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**DESCRIPTION:**

Schickling, Henry A.

**DATE:**

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Friday No 77 2  
No. 76.

Filed 11 day of Nov 1880.  
Pleads Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Henry O. Schickling  
P.  
Felonious Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

On reading of the affidavits of Melchor Hoffman & Henry O Schickling It is ordered that the fine of one hundred dollars imposed thereon be remitted  
dated Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> 1882

Respectfully  
Lefty Dodge

A True Bill.

found  
C. King  
Foreman.  
March 25<sup>th</sup> 1881  
Grand Jurors of  
District and Gallery  
Henry O. Schickling  
1<sup>st</sup> Foreman

City and County of New York - ss  
 Melchior Hoffmann being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that he carried on  
 business as a butcher at 1628 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
 that he knows one Henry A. Schickling  
 and has known him since he was a  
 boy, that the said Schickling was on  
 the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1881, convicted of  
 Assault and Battery and was sentenced  
 by the Hon. Rufus B. Cowing, who was  
 then presiding at the Court of General  
 Sessions, to the Penitentiary for the  
 period of twelve months and to pay  
 a fine of one hundred dollars.

Deponent further says, that  
 he has always known the said Henry  
 A. Schickling to be an honest, industrious  
 and hard working young man  
 and that it is an utter impossibility  
 for the said Henry A. Schickling to  
 pay said fine and ~~that~~ <sup>therefore</sup> deponent  
 prays that this Honorable Court  
 may remit said fine.

Sworn to before me this

23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1882

Notary Public  
 N.Y. County.

Melchior Hoffmann

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Court of General  
Sessions.

The People

vs

Henry A. Scherling

Affidavit as to character

City and County of New York S.S.  
Henry A. Schickling  
being duly sworn says! That on the  
25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1881, in Part 1, of the  
Court of General Sessions of the peace  
in and for this county, he was placed  
on trial before his Honor Judge Rufus  
B. Cowing then presiding, upon an  
indictment charging him with Ass-  
ault and Battery, that deponent was  
found guilty upon said indictment  
and thereupon sentenced to the "Peniten-  
tiary for the term of One year and to  
pay a fine of One Hundred Dollars  
or stand committed till paid"

Deponent further says that his term  
of imprisonment is soon to expire, that  
he is the main support of his aged  
mother and younger brother, that  
he is wholly unable to pay said fine  
of One Hundred Dollars, as inflicted  
by the Court, that he has no means  
of raising the same, and that if kept  
in confinement through his inability  
to pay said fine, his mother and  
brother will certainly suffer.

Deponent further says, that being  
wholly unable to pay said fine

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and comply with the order of this  
Honorable Court, wherefore  
Deponent prays that said fine  
heretofore imposed maybe remitted  
and your petitioner (Deponent) will  
ever pray &c. Henry C. Schickling  
sworn to before me  
this 15 day of Dec 1881.  
Wm C. Peagles  
Notary Public  
Gwp

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Court of General Sessions

The People

vs  
Henry A. Schickling

—  
Affidavit to remit fine

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

Henry A. Schickling being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—Henry A. Schickling

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—Thirty three

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—New York City

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—270 217, E. 4th St

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—Star packer

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

Answer.—I did not mean to harm the  
man in that manner. I was  
intoxicated

Henry A. Schickling

Taken before  
William J. Hall  
day of Nov  
1898  
Police Justice.

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Police Court—Third District.

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

of No. *172 E, 4<sup>th</sup>* *Henry Bauman* Street  
on *Monday* the *1st* being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
in the year 1880, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

*Henry St. Schilling (now here)*  
*who cut this deponent with a*  
*clasp-knife on the right cheek thereby*  
*inflicting a wound and did say, I*  
*want to kill you you son of a bitch,*  
*and did throw a stone matchbox,*  
*weighing about ten pounds, at this*  
*deponent.*

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or do him 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, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this *2nd* day  
of *November* 1880

*J. Wilhelm*  
Police Justice.

*Baumann*

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Form 15  
Police Court—Third District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Henry H. H. H.  
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Aldavila & B.  
FELONIOUS.

Henry H. H. H.  
Dated Nov 2 1888

Magistrate.  
Officer.

Witness  
B. B. B. B.



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK }

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present :

That *Henry A. Schickling*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*first* day of *November* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *—* with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Henry Baumann*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *him* the said *Henry Baumann*  
with a certain *knife*  
which the said *Henry A. Schickling*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound  
with intent *him* the said *Henry Baumann*  
then and there, feloniously and willfully 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County  
aforesaid, the said *Henry A. Schickling*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Henry Baumann*  
then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an  
assault and *him* the said *Henry Baumann*  
with a certain *knife* which the said *Henry A. Schickling*  
in *his* right hand, then and there  
had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, willfully  
and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat,  
strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously  
do bodily harm unto *him* the said *Henry Baumann*  
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.

THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-  
said, the said *Henry A. Schickling*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of *Henry Baumann*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another  
assault and *him* the said *Henry Baumann*  
with a certain *knife*  
which the said *Henry A. Schickling* *his* right  
hand then and there had and held, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,  
and wound, the same being *such means and force* as was likely to produce the death  
of *him* the said *Henry Baumann* with intent *him* the

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said Henry Baumann then and there feloniously and willfully 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

Henry A. Schickling with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said Henry Baumann then and there being, willfully and feloniously, did make another assault and maim the said Henry Baumann with a certain knife which the said Henry A. Schickling in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, willfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously maim the said Henry Baumann 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

On reading being the  
affidavit of the  
Schickling in order  
that the fine of \$100  
should be levied  
therein be remitted  
as per order 25th 1882  
Richard C. Fleming  
Clerk of Court

Filed 11 day of May 1880  
Pleads Not Guilty  
No 77  
K. K.  
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THE PEOPLE  
98.  
Henry A. Schickling  
and Henry A. Schickling  
vs.  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.  
Felony Assault and Battery.

A TRUE BILL.  
Richard C. Fleming  
Clerk of Court  
25th 1882  
James J. Connelley  
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Schilling, Adolph

**DATE:**

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Indictment No 68 2  
D M Ehrlich  
Filed 10<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1880  
Pleads Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Adolph Schilling

Felonious Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Grant  
O. Rice

Foreman

Nov. 16. 1880

Discharged.

The complainant advised  
found. This case  
has been repeatedly  
calendar & the  
people witnesses have  
failed to attend. I think  
the prison may be richly  
his own recognition. by  
be found at any time

[Signature]

Nov. 16. 80 / Adally

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

Adolph Schelling being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—

Adolph Schelling

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

Forty eight

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

Germany

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

46 E. 13<sup>th</sup>

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

Painter

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

Answer.—

I am not guilty. I have  
been assaulted first by the complainant  
and two others, they broke in  
my door—

Adolph Schelling

Taken before me, this

John W. Hoff  
day of Nov  
1897  
Police Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

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

ss. *Louis Stasseholder*

of No. *646 E. 13th* Street

on *Thursday* the *4th* being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
in the year 1880 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by  
*Joseph Schilling (unknown)*

*Who cut the deponent with a  
butcher knife over the left eye  
inflicting an incised wound.*

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or do him 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, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this *5th* day  
of *November* 1880 }

*J. Wilhelm*  
Police Justice.

*Louis Stasseholder*

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Form 15.  
Police Court—Third District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Abdavit A. & B.  
FELONIOUS.

Lawrence

646 E 13 St

477 1/2 S. 13th St

1880

Dated

Magistrate.

Lawrence  
Francis  
646 E 13 St

Witness: E. J. ...  
Witness: ...



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present :

That

*Adolph Schilling*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*fourth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *with force and arms*, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Louis Mook*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *him* the said *Louis Mook*  
with a certain *knife*  
which the said

*Adolph Schilling*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound  
with intent *him* the said *Louis Mook*  
then and there, feloniously and willfully 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County  
aforesaid, the said *Adolph Schilling*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Louis Mook*  
then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an  
assault and *him* the said *Louis Mook*  
with a certain *knife* which the said

*Adolph Schilling*  
in *his* right hand, then and there  
had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, willfully  
and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat,  
strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously  
do bodily harm unto *him* the said *Louis Mook*  
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.

THIRD COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County afore-  
said, the said

*Adolph Schilling*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of *Louis Mook*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another  
assault and *him* the said *Louis Mook*  
with a certain *knife*  
which the said

*Adolph Schilling* in *his* right  
hand then and there had and held, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,  
and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death  
of *him* the said *Louis Mook* with intent *him* the

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said *Louis Meeks* then and there feloniously and willfully 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

*Adolph Schelling* with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Louis Meeks*, then and there being, willfully and feloniously, did make another assault and the said *Louis Meeks* with a certain *knife* which the said *Adolph Schelling* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, willfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *Louis Meeks* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

*The complaint cannot be found. This case has been referred to the collector & the people's interests have been to attend. I think the Justice may be satisfied on his own investigation. Can be found at any time.*

*Wm. H. S. Adams*

*Adolph Schelling*  
A TRUE BILL.  
*Benjamin*  
Benjamin  
Nov 16 1880  
*Benjamin*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Adolph Schelling*  
F.  
Felony Assault and Battery.

Filed 10 day of Nov 1880  
Pleas Not Guilty

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Selby, James

**DATE:**

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Pl. 260  
C. S. S. S. S.

Counsel,  
Filed 30 day of Nov 1880  
Pleads Not Guilty.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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187

F.  
James Selby.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

Part No Dec 2, 1880

Wm. A. P. S.

A TRUE BILL.  
J. K. P.

Doreman.

Jan. 6 1881  
F. S.

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No. 187 Broadway David Beaver  
Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on <sup>or about</sup> the 15 day of October 1880

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent, and from the basement of  
premises No 187 Broadway in said city,  
the following property, viz: a quantity of books containing  
printed matter

of the value of one hundred 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 James Selby now here  
for the reason that said Selby acknowledged and  
confessed to this deponent in the presence of officers  
Mulvey that he said Selby did take steal and  
carry away the aforesaid property

D. Siames

Sworn to, before me, this

26

day

of November 1880

A. M. Patterson  
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

James Selby being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,  
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Selby

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

33 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Canada

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

187 Broadway

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Janitor

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

Answer.

