.
of New York

Mary Mitzky,
of No. 7 Scheriff Street, being duly
sworn says - That she was
married to the defendant (here
present, John Mitzky, at the
City of Odessa in Russia
Poland in September 1886
by a Jewish Rabbi. That she
has born two children by him
one of which is alive. That
defendant came to the United
States with him about 2 1/2
years ago, and returned to
Russia Poland and again came
to New York on the 1st instant
where defendant found her
husband living with the
complainant.

Sworn to before me this
4th day of May 1889

Mary her
X Mitzky
Mare

H. M. Patterson

Police Justice

POLICE COURT—

DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

vs.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0031

Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3 District Police Court.

John Mityko 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 Mityko*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *25 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia*

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

Answer. *99 Allen St. 5 or 6 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Machinist*

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*

J Mityko

Taken before me this

11

day of *May*

188*9*

John Mityko
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0032

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

Police Court... *June 650*
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Hannah Mulderry
104 Mulderry
John Mulderry

Offence *Bigamy*

Dated *May 4th* 188*8*

William H. Patterson Magistrate.

William H. Patterson Officer.

William H. Patterson Precinct.

Witnesses *William H. Patterson*

No. *1405* *Stuyvesant* Street.

No. *7* *Stuyvesant* Street.

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No. *7* *Stuyvesant* Street.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Seven* 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 *May 4th* 188*8* *William H. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0033

Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE

vs.

J. Nitzky

Change address
of Hannah Nitzky
to 104 Hester
from 99 Allen
P May 9.

Bouyer

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0034

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 McIntyre

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

John McIntyre

of the CRIME OF BIGAMY, committed as follows:

The said *John McIntyre*.

late or the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Tenth*
day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
and *eighty six*, at the *City of Odessa*
in *Russia - Poland*,

did marry one *Mary McIntyre* and her.

the said *Mary McIntyre* did then and there have for
his wife: and the said *John McIntyre*.

afterwards, to wit on the *second* day of *August*, in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the *City and*
County of New York, aforesaid, —
did feloniously marry and take as *his wife* one *Martha*
Edwards, and to the said *Martha Edwards*,
was then and there married, the said *Mary McIntyre*.

being then living and in full life, 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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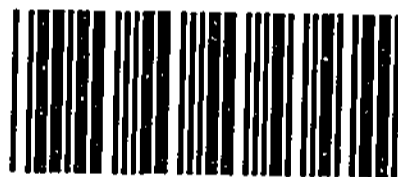
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Mooney, Patrick J.

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Kampe, Philip G.

DATE:

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POOR QUALITY
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0037

Witnesses:

Edw. McArthur
Opp. Wright

Witnesses
Thos. D. Gish
Thos. D. Gish

Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

1889

THE PEOPLE

vs.

~~Patrick J. Mooney~~
~~and~~
Philip S. Harris

Grand Larceny, 5th Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 580, 580 - Penal Code].

Attorney,
JOHN F. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

21st June 89

Adm'd

Not tried & acquitted

A True Bill

Foreman.

Witnesses
I certify that the grand
jury have returned the
above bill against the
defendant.

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0038

County of General Session,
City of New York.
The People

vs
Patrick J. Mooney
Whillik & G. R. Rump

City & County of New York ss
Mary Anne Mooney being duly sworn says
I am the wife of the defendant Patrick J.
Mooney. I live at 448 West 47th and
have two young children. I have been
married to the defendant Mooney seven years.
During that time he has been a kind and
affectionate man a good father and a
husband. I am quite sure that this is the
first time he has ever been charged with
a criminal offence, even of a trivial char-
-acter. My husband was always a sober
man until the last Spring; ~~when~~ at
that time he was taken ill, and ordered
wine and brandy, he took to drinking and
was drunk at the time he committed the
offence charged. He was in prison about
one week. Since his discharge ^{May 22nd} ~~therefore~~ he
has abstained entirely from liquor, he has sought
employment, and is now endeavoring to support
his family. If he were imprisoned your
deponent and her two entirely helpless
children one year five years, the other three

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4 years old, would be left in January
and Nursery. Meg Hubbard is now
idle but can obtain immediate em-
ployment if the recognizance in this
case was discharged.

Sworn to before me this } Maryann Mooney
5th day of Sept 1883 }
Robert O. Byrne

NOTARY PUBLIC,
N. Y. COUNTY.

City and County of New York Co.,
Patrick J. Mooney being duly sworn says
that he is the Defendant in the above case
~~and~~ Your Dependent has no distinct
recollection of the occurrence, beyond the fact
that McHugh the Plaintiff was in the premises
of Dependent the night in question, and lost
his watch. Your Dependent is quite conscious
that he did not steal it, as he has never
been guilty of a dishonest act in his life
nor charged with one save that he is
under indictment for. Your Dependent
desires to make full restitution for any
injury done to the Plaintiff. Your
Dependent of peace from the indictment.
He can obtain employment, and support his
family.

Sworn to before me this }
5th day of Sept 1883 }

Patrick J. Mooney

Robert O. Byrne

NOTARY PUBLIC

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City and County of New York, Ad.
David Nugent being
duly sworn says: That he is
the Liquor Business at No 411 6th
Avenue, New York City and has
been acquainted with the
defendant Patrick J. Mooney
for about four years. That
said Mooney worked for him
continuously for about
three years as a bartender.

That during that period
deponent found said Mooney
honest, trustworthy, temper-
ate and very attentive to his
duties.

Deponent always had
perfect confidence in said
Mooney's honesty and cannot
believe that he could
be guilty of any crime.

Sworn to before David Nugent
me Sept. 6th, 1889.

Robert O. Byrne

NOTARY PUBLIC,
N. Y. COUNTY.

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

Pitroli & Mooney
&
Phillips & Kemp

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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. One of said defendants whom I believed to be the most guilty was tried in the General Sessions on May 15th last and acquitted; viz the defendant Kemp. The other defendant Mooney is a man who has as I am informed always borne a very good character, and has a wife and two children entirely dependent on him for support. The property taken ^{has been} ~~is in the hands~~ of the ~~property~~ Clerk of the Court. Mooney has suffered very much as his business has been entirely broken up as a result of his arrest and indictment. I therefore pray the Court to dismiss the indictment or discharge the recognizance.

Witness
My hand

Edwin Hugh

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The People

Mooney &
Kamp

City Clerk Sept 88

Thomas Murray being duly sworn says
I reside at No 488 6th in the City of New
York. I know the defendant Mooney. and
know many persons who know him. I
never heard anything to his discredit nor
one word against his character as an
honest industrious man until the present
charge made against him.

Sworn to before me
this 6th day of Sept 89

Robert O. Dine Notary Public N.Y.C.

Thos Murray

City and County of N.Y.

Patrick O'Rourke being duly sworn says
I live at 488 6th Avenue. I have known
the defendant for about 3 years and have
had ample opportunity of becoming acquainted with
his character. He has always borne the
reputation of being a thoroughly honest and
upright young man.

Sworn to before me this
6th day of Sept 89

Robert O. Dine Notary Public
N.Y.C.

Patrick O'Rourke

POOR QUALITY
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City and County of New York ss.

Julius Schroeder being duly sworn deposes
I reside at 286 E 42nd St in the City
I have known the Defendant Morney for
about five years, and know many people
who know him. He has always borne
a first rate character for honesty and
industry. I was really surprised when
I heard that he was charged with larceny.
He has a wife and children dependent
upon him, and already he has suffered
great loss by his business being broken up
by his arrest.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 17th day of September 1889
Robert O. Lydie
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

Julius Schroeder

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General Sessions Court
New York City

People vs

agst

Patrick J. Mooney
and ano.

Affidavits

JOHN O'BYRNE,

Attorney for *Patrick Mooney*

280 Broadway,

New York.

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PART III.

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE FIRST STORY.
If this Subpena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.
Bring this Subpena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.
[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPENAS FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE

In the Name of the People of the State of New York.

To *Patrick McGiath*
of No. *333 E. 6 123* Street,

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, on the *24th* day of *June*, 1889, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Patrick J. Rooney

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of *June* 1889, in the year of our Lord, 1889.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Patrick J. Mooney
et al

City and County of New York, ss:

Deter J. Boylan being duly
sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. ~~239 East~~ 980 3rd Ave.
Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the
City and County of New York. On the 22nd day of June 1889,
and on several other occasions
I called at 333 East 123rd St.

the alleged residence of Patrick Mc Grath
a witness
the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by
the woman with whom said Mc Grath boarded,
that he had left her house about two weeks
ago; she did not know where he is at present,
residing.

Sworn to before me, this 24th day
of June 1889

Deter J. Boylan
Subpoena Server.
Henry Herzbach Notary Public N. Y. Co.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0047

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Edward McHugh

Patrick J. Moran

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Peter J. Boylan

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—5 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 179 East 105th Street, aged 37 years,
occupation Butcher being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 10th day of May 1889 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

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

A gold watch and chain and a
diamond stud collectively
of the value of about the hundred forty dollars
\$150⁰⁰ / 100

the property of deponent who at the time
was under the influence of liquor

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

Philip J. Kamp acting in collusion
and both now present. That on
the night in question between the hours
of twelve and one o'clock deponent
was in the store of the first named
defendants and at that time deponent
had the aforesaid property in his
possession, upon his person.

That after deponent
left said store he discovered the
loss of said property and deponent
is now informed by Patrick McGrath
that the tickets heretofore given
him by the defendants Mooney and

Examined by me, this
1st day of May 1889

Police Justice.

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The said tickets are pawn tickets and
represent the property stolen from
deponer on the night in question.

The deponent identifies the defendants
Kamp as having been in his company
in Mooney's store on said night and
he has since admitted to Officer
James Wright 27th Precinct that
the Kamp pawned the watch
and deponer therefore charges said
Kamp with being in collusion with
the defendant Mooney and with
aiding him in the commission of the
felony.

Edward C. H. Hugh

Subscribed before me this
19th day of May 1889
J. M. W. M. (Deputy Justice)

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0050

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 31 years, occupation Bar tender of No.

333 East 123 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Edward M. Hughes

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

May 1889

Patrick McQuinn

Samuel J. Smith
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0051

Sec. 100-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

5 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Patrick J. Mooney*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *164 East 115 St*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Cigars*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the charge*
Patrick J. Mooney

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0052

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

Philip G. Kamp
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.