~~I have nothing to say~~  
I am guilty of taking the books  
but not with the intent of committing  
a larceny

James Selby

Taken before me, this  
James Patterson  
day of  
Police Justice  
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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....  
Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....  
Address, .....

No 26  
Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David Slaver  
187 Broadway

vs.  
James Selby (B)

A Hidayit—Larceny.

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5 .....  
6 .....  
dvt

Dated 26 November 1880

Patton Magistrate.  
Muller, Officer.  
Clerk.

Witnesses: Thomas Mulvey  
27 Precinct  
William L. Brown  
19 Ann Street

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\$ 1000 to answer  
at 4 Sessions  
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Received at Dist. Atty's office

BAILED:

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

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

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

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

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

No. 6, by .....  
Residence, .....

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present :*

That

*James Selby*

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

*Fifty books of the value of two dollars each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*David Seaver*

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present  
That the said

*James Selby*

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

*Fifty books of the value of two dollars each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *David Seaver*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said

*David Seaver*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*James Selby*  
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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Seltenrich, Philip

**DATE:**

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Seltenrich, George

**DATE:**

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Mohen, James F.

**DATE:**

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Evans, George

**DATE:**

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Nov. 19. 1860.

No. 1. S.P. 107

No. 4. Chas. W. Chapman

No 119 3 P.P.  
4. day

Indictment for Receiving  
Stolen Goods. *Wm. W. Chapman*

Filed 16 day of Nov 1860

Plends of *Chas. W. Chapman*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.  
*Philip Seltensick*  
*George W. Seltensick*  
*James F. Wether*  
*George Evans*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney,

Nov. 19. 1860.

No. 2. *Spidy & Chas*

A TRUE BILL.

*Wm. W. Chapman*

Nov. 16. 1860.

Foreman.

*Chas. W. Chapman*  
*Philip Seltensick*  
*George W. Seltensick*  
*James F. Wether*  
*George Evans*

*Wm. W. Chapman*  
*Philip Seltensick*  
*George W. Seltensick*  
*James F. Wether*  
*George Evans*

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County  
of New York,

ss. Richard H Lane

of No. 97 Park Avenue Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 97 Park Avenue  
Street, 21<sup>st</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling  
House  
which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling House for  
himself & his family.

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means of forcibly unlocking the vestibule  
door (the front door being open) leading  
into said premises by means of false keys.

on the night of the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1880  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

One over Coat of the value of fifteen  
dollars.

One clock of the value of four  
dollars

One Hat of the value of \$1.50

One umbrella of the value of  
three dollars

One scarf pin of the value of  
fifteen dollars

the property of deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed, and the aforesaid property taken, stolen  
and carried away by Philip Seltzerich (now here)  
and another whose name is  
unknown

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent identifies  
~~Seltzerich~~ ~~as one of the persons~~  
~~who entered his house as aforesaid.~~

A pawn ticket was found in said  
Seltzerich's room, pledging the said scarf  
pin & it has been recovered from the  
pawn broker & Philip admits entering  
said premises  
Richard H Lane

Sworn to before me & His  
11-day of November-1880  
R. H. Lane  
Police Justice

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Philip Beltenrich

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 236 East 22 Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. I was working in a wagon

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

Answer. I am guilty. The door was open. Me & the fellow they call George Evans went up the steps. The door was open. I took the hat in the hall. Some one came down stairs & said what are you about. When I heard this I run down stairs. I dropped the coat round the corner I searched the pocket of the coat & found a scarf pin

Philip Beltenrich

Taken before me this 17 day of Nov 1880  
Police Justice.

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No 118

Police Court--Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Richard H. Lane  
97 Sage Av.  
Phily Lettenrich

BAILED :

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Dated

Nov 11

1886

73 H. B. Buxby  
Magistrate.

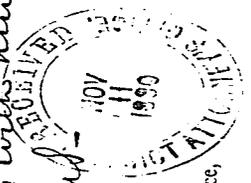
Kienan 18<sup>th</sup>  
Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,  
Bernard Kienan

18<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police

The deft in his Epn  
eyes that George  
Evans was with him  
2507A and



Received in District Att'y's Office,

Office, Jurgans

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Police Office, Fourth District

City and County  
of New York,

vs. Charles Johnson

of No. 50 West 21<sup>st</sup> Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 50 West 21<sup>st</sup> Street,  
Street, 18<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house for  
himself & family were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means of forcibly breaking a fastening  
attached to the front parlor window forcibly  
raising said window and forcibly breaking  
topping the inside blind attached to said  
window

on the night of the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 1880  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

One Camels Hair Shawl of the value of  
One thousand dollars, One Cloth Coat  
pantaloon - Two velvet dresses  
One velvet cloak - one pink silk  
dress, one silk waist two Swiss dresses  
Embroidery - one parasol - Two lace fans  
One white lace baguette - Two  
leather valises - Four dozen hand  
kerchiefs, one black lace baguette  
all of the value of six thousand  
dollars

the property of deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that  
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed, and the aforesaid property taken, stolen  
and carried away by George W. Deltensich, George Evans,  
James Moken and Philip Deltensich (now here),  
for the reasons following, to wit: that officer Kerriam  
informs deponent that he found in the  
possession of Philip Deltensich said coat  
& pantaloons, and found in a room  
at No 236 East 22<sup>nd</sup> Street, a part of  
the above property. saw George W. Deltensich  
George Evans & James Moken there  
being in said room with said property  
The coat was found at various pawnshops

Charles Johnson

Sworn to before me this  
11 day of November 1880  
A. W. Murphy  
Police Justice

0518

City & County of New York ss.

Bernard Sherman of the 18<sup>th</sup> precinct police, being duly sworn says - I arrested Philip Seltzerich at about 9.30 AM, on the 9<sup>th</sup> November 1880, in Nicholas Sticks Pawn Shop, 70 311-Third Avenue, he then having in his possession one black coat & one pair black pantaloons, identified by Charles Johnson as having been stolen as described in his affidavit annexed - About 3.30 pm officers Walsh of the 21<sup>st</sup> precinct & myself went to a room in premises No 236 East 22<sup>nd</sup> Street and there we found George Evans, James Moken and George W Seltzerich, the said Philip being a Brother of George's. I found in this room, at this time, most of the property stolen from Mr Charles Johnson, viz One Camel Hair Shawl, One Black Velvet dress, One pink silk dress, One Lavender silk waist, One pocket book, One diary, Two riding whips, One silver salt cellar & spoon, One silver case with part of a bracelet in it, Two leather valises & other.

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property of Mr Charles Johnson, The greater part of the property was exposed, but a few of the articles were in a Bureau drawer.

I further say that Philip Seltenrich told me on the 10<sup>th</sup> inst, that said Evans pawned a Velvet Cloak taken from Mr. Johnson, at George Aaron, No 368. Third Avenue & I went there & got it. and it has been identified by Johnson

I saw Philip Seltenrich the day before his arrest pawned with the aforesaid Sticks a Scarf pin which had been stolen from the residence of Richard T Lane No 97 Park Avenue - entry having been made in his house by means of false keys.

Bernard Hiernum

Brought before me

This 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1880

R. H. Rixby

Police Justice

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Ulster County of New York.

Joseph ~~L~~ Aaron of No 367  
Third Avenue being duly sworn  
says I identify George Evans  
now here as the person who  
pawned a Velvet Coat on the  
9th inst with me said Coat  
now being identified by Charles  
Johnson as having been stolen  
from him on the 8th inst

Sworn to before me this Joseph Aaron  
11 day of November 1880  
R. H. Pishy Police Justice

0521

Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Philip Settenrich being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Philip Settenrich

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 236 East 22<sup>d</sup> Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. I drive a delivery wagon

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

Answer. I am guilty, Me, Mr when  
George Evans walked past 21<sup>st</sup>  
street & went & opened the  
windows, put open the shutters  
& walked around the room,  
then went up stairs & tried  
the second floor door & it was  
locked, we then went into  
up to the ~~top~~<sup>third</sup> floor & went  
into the room, broke open  
the trunk, & took the  
things - we carried  
the property away in  
two valises.

Philip Settenrich

Taken before me this  
1 day of Nov 1887  
Police Justice.

0522

Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*James S. Moken*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*16 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*422 First Avenue*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Book Keeping.*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty -*

*James S. Moken*

Taken before me this  
*[Signature]*  
Mag of New York  
Police Justice  
1882

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. George W. Settenrich -

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years old last September

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Pennsylvania

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 236 East 22<sup>nd</sup> Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Party Cook -

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

Answer. I did not enter Mr. Johnson's home. The night that was done I was in York Garden Theatre. From there I went up to McQuinn's restaurant. Saluted Frank & walked on up home & went to bed. 1/2 past one saw two men in over my brother & George Evans with two valises in my room. They left the valises went out again & did not return until 8 o'clock in the morning. They started in the morning to take out some things to pawn. That is all I

Taken by Officer [unclear] City of New York 1897

Police Division

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**Police Court, Fourth District.**

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. George W. Evans

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 308 East 73rd Street

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Preparator

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

Answer. I am guilty -

George W. Evans

Taken before me this

1st day of

Nov 1880

Police Justice.

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No 119 906  
Police Court - Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Corns on  
50 W 21<sup>st</sup> St

1 Philip Settenrich

2 George W Settenrich

3 George Evans

4 James Mochen

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6 see Comptrol of app  
per pch 9011-

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Dated Nov 11 1880

304. Buxby Magistrate.

Xenon 18 Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses, *Bonard Xenon*  
*18 Precinct Police*

*Joseph Aaren*  
367 Third Ave

\$2500 bail to Cons

Committed

NOV 11 1880

Received in District Att'y's Office,

Offence, *Burglary*

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present:

That

*Philip Seltentrick*

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

on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty eight*  
with force and arms, about the hour of *two* o'clock in the *night* time  
of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the Dwelling-house of

*Richard H. Lane*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of *forcibly*  
*breaking open an outer door of said dwelling house*

whilst there was then and there some human being to wit, one

*Richard H. Lane*

within the said dwelling-house he, the said

*Philip Seltentrick*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit, the goods, chattels, and  
personal property of *Richard H. Lane*

in the said dwelling-house then and there being, then and

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

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, about the hour of *two* o'clock in the *night* time of said day,  
the said