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 of the charge
Philip G. Kamp

Taken before me this

6 day of

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,
No. 1, by Samuel D. McCarroll
Residence 1319 Avenue A.
No. 2, by [redacted]
Residence [redacted]
No. 3, by [redacted]
Residence [redacted]
No. 4, by [redacted]
Residence [redacted]

\$1000 - Bail
for appearance in court.
May 2, 1889
Deputy Sheriff, District
Marion, New York.
732.9. Am

Police Court... District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

179 East 108th St
Samuel D. McCarroll
Philip G. Kamp
Offence Conceal
from person

Dated May 19 188

Magistrate.

James W. [redacted] Officer

Call the officer

Witnesses Samuel D. McCarroll
1319 Avenue A.

No. 1319 Street A.

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No. 1319 Street A.

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

Samuel D. McCarroll & Philip G. Kamp
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they've 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 they give such bail.

Dated May 19 188 James W. [redacted] Police Justice.

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

Dated May 19 188 James W. [redacted] 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 May 19 188 James W. [redacted] Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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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

Patrick J. Mooney and
Philip J. Kampe

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
Patrick J. Mooney and Philip J. Kampe
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Patrick J. Mooney and Philip J. Kampe, both*
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixteenth*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value
of seventy dollars, one chain of
the value of thirty dollars, and
one stud of the value of fifty
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Edward Mc Hugh*
on the person of the said *Edward Mc Hugh*
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Edward Mc Hugh*
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

Patrick J. Mooney and Philip G. Kampe
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said

Patrick J. Mooney and Philip G. Kampe

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 dollars, one chain of
the value of thirty dollars,
and one stud of the value
of fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Edward McHugh

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

Edward McHugh

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

Patrick J. Mooney and Philip G. Kampe

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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Murphy, Francis J.

DATE:

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May 1889

THE PEOPLE
28.
Grand Larceny
[Sections 528, 537 — Penal Code].
degree.

Francis J. Murphy

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Francis J. Murphy

Foreman.

May 27/89
Le R. R. P.
Plead. by May

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Witnesses:
Matam Sanford
Gilbert Conklin

app. only
a Bay, 7/13

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ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

aged 22 years, occupation Gilbert Conklin
43 Beaver of No.

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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May 9th Gilbert Conklin
J. M. Plutens
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—2—District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

of No. 5 Levy Street, aged 41 years,
occupation Supt. Messengers Am. Dist. Tel. Co (being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 2 day of May 1889 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 to the amount
and value of fifty dollars.
(\$50.00)

the property of The American District Telegraph
Co. and in deponent's care and
custody.

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 Francis Murphy (now here)
from the fact that the said defendant
was employed by the American District
Telegraph Co as a messenger.
Deponent is informed by Gilbert Conklin
of No 43 Beaver St. that at about the
hour of 9 o'clock on said date he
Conklin gave the said defendant an
envelope in which ^{was} enclosed the said
sum of fifty dollars and which said
envelope was addressed to the receiving
teller of the Columbia Bank on the corner
of 5th Avenue and 43rd Street and instructed
him the said defendant to take said
envelope containing said sum of money

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to the said receiving teller. he the defendant
took said envelope and left with it.
and at about the hour of 2.30 O'clock
on same day he Cucklin went to said
Bank for the purpose of making a deposit.
and there learned from the receiving teller
of said Bank. that the said defendant.
had not brought said envelope containing
said sum of fifty dollars to said Bank.
Defendant further says that the said
defendant has since admitted and
confessed in open court in the presence
and hearing of deponents the said Gilbert
Cucklin, and Detective Sergeant Thomas
Mulvey that he did feloniously take steal
and carry away said sum of money.
Wherefore deponent prays the said
defendant may be held and dealt
with according to law.

Sworn to before me
this 21st day of May 1889 } Watson. J. Sanford
J. M. Plattsboro
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

Francis J. Murphy 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.

Francis J. Murphy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

16 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York city

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

Answer.

2020, 4th Avenue. Nearly 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Messenger.

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

Francis J. Murphy.

Taken before me this

day of

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John J. Sullivan

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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

Police Court---

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William H. Sandford
vs.
Francis J. Murphy

Offence

Larceny

Dated

May 21

1889

Residence

Magistrate

No. 3, by

Wm. Murphy

Officer

Residence

Precinct

No. 4, by

Wm. Sandford

Witnesses

No. 4, by

Wm. Sandford

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No. 4, by

Wm. Sandford

Witnesses

No. 4, by

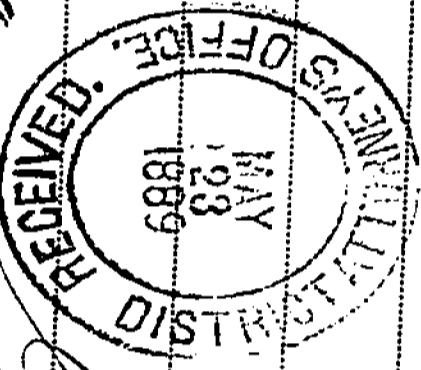
Wm. Sandford

Witnesses

No. 4, by

Wm. Sandford

Witnesses



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 \$1000 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 May 21 1889 J. M. Peterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1889 _____ 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 _____ 1889 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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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

Francis J. Murphy

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by

this indictment, accuse

Francis J. Murphy

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

The said

Francis J. Murphy

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *third*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day- time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *twenty-five*

dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
twenty-five

dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *twenty-five*

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *twenty-five*

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *twenty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~ a corporation called
The American District Telegraph Company 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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Murphy, John C.

DATE:

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The Indian Post
the Government

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H. Carter & Son
 112 Broadway
 New York
 June 15, 1891

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 3rd DISTRICT.

of No. 14th Avenue, New York, aged 37 years,
occupation Policeman, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 27th day of March 1889

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

arrested one John Murphy
new here, on information
and belief that said Murphy
feloniously assaulted, cut and
stabbed one Arthur C. C. C.
on the night of March 26th
last past; and as said
C. C. C. is now in Hospital
because of said assault,
Deponent prays that

Sworn to before me, this

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day

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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0067

David Murphy be held to
answer the result of same
injuries
done before me } Francis Hagan
this 28th day of Mar 1889 } Police Justice
J. M. Peterson

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Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

ABHIDAVIT.

John Murphy

Mar 28
J. M. Peterson
Magistrate.

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Hagan
14th

Witness,

Disposition To arrest

verdict

POOR QUALITY
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Police Court— District.

City and County { ss.:
of New York,

of No. 56 East 43rd Street, aged 27 years,
occupation Driver being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on 26 day of March 1889 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John
Murphy (now here) who
feloniously cut, stabbed and
wounded Deponent on
his neck, with some sharp
instrument and there held
in said Deponent's hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 12th day

of April 1889

at

Arthur Erbach.

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

3 District Police Court.

John C. Murphy 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.

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
and I ask for an
acquittal*

John C. Murphy

Taken before me this

day of

1889

John C. Murphy
Police Justice.

San Francisco Apr 13th/89
Third District Police
Court Room, O'Reilly
Presiding.

Arthur Citack }
John Murphy }

Arthur Citack being duly
sworn, deposes and says
Q. Where do you live?

A. 56 East 13 St., with a
man named Devine

Q. Do you board there
A. I have a room &

am a shipping clerk
and a driver. I have
been in Hospital. I

Q. got this before I got out.
Have you, I accused
gambling?

Yes Sir.

Q. How long ago was
this?

- Q. On the 26th of
March
- Q. Where did it take
place?
- A. 17th St and 3rd
Av about half past
11 o'clock at night
- Q. Where had you
been?
- A. 13th St and 4th
Av.
- Q. Had you been
in his company?
- A. Yes Sir,
- Q. What were you doing?
- A. Playing cards
- Q. For money?
- A. No Sir,
- Q. What were you playing
for?
- A. Drink
- Q. What game?
- A. Canchee
- Q. You did not play for

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Q. A money He said.
Q. You said no dispute
about money?

Q. A. No Sir;
When you went out
where did you go?
To 13th Street and Third

Q. A. What time? Please
A. He went down to 17th St.
and 3rd St.

Q. A. Where you
got there first? How
took place?

A. Before we got
there we had an argu-
ment, a good hot word
about some money. I
gave him some money
in the morning.

Q. Did you have words
about cards?
A. No Sir

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Q. What did you do to him?

A. He threatened me and hit him, & hit him once.

Q. How was this, were you alone?

A. Yes Sir, I hit the two places, & he was angry. & was against a telegraph post, he came at him and stabbed me. He came up and told the other man to hit him, then he came up and stabbed me.

Q. Did you see what he stabbed him with?
A. A pocket knife. & was cut under the chin or neck, he came up and stabbed me.

Q. Without a word or

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A. You just he cut you?

Q. Yes, Sir,
You do not know what
he cut you with?

A. Yes, Sir.
Q. You did not see any
knife?

A. Yes, Sir,
Q. Where did you strike
him?

A. In the chin
Q. How far from the place
you were arguing?

A. About a half
block.
Q. You did not strike
him but once?

A. Yes, Sir,
Q. How long did you know
him?

A. About 7 or 10 (ten)
months.

Q. How long were
you in hospital

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A I came out last
Tuesday afternoon.

Q. Where did you go
when you came out?

A To the station
house.

Q. Was the Defendant
in your company?
Yes Sir.

Sworn before me }
This 13th day of April 1889

Deice Justice.

Under the Defendant's hand
in \$1000 H. Answer.

W. J. Treacy
Stenographer.

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Complainant bailed by

Henry M. Adams
166 W 72nd St

Police Court

District

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THE PEOPLE
vs.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry M. Adams

166 W 72nd St

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Dated

April 13 1889

Magistrate

Henry M. Adams

Officer

166 W 72nd St

Witness

Henry M. Adams

No. 154

Henry M. Adams

Dr. Edward

Henry M. Adams

\$1000

Henry M. Adams

Complainant

Henry M. Adams

Mr. Adams

Henry M. Adams

defendant

Henry M. Adams

\$1000

Henry M. Adams

Committee

Henry M. Adams

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

Defendant

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

Dated April 13 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 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 1889 Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

of No. 14 Premier Police Street, aged _____ years,
occupation Police officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 12 day of April 1889

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

deposes that Arthur Estack
Nurture is Material and important
Witness for the people against
John Murphy on the charge of
Assault ("felony") Defendant believes
that the said Estack will not
appear and he ask that he
may give a Bond for his appearance
Francis Hagan

Sworn to before me, this 12 day
of April 1889

Police Justice.