*Philip Seltentrick*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

*One coat of the value of fifteen dollars*

*One clock of the value of four dollars*

*One hat of the value of one dollar and fifty cents,*

*One umbrella of the value of three dollars*

*One pair of the value of fifteen dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of

*Richard H. Lane*

in the said dwelling-house of one

, then and there being found

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

and the goods, chattels, and personal property to have  
been feloniously stolen). against the form of the Statute in such case made and pro-  
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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~~CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK~~

*aforsaid*  
And THE JURORS ~~OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,~~  
~~in and for the body of the City and County of New York,~~  
upon their Oath, ~~present~~ *aforsaid*, do further present:

That *Philip Selsenrich*  
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, *aforsaid*,  
on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* with force and arms, at the  
Ward, City and County *aforsaid*,

*One coat of the value of fifteen dollars*  
*One clock, of the value of four dollars*  
*One hat of the value of one dollar and fifty cents*  
*One umbrella of the value of three dollars*  
*One pair of the value of fifteen dollars*

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *Richard A. Lane*  
by *Philip Selsenrich*  
and certain other persons to the Jurors *aforsaid* unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said *Richard A. Lane*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have  
(the said

*Philip Selsenrich*

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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No 118

Filed 16 day of Nov 1882

Pleas

THE PEOPLE,  
vs.  
Philip Delaney  
(2 cases)

*Indictment for Receiving Stolen Goods*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

*Two Sub. returned*

A True Bill.

*W. H. Wood*  
Foreman.

*James L. L.*

*Sent on another with. 11/18*

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York,  
upon their Oath, present :

That

*George W. Seltentrick, George W. Evans*  
*James J. Mohen and Philip Seltentrick*  
late of the *eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid,

on the *eighth* day of *November* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty*  
with force and arms, about the hour of *eleven* o'clock in the *night* time  
of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the Dwelling-house of

*Charles Johnson*  
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of  
*forcibly breaking open an outer window of said dwelling house*  
whilst there was then and there some human being to wit, one

*Charles Johnson* within the said dwelling-house the said  
*George W. Seltentrick, George W. Evans, James J.*  
*Mohen and Philip Seltentrick*  
then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit, the goods, chattels, and  
personal property of *Charles Johnson*

in the said dwelling-house then and there being, then and  
there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take, and carry away, against the form of  
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the  
State of New York and their dignity.

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That  
afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, about the hour of *eleven* o'clock in the *night* time of said day,  
the said *George W. Seltentrick, George W. Evans, James J.*  
*Mohen and Philip Seltentrick* each

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,  
*One shawl of the value of one thousand dollars - Three skirts of the value*  
*of two hundred dollars each - Three overshirts of the value of two hundred*  
*dollars each - Four waists of the value of two hundred dollars each - One*  
*coat of the value of fifty dollars - One pair of pantaloons of the value of*  
*two dollars - One cloak of the value of five hundred dollars, two seagoes*  
*of the value of five hundred dollars each - One parcel of the value of*  
*fifty dollars - Two trunks of the value of fifty dollars each - forty eight*  
*handkerchiefs of the value of one dollar each - one hundred yards of*  
*lace of the value of ten dollars each yard*  
of the goods, chattels, and personal property of *Charles Johnson*

in the said dwelling-house of one  
*Charles Johnson*, then and there being found  
in the dwelling-house aforesaid, then and there feloniously did steal, take, and carry  
away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against  
the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

been feloniously stolen). against the form of the Statute in such case made and pro-  
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, }

*aforsaid*  
And THE JURORS ~~OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.~~  
~~in and for the body of the City and County of New York,~~  
upon their Oath, ~~aforsaid~~ do further present

That *George W. Seltentrick, George W. Evans, James J. Moken and Philip Seltentrick* each late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *eight* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*One shawl of the value of one thousand dollars*  
*Three skirts of the value of two hundred dollars each*  
*Three overcoats of the value of two hundred dollars each*  
*Four waists of the value of two hundred dollars each*  
*One coat of the value of fifty dollars*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars*  
*One cloak of the value of five hundred dollars -*  
*Two sashes of the value of five hundred dollars each*  
*One parcel of the value of fifty dollars*  
*Two trunks of the value of fifty dollars each*  
*Forty eight handkerchiefs of the value of no dollar each*  
*One hundred yards of lace of the value of ten dollars each yard*

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *Charles Johnson*

by *a certain person or*

~~and certain other~~ persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously

stolen of the said *Charles Johnson*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have

(the said *George W. Seltentrick, George W. Evans, James J. Moken and Philip Seltentrick*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have been feloniously stolen). 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Seyffert, Emil J.

**DATE:**

11/30/80



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No 232

Counsel,  
Filed 30 day of Nov 1880  
Pleads

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*George P. ...*  
*Emil J. ...*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. H. ...*

Foreman.

*John ...*  
*Thomas ...*

*Emil ...*

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FORM 89 1/2

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

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

*Alouzo C. Munson*  
of No. *249 - 5 Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the *2* day of *November* 18*80* -  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried  
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit: *One gold scarf pin,  
set with diamonds and sapphires,  
and of the value of Fifty Dollars,  
and one gold finger ring, con-  
taining two diamonds and an un-  
cut ruby, of the value of Three  
Hundred Dollars, in all.*

of the value of *Three Hundred and fifty* Dollars,  
the property of *Allan T. Rice*, and in  
*Albion's* charge, as Chairman  
of the *House Committee of the Knickerbocker  
Club*.