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Bellvue Hospital
New York March 28/89
10 Alton St. New York
This is to certify
that Arthur Grisdale
~~is~~ patient in Ward 10
with incised wound
of neck is unable to
appear in court and
that it will be at
least ten days before
he will be out of danger
to his life.

Signed

Edward A. Tully M.D.
House Surgeon
Second Surg. Div.

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POLICE COURT—Hurd DISTRICT
CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on
the 12 day of April in the year of our Lord 188 9
Arthur Estach
of No. 56 E 13. Street, in the City of New York,
and Henry Widmayer
of No. 166 W 72 Street, in the said City,
personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and
acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the said

Estach
the sum of _____
and the said Widmayer one Hundred Dollars,
the sum of _____ one Hundred Dollars,
separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective
goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the con-
dition following, viz:

The Condition of this Recognizance is such, That if the person first above recognized shall personally
appear at the next COURT OF General SESSIONS of the Peace, to be holden in and
for the City and County of New York, and then and there Testify and give such evidence in behalf of
the People of the State of New York, as he may know concerning an Offence or
said to have been lately committed in the City of New York aforesaid by Henry

And do not depart thence without leave of the Court, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to
remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the }
day and year first above written. }

Arthur Estach
Henry Widmayer

John J. Clifford Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Sworn before me, this
day of Oct
1889
James J. Sullivan Police Justice.

Henry Widmayer
the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says that he is a free holder in
said City, and is worth Five Hundred Dollars,
over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of one
a half fifth interest in houses and lots
of land situated 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172
West 23rd Street of the value of \$180.
000 free and clear of all incumbrance

Henry Widmayer

New York Sessions.
THE PEOPLE, &c.
Recognizance to Testify.
Magistrate

Filed day of 188

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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 C. Murphy

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

John C. Murphy
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
twenty-sixth day of March in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Arthur Ertack
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and - him - the said Arthur E. Ertack
with a certain sharp instrument to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown
which the said John C. Murphy
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

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with intent him the said Arthur Ertack
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
John C. Murphy
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

John C. Murphy
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 Arthur E. Ertack
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and him the said
Arthur E. Ertack
with a certain sharp instrument to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
which the said John C. Murphy
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 strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York
and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said
John C. Murphy
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:
The said *John C. Murphy*

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 said
Arthur Ertack in the peace of the said People then
and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and
him the said *Arthur Ertack*
with a certain sharp instrument to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
which he the said *John C. Murphy*
in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the neck
of him the said *Arthur Ertack*
then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Arthur Ertack*

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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DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, Thomas

DATE:

05/24/89



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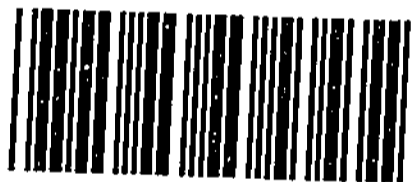
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DESCRIPTION:

O'Toole, John

DATE:

05/24/89



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Witnesses:

J. Nelson

Off. O'Brien

No. 2 Confessed
and answering to
specimen - for

Counsel,
Filed 24 day of May 1889
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas Murphy
and
John O'Sole

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Charles W. Newbury
Foreman.

May 27
Robt. J. Kelly
Chas. J. Kelly
Chas. J. Kelly
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Police Court—Hind District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

James Nelson
of No. 418 Broadway St. Newark N.J., Aged 62 Years
Occupation Machinist being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
20 day of May 1889, at the 8 1/2 Ward of the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

one gold plated Watch with gold plated
chain and gold Locket attached, one
imitation diamond Pin & Ring, one
pen knife & one bunch of Keys all

of the value of Forty DOLLARS,
the property of deponent

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

Thomas Murphy, John O. Toole, (members)
from the fact that part of said property
was found in the possession of said
Murphy by John McCauley of the
Central office Police and said
O. Toole acknowledged to
deponent in the presence and

Sworn to before me, this
day of

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hearing of Stephen O'Brien ^{and} John
Mc Carley that he in company
with said Murphy took said
property as aforesaid.

Deponent further says that he
was knocked down corner of Olney
and Washington Street by said
defendants at the hour of 8.30.
P. M. on said date and
said said property was taken
as aforesaid.

James M. Nelson

Dated

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TO BEFORE ME

of the City of New York

order to be discharged.

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 39 years, occupation Detective Sergt of No. 300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of May 1889 John W. C. Bailey

D. J. C. Bailey
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation Detective Sergt of No. 300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 24 day of May 1889 Stephen A. Breen

D. J. C. Bailey
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

Thomas Murphy 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 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 waiver cannot be used
against h on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas Murphy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 year

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

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1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Modeler

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 bought the property
from a fellow in the
Bover*

Thomas *his* *Murphy*
mark

Taken before me this

day of

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W. C. Kelly
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

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District Police Court.

John O Toole 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 guilty of the charge
my Murphy was with
John O Toole
me

Taken before me this

day of

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W. J. McCall Police Justice.

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

Police Court... 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Wilson
Thomas Humphrey
John O. Teeter

Robbery

Offence

Dated May 24 1889

A. C. Reilly Magistrate.

Settled on Brown Officer.

John McEwenly C. C. Precinct.

Witnesses Offender

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

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

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

Dated May 24 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1889 _____ 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 _____ 1889 _____ Police Justice.

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STATE OF NEW YORK,
Executive Chamber,
ALBANY.

April 1, 1890.