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 *Emil J. Tiffert*,  
*now present*. That said  
property was in a bag in the  
room of said *Rice*, in the  
premises aforesaid, which were  
occupied by the *Knickerbocker  
Club*, and that said deponent  
who was a hall boy, employed  
by said Club, admitted taking  
said pin and ring, giving  
the pin to a boy by the name of  
*Charles Hollman* - *A. C. Munson*

Sworn to before me, this  
of *November* 18*80* day  
*A. C. Munson*  
Police Justice

0534

Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*Emil J. Deyffert* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*Emil J. Deyffert.*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Nineteen years.*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*In Brooklyn.*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*60 E. 89 Street.*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*I was a clerk until employed by the Knickerbocker Club.*

QUESTION.—Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge

here preferred against you?

ANSWER.—*I am guilty.*

*Emil Deyffert*

Taken before me this

*William D. O'Connell*  
22 day of November 1888  
Police Justice

0535

Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

*Emil J. Deuffert* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—*Emil J. Deuffert.*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—*Nineteen years.*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—*In Brooklyn.*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—*60 E. E 9 Street.*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—*I was a clerk until employed by the Knickerbocker Club.*

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

ANSWER.—*I am guilty.*  
*Emil Deuffert*

Taken before me, this

27<sup>th</sup> day of November 1888

*Wm. J. ...*  
Police Justice

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No 232  
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Form 894.  
POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Attorney—Larceny.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Almas B. Menden  
2449 - 5th Ave  
Emil A. Stryker

DATED 22 November 18 88

St MAGISTRATE.  
Bryant  
Goldberg Co. OFFICER.

WITNESS:  
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\$ 100 TO ANS.  
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No. 100  
RECEIVED  
STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That

*Emil J. Seyffert*

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

*One pair of the value of fifty dollars*  
*One ring of the value of three hundred*  
*dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Allan J. Rice*

then and

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

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*

That the said

*Emmie J. Seyffert*

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

*One pair of the value of fifty dollars  
One ring of the value of three hundred  
dollars*

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

*Alvan J. Rice*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said

*Alvan J. Rice*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*Emmie J. Seyffert*  
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Shippy, William H.

**DATE:**

11/24/80



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No 181

Counsel,  
Filed 24 day of Oct 1880  
Pleads *John C. Dudley*

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*2*  
*William H. Shipley*  
*(4 Cases)*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
*W. H. Shipley*  
Foreman.

*Ed. Rice*

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present :*

That

*William H. Shippley*

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

*Sixteen tubs of butter of the value  
of six dollars each*

*Five hundred pounds of butter  
of the value of Twenty cents  
each pound*

*Two barrels of Eggs of the value  
of twelve dollars and fifty cents  
each*

*Twenty five hundred Eggs of  
the value of one cent each Egg*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

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

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*

That the said

*William H. Shippley*

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

*Sixteen tubs of butter of the value  
of six dollars each*

*Five hundred pounds of butter  
of the value of twenty cents each pound*

*Two barrels of Eggs of the value  
of twelve dollars and fifty cents each*

*Twenty five hundred Eggs of the value  
of one cent each egg -*

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

*Charles K. Howard*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said

*Charles K. Howard*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*William H. Shippley*  
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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Apr 84 2  
Counsel,  
Filed 11 day of May 1880.  
Pleas not Guilty.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
William H. Shipley  
(F. Case) 11/1

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill  
Forfeited  
Dec. 19, 1880  
Chas. J. Comstock  
Grand Juror  
Jan. 18, 1881

getaway  
Hogan story was  
in open court, he had  
a witness to say as  
Hogan did  
Jan. 18, 81

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FORM 89 1/2

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

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. 71 Warren Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 21 day of October 18 80  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried  
away, from the possession of deponent, by trick and device

the following property, to wit: Sixteen tubs of  
butter of the value of Three hundred and five  
dollars and one barrel of eggs  
of the value of Twenty five dollars  
in all.

of the value of One hundred and twenty Dollars,  
the property of Deponent & Christian  
Christiansen

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property  
was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by William N. Shipley  
who purchased said goods  
to be paid for on delivery by  
the Express which he stated  
he would send for them. said  
Shipley at the time giving the  
name of M. J. Shipley.  
That about two hours subsequent  
a wagon having the word Express  
upon it called for and received  
the aforesaid goods.  
That deponent not receiving the  
money from the driver of said  
wagon made inquiry and

Sworn to before me, this  
18  
day

Police Justice

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. ascertained. that defendant's name  
was not Mr. J. Shipley. that the ~~mag-~~  
wagon was not an express. but his  
own wagon driven by a boy in  
his employ.

Done before me  
this 25 Oct 1880

Chas. A. Howard

Police Justice

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Police Court—Fifth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Mr. H. Shipley* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Mr. H. Shipley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Connecticut*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *Brooklyn 169 1/2 Flatiron*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *employed in a Butcher Store*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Taken before me, this *26*  
day of *October* 18*88*

*W. H. Shipley*

*[Signature]* Police Justice.

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Affidavit Larceny

*Charles Howard*  
*William H. Dudley*

DATED *25 October* 18 *80*

MAGISTRATE

*McCarthy Const* OFFICER

WITNESS:

*Roger Story*

*91 Pearson St*

*W. J. Smith*

*W. J. Smith* TO ANS.

BAILED BY

STREET No.

*Com.*

*120*  
*120*  
*120*

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People  
and

William H Shipley



~~1700 B Pope of C 7 Mattlage~~  
~~276 Greenw...~~

got 5 tubs of lard worth  
of value of \$4 a tub from  
C 7 Mattlage of 276 Green-  
w... in this city under pre-  
cisely the same circumstances  
or more of Howard and  
Shipley and on same day.

This transaction I was  
had with Jonathan Davy  
of said C 7 Mattlage

2nd  
Indict

On the same day or the day before  
Shipley got a barrel of cheese of  
the value of \$19 from J. B. Reiss's  
composes of Blomou Rice & Figgins  
Porady of no 318 Greenw... in  
City. ~~Mr Porady made the sale~~  
under present same circumstances  
as in Howard case. Porady made the  
Sale. Before Porady <sup>delivered the goods</sup> went outside & saw  
the wagon sent for goods to a butcher  
wagon for Red Rover & Torrey who

3rd  
Indict

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was in charge of said wagon, ~~whereby~~  
if that was his wagon ~~to be used~~  
and he said ~~that~~ then as ~~it~~ had  
where was his express wagon &  
he said it was in repair ~~but~~ but  
showed a license to him as express  
man in name R. Story.

~~4~~ Herman Kornahrens McMurray  
It was also found under some  
circumstances, out Sunday by  
Shipley out of money of value of 20

George Hart & Co. 104 Warren St  
was on day before the foregoing  
found, also found by Shipley  
under same circumstances of  
bitter

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No 9

Mr. H. Apple

3 Compliments

Witness

C. J. Lattin, d. g. p.

276 Greenwood

Sydney, N. Y.

318 Greenwich St.

Herman Kornblum

111 Murray St.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present :

That

*William H. Shippley*

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

*One hundred pounds of honey of  
the value of twenty cents each pound*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Herman Kornahrens*

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

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*

That the said

*William H. Shippley*

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

*One hundred pounds of honey of the value of twenty cents each pound*

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

*Herman Kornahrens*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

*Herman Kornahrens*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*William H. Shippley*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen,) 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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Mr 1880  
Charles M. Ridgway

Counsel,  
Filed 24 day of Nov  
1880,  
Plends  
for Charles

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
I  
William N. Shipley  
(4 Cases)

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A TRIO BILL.  
O'Keefe  
Governor.  
Hiram Conant

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Thursday. Dec 16<sup>th</sup> / 1856.

Dear sir  
Mr. Smyth

I beg of mercy of you to give me a little hopes what is going to be done with my Shipply.  
If Mr. Redgway had not stop me of paying thers other bills he would not be way from me 8 Weeks from my wife and two children judge this his first time to be arrested it dont him that got to suffer it his wife I beg mercy from you to let me know what is going to be done. I You see judge that I am so fix at present that I cant go and make I am but a young Wife wet to be married and have all this trouble. O judge if I could only speak to you it would releas me of a good deal William is in your

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from and you could do just what you  
like judge selmer says you want  
be hard with him Judge I say if  
you to send me answer for this  
will kill me if not

Judge if I could only  
see you my self and talk with you  
I would tell you all I can  
please send me a few words by the  
way

Respectfully

Mrs M J Shibley

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**Sixth District Court,**

LUDWIG SEMLER, Justice,

No. 854 Gates Avenue.

Brooklyn, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> 1880

Hon. Fred. Smyth  
Recorder New York  
Dear Sir

I have been requested by some  
of our most respectable citizens  
to intercede in behalf of Shippley  
a prisoner who is to be sentenced  
by you this morning on a  
conviction of receiving goods  
by means of false pretences -  
I share in the sympathy for  
the prisoner's unfortunate family  
and therefore beg leave to solicit

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you know kind consideration  
in this case

Yours truly  
Ludwig Bauer

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People

apt  
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William Shipley

That on Thursday Oct 21. 1880 a little before  
noon Shipley came to my place of business at  
No 71 Warren and wanted to buy some  
butter. I showed him a lot of 16 tubs  
of butter and 2 barrels of eggs. I told him  
his face looked familiar but didn't know  
his name & asked him to what was I  
to be handed the <sup>above</sup> ~~stuff~~ I asked him  
if he would pay for them now then and he  
said he would send an express for them  
and that the expressman could collect  
the bills on delivery of the goods and he  
would pay for them on expressman's delivery.  
About an hour or two afterwards the young  
man (Roger Storey) came to the store  
with a horse wagon and measured about  
16 tubs of butter and 2 bbls of eggs for  
M. Shipley and he was sent for him  
I asked Storey if he was an express  
he said it was. The goods <sup>to be delivered</sup> were then  
delivered to him & he was told ~~to~~  
to deliver them on payment of bills.  
On Friday in my absence Mr Storey  
returned to store & left the accompanying

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check post dated. A Clerk among others  
I believe gave a receipt for the check & that  
in course of of whom thereafter. On  
receiving check I went with to Shipley's  
place of business & demanded of him  
Shipley the money or the goods.  
He refused to do either. He then offered to  
give me a check dated earlier for the  
one I had but refused and said I  
would keep one as had as evidence  
of the fraud.