Sir:

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of John O'Toole who was convicted of Robbery, 2nd degree in the county of New York and sentenced May 27, 1889, to imprisonment in the Sing Sing Prison for the term of five years, seven 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. John R. Fellows,

District Attorney,

New York City.

J. S. Williams,

Private Secretary.

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Answered June 5/90
Geo. D. Poole

LA
Smyth

6/9/1900

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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

Thomas Murphy
and John O'Sode

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

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

The said *Thomas Murphy and John O'Sode*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *May*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, in the *night* time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *James Nelson*, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

one watch of the value of twenty five dollars, one chain of the value of ten dollars, one pocket of the value of ten dollars, one diamond ring of the value of fifteen dollars, one ring of the value of ten dollars, and one badge of the value of fifty cents.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *James Nelson*, from the person of the said *James Nelson*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *James Nelson*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *the said Thomas Murphy and John O'Sode* and each of them, *being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, to wit: each by the other:*

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 accuses the said

Thomas Murphy

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

The said

Thomas Murphy

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *five* ~~the~~ day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~nine~~ at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one watch of the value of twenty five dollars, one chain of the value of ten dollars, one pocket of the value of ten dollars, one pin of the value of fifteen dollars, one ring of the value of ten dollars, and one pair of the value of fifty cents,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *James Nelson,*

and one John O. Soule and

by ~~a~~ ^{other} certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *James Nelson,*

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

Thomas Murphy

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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BOX:

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FOLDER:

3331

DESCRIPTION:

Myers, Melnotte

DATE:

05/07/89



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no 23
Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,
day of May 1889
C. H. Gandy

Grand Larceny, (From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 581 — Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

22 June 1889
9th District
P. H. Gandy

Melvin H. Myers

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Forfeit June 11/89 - Foreman.
Filed and convicted.
J. P. H. Gandy to me
J. P. H. Gandy
P. B. H.

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The People of the State of New York,
 against
 M e l n o t t e M e y e r s .
 -----x: J u r y .

Indicted for Grand Larceny in the 2nd degree.

APPEARANCES: For the People Asst. Dist. Atty . Fitz-
GERALD.

Mrs. RAY LEVY, a witness for the People, sworn, testified :

I am a married lady and live at No. 35 East 74th Street . On the first day of April this year I was walking on Fifth Avenue between 28th and 29th Streets about noon time . I had my pocket book with me at that time containing a two dollar bill and some change . I had the pocket book in the pocket of my goasamer . . As I walked along a man brushed against me and took the pocket book out of my pocket. The defendant at the bar is the man who took it . . I felt him brush right against me and take the pocket book and then run away . I did not see the pocket book in his hand . He ran down 28th Street to Madison Avenue. I

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only followed him about a block . I then lost sight of him . I saw him afterwards in the 30th Street station house . The pocket book which was shown me at the station house was mine .

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I did not see the defendant before the he took the pocket book; he came from behind me.

Q You did not see him until he came close enough to put his hand upon you ? A. I certainly did not notice him; there were people passing at the time .

Q You did not see him take your pocket book ? A. I saw him take my pocket book .

Q You saw his hand go into your pocket ? A. Yes sir; I saw his hand go to the pocket as he brushed past me .

Q You swear to that ? A. Yes sir .

Q Did you see the pocket book in his hand ? A. I did not see the pocket book in his hand .

Q Can you tell which hand he put into your pocket ? A. No.

Q How did he take it out ? A. I did not see him take it out I felt him .

Q When you said you saw him take it out you were mistaken ? A. I felt it right here .

Q Did you see his hand when he put it into your pocket ?

A I felt the hand; I did not see it; I saw the man and felt the pocket book going at the same moment .

Q Were you asked at the station house whether you could identify the man who took your pocket book ?

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A I dont remember being asked that .

Q Do you know why three weeks elapsed before you made a complaint ? A. I refused to go to the Court; and I was finally induced to go and he was re-captured . I declined to go because I wanted to avoid the publicity .

EDWARD A. SMITH, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I live in Astoria . I am a driver for a butcher in Fulton Market . On the 1st of April I saw the defendant Melnotte Meyers going through 29th Street between Madison and 4th Avenues. I saw another driver running after him and I joined in the chase . I was on my wagon . I chased him through 29th St. ; up 4th Ave; down 30th St. up Lexington and down 31st Street . . In 31st Street he threw a pocket book in the alley way . I continued on until I met an officer and the defendant was arrested . . I went back to the alley way where I saw the defendant throw the pocket book and I found it there . I handed it over to the officers . The pocket book was shown to the lady in the station house . She identified the pocket book as hers . The defendant was present at the time . The pocket book now shown me is the same one .

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I did not see any other man running . There were no others chasing him besides us two drivers . We did not raise any outcry . The defendant ran pretty fast .

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HENRY WAY, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a driver . On the 1st of April last I saw this defendant on 5th Avenue between 28th and 29th Sts. As I was delivering goods on the opposite side of the street I saw him approach a lady and lift her dress and take something out of her pocket . I positively saw him put his hand into her pocket and draw something out . He walked as far as 28th St. and then started to run up, 28th St. I identify the lady who was on the stand as the person into whose pocket I saw him put his hand . I jumped on my wagon and followed the defendant; in 31st Street he threw something into an alley . He was caught by a police officer at 3rd Ave! and 31st St . I am certain the defendant is the man I saw take the pocket book and whom I followed .

CROSS EXAMINATION:

I am sure it was into the pocket of the lady's dress she put his hand . I noticed him pulling her water proof cloak one side . I was driving very rapidly after the defendant . We did not attract attention . we did not make any outcry . I went to the station house and I also was a witness in the Police Court in the case .

FREDERICK W. POSTHOFF?, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am a roundsman of police attached to the 33rd precinct . On the 1st of April I was on business down town. I arrested the defendant about 50 feet from

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The corner of 34th St. and 3rd Ave . A man on a wagon shou ed to me to arrest him and I asked himwhwhat did he do and he told m. he picked the pocket of a lady in 5th Avenue . The man told me that the defendant threw the pocket book into an alley way in 31st Street . I said "You find the pocket book". I walked to the corner of 33rd ST! and 3rd Avenue and then a man on aoteh another wagon acame along and told me the same thing . . I took the man to the 35th St. station houxs e and the lady came there afterwards and identifiedthe pocket book which was brought there by one of the wit- nesses . The lady said she was sick and would not be able to attend court . She did not attend and the defendant was discharged . He wasarrested again by another officer .

CROSS EXAMINATION:

The lady did not identify the defendant in the station house . She was not asked any question about him .

EDWARD ARMSTRONG, a witness for the People, sworn, testified:

I am an officer of Police . I arrested this defendant on the 25th of April. After I arrested him I found Mrs. ⁺evy and I had her make a complaint .

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.....DEFENCE.....

MELNOTTE MEYERS, the defendant, sworn, testified:

I am twenty eight years of age and reside at No. 224 East Eightieth Street in this city. I am a railroad employee. I was not on 5th Avenue on the first of April. I did not pick this lady's pocket of her pocket book. I did cross 5th Avenue at 31st St. I was going across to take the Elevated Railroad at 34th St. to go to my home in 80th Street. As I was going to get the train an officer came up to me and arrested me. I did not see Mrs. Levy until I got to the station house.

Q Did you see the witness Smith? A. No sir.

Q Did you see the witness Way? A. No sir.

Q Did you ever see the pocket book which I now show you before? A. I saw it in the station house.

Q Do you know anything about this larceny which the lady has testified to? A. No sir.

Q How many people were there in 3rd Avenue at 34th Street when you were arrested? A. Four or five dozen people.

CROSS EXAMINATION:

What were you doing the day you were arrested? A. I was out of work. On that morning I went to the corner of 30th Street and 7th Avenue to see a man about getting some work. I left my home at nine o'clock and got to 30th Street and 7th Avenue at about half past ten or a quarter to eleven. I walked from

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30th Street and 7th Avenue to 6th Avenue and 28th Street to see a friend of mine. I then started from there to go to 34th Street and 3rd Avenue to take the train. It was about twelve o'clock when I left 28th St. and 6th avenue. I went through 28th Street to Broadway and went up Broadway to 31st Street. I went through 31st St. to 3rd Avenue. I was arrested about fifty feet from 34th Street station. . . I remember the witness Smith saying that he saw me running through 29th St.; that is not so; . I heard Mr. way say that he saw me on 5th Avenue putting my hand into this lady's pocket and saw me running; that is not so .

The jury returned a verdict of GUILTY of Grand Larceny in the Second degree .

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Indictment filed May 7-1889.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

The People &c.

against

MELN OTT E MEYERS

Abstract of testimony on
trial New York, June 11th
1889.

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

of No. 196 Fulton St. Street, aged 35 years,
occupation Truck Driver being duly sworn deposes and says

that on the 1 day of April 1889

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

at about the
hour of 1 P.M. he saw Melnotte keep
the prisoner now present in East
39th Street between 4th and Madison
Avenue, that he was running
through said street 104th Avenue
up 14th Avenue to 30th Street, down
35th Street to Lexington Avenue up
Lexington Avenue to 31st Street down
31st Street to 3rd Avenue up 3rd Avenue
to 34th Street where he was arrested
by Officer Fred N. Posthoff of the
33rd Precinct. Deposition further

Sworn to before me, this

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day

Police Justice

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says that while the prisoner was
running through East 31st Street
between 3rd & Lexington Avenue he saw
him dash something from his hand
into an area-way in said street
and that after the prisoner was
arrested Depment returned to said
area-way and there found a pocketbook
which the complainant (Levy) subsequently
identified as the one stolen from ^{E. B. Smith} ~~Levy~~

^{Magistrate} ^{Iller}
I am before me this
26th day of April, 1889.

Daniel C. Hill
Police Justice

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRDAVIT.

vs.

Dated

Witness,

Disposition,

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

of No. 33rd Street, aged years,
occupation Police Officer, being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 1st day of April 1889

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

hour of 10 PM he arrested Melnotte
Meyus (the prisoner here present) while
he was running at 3rd Avenue and
34th Street, that a citizen informed
deponent that said Meyus
was a burglar and had snatched
a pocketbook from a lady at 5th
Avenue and 38th Street, and that subsequently
Edward G. Smith Jr. approached deponent
and handed him a pocket book
which he found in an area-way.

Sworn to before me, this

of

1889

day

Police Justice.

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where he said he saw the person
throw the same and further that
the complainant (Levy) identified
the same as the one which had
been stolen from her at Swanwick
and 27th Street

Frederick W. Posthoff

Sworn before me this 7th
day of April 1889,

David C. Keck
John J. Foster

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York, }
of No. 35 East 74th Street, aged 36 years,

occupation Married being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 1 day of April 1889 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away and person
of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One pocket book containing one two dollar bill, and a bunch of small coins altogether of the value of five dollars.

the property of Clement

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 Melville Meyers (see here)

and carried away by Melvin the Meyers from her,
from the fact that on said date
Apprent was walking on 5th
Avenue between 38th and 39th Street, at
about the hour of 12:30 Pm. of
said date, when said Meyers
approached her, thrust his hand
in one of the pockets of a waterproof
which was on her person seized
said property and hastily departed
with the same.

Ray Long

Sworn to before me, this 20 day
of April, 1888

David Smith / Police Justice.

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2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Melnoth Meyers 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.

Melnoth Meyers

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N.Y.

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

Answer.

Port Richmond, Staten Island

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Porter, Staten Island Rapid Transit

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,

Melnoth Meyers

Taken before me this

day of

1889

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Joseph B Woolbridge
of Central office Street, aged 29 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 23 day of April 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested Melchor
Meyers (name) on a charge of Larceny
Defendant also that said
defendant be committed for Examination
be enable him to procure necessary
Evidence and proof
Joseph B Woolbridge

Sworn to before me, this
of April 24 day
1889

Joseph B Woolbridge Police Justice.

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Police Court, 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Melvin Meyers

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated Apr 24 188 9

L. A. Rulley Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

\$1000 & Apr 26 10 a.m.
" " 2 P.M.

Disposition,

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

Police Court---

2 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1. *Henry Lewis & Co.*
2. *35 East 14th*
3. *Michael H. Hays*
4. _____

Offence

Larceny from the Person
Robbery

Dated

April 26
1889

Residence

Ward 10
Magistrate

No. 3, by

Ward 10
Magistrate

Residence

Ward 10
Magistrate

No. 4, by

Ward 10
Magistrate

Residence

Ward 10
Magistrate

No. 5, by

Ward 10
Magistrate

Residence

Ward 10
Magistrate

No. 6, by

Ward 10
Magistrate

Residence

Ward 10
Magistrate

No. 7, by

Ward 10
Magistrate

Residence

Ward 10
Magistrate

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 *April 26* 1889 *Sanicor* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1889 _____ 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 _____ 1889 _____ Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Melnotte Myers

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

— *Melnotte Myers* —
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Melnotte Myers*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first*
day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, 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 — ;

*divers coins of a number, kind and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
of the value of three dollars, one pocket
book of the value of twenty-five
cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *one Ray Levy* —
on the person of the said *Ray Levy* —
then and there being found, from the person of the said *Ray Levy* —
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:

Meyer, Jacob

DATE:

05/23/89



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Witnesses:

Robert Kerr

Officer Cottrell

Counsel,

Filed

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day of

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Jacob Meyer

Grand Larceny Second degree.

[Sections 528, 517 — Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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A TRUE BILL.

John R. Fellows

Foreman.

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Police Court- 3^d District.

Affidavit-Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, ss.:

of No. 9 East 4th Avenue Square Street, aged 52 years,
occupation Hotel being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 18 day of April 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:

Groceries and fuel of the United
States Consisting of bills of various
denomination of the amount and of
the value of Eighty five dollars and
two silver matches of the value of
ten dollars in all of the value
of ninety five dollars \$95-

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 Jacob Meyer (husband)

from the fact that the said
deponent was a clerk in
the employ of deponent and
by virtue of said position he
access to the safe in said place
and the said Jacob has admitted
and confessed to this deponent
in the presence of officer John
Fother that he did take the above
property.

Robert Kerr

Sworn to before me, this 18 day
of May 1888

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation Police Officer of No. Central Office

Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Robert Kerr

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

Sworn to before me, this 17 day of May 1889 John. Bottrell

Doyle
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
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Sec. 102-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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District Police Court.

Jacob Meyer 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.

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 guilty of the charge

Jacob Meyer

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.

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

Police Court 3
District 4/6

THE PEOPLE &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

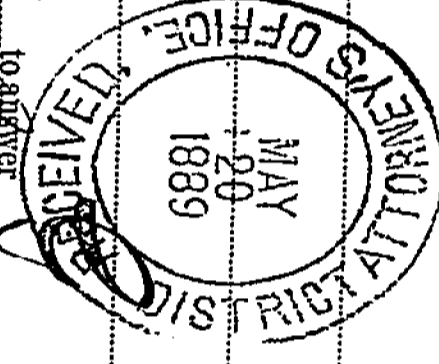
Richard Owen
9 William Square
1 Janet Mayne

Offence Larceny

Dated 17th May 1889

A O Kelly Magistrate
C. C. Cottrell Officer

Witnesses
Edm Cottrell
Central Office



No. _____
No. _____
\$1000
LOAN
Money

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

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

Dated May 17 1889 To J. O. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 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 1889 Police Justice.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Jacob Meyer

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

Jacob Meyer

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

The said

Jacob Meyer

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eighteenth*
day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day - time of the same day, divers promissory notes for the payment of money, being
\$85.00 then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury
Notes), of a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *forty*

dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
forty
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *forty*

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *forty*

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

two watches of the value
of five dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Robert Kerr
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.*