Roger Storey of no 91 W. Marion  
St. <sup>Brooklyn</sup> is 15 years old. Been  
with him from Tuesday preceding until  
Friday succeeding I got above goods  
from Howard. I and boy named  
George Williamson were walking  
down Fulton Ave. in Brooklyn  
We were going for George Finall  
on Tuesday morning. We had a check  
written at Cypress Hills and Shipley  
and it stopped us near Myer's  
Ave about a block from where I lived  
& asked us if we knew ~~where~~ where  
there were any boys wanted to work  
for and the boy said we'd work

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for him and he said come down  
about an hour afterwards ~~to~~  
to the store. He then ~~he~~ ~~was~~ ~~by~~ ~~the~~  
pathway to the store ~~the~~ ~~man~~ ~~who~~ ~~was~~  
at a blacksmiths getting a horse  
shod called to us and both of us  
went over to him. He said I'll trade  
you to-day. He had there a horse  
and wagon. He then told me to  
jump into the wagon and he drove  
to New York and he stopped in  
St. Ann Church St. I left ~~me~~ ~~with~~  
the wagon & took me to ~~the~~ ~~place~~ ~~where~~  
until he went back. He was  
gone about 1/2 of an hour. This  
was Tuesday. When he ~~came~~ ~~back~~ he  
gave me a card to go, I think,  
to a ~~place~~ ~~of~~ ~~eggs~~ and he told me  
to say I asked that I was an  
expressman. I got stuff as different  
places on Tuesday & ever as I said if  
I was expressman. These people  
in going me the goods told me  
to collect cash on delivery or return  
the goods. I recollect calling  
at ~~the~~ ~~place~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~eggs~~ & ~~the~~ ~~place~~  
that was Thursday, the other  
day was with ~~the~~ ~~man~~

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He gave me a card to Howard's for  
the goods. He told me to say  
if they orked me if I was an  
expressman to say yes. On  
Wednesday or Thursday Shipley  
gave me a license whether was in  
my name or an expressman.  
It purports to be in Brookfield.  
I never made application for  
any license. Shipley came  
over here with me & left me in  
Greenwich & he told me he  
would meet ~~at~~ <sup>in</sup> a neighborhood  
of ~~church~~ to wait <sup>there</sup> until he got  
back. He came back in  $\frac{3}{4}$  of  
an hour. He then gave me the  
card on Howard's and told me  
to meet him in neighborhood  
of church. I got the goods & met  
him there. He then got & we drove  
to Brookfield. I showed him Howard's  
bill and he read it & put it in his  
pocket. He gave the check <sup>to me</sup> on  
Friday next about  $\frac{1}{2}$  pm, & told  
me to go and deliver it. I do

I think I got the goods from Mastara  
Rees & Co and from Herman  
Kornabrand on Sunday. Shipley  
told me to say, if anyone saw any thing  
about wagon that, that the <sup>re?</sup> ~~re?~~ <sup>was</sup> ~~was~~  
express wagon was at Brookfield.  
The foregoing statement applies to all  
the dealings of witness with ~~East~~  
mentioned parties

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That

*William A. Shippley*

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

*Two hundred pounds of lace of the  
value of ten cents each pound*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Charles F. Mattlage*

then and

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

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*

That the said

*William A. Shippley*

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

*two hundred pounds of each of the  
value of ten cents each pound*

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

*Charles J. Mattlage*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said

*Charles J. Mattlage*

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*William A. Shippley*

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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Counsel,  
Filed 24 day of Nov 1880.  
Pleas  
*W. H. Shipley*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*I*  
*William A. Shipley*  
*(4 cases)*

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill  
*W. H. Shipley*  
Foreman.

*Chas. P. ...*

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	No. <u>14</u>	Brooklyn, <u>Oct 21</u>	188 <u>0</u>
	<b>National City Bank of Brooklyn,</b>		
	Pay to	<u>C. M. Howard or wife</u>	
	<u>One hundred &amp; nineteen</u>	<u>55</u>	Dollars.
	<u>119</u>	<u>Mr. J. Shippy</u>	
	<small>M. C. Johnson, 87 Nassau St., N. Y.</small>		

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:*

That

*William H. Shippley*

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

*one hundred and ninety pounds of cheese  
of the value of ten cents each pound*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Salomon Rice*

then and

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

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*And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present*

That the said

*William H. Shippley*

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

*One hundred and ninety pounds of  
cheese of the value of ten cents each  
pound*

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

*Solomon Rice*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously  
stolen of the said

*Solomon Rice*  
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

*William H. Shippley*  
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously  
stolen,) 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Sidney, Charles A.

**DATE:**

11/05/80



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No. 11  
W. D. P.

Counsel,  
Filed 5 day of Nov 1870  
Plends  
For Fealty (11)

INDICTMENT.  
FORGERY in the Third Degree.  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Charles A. Sidney

Boston.  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.  
Accepted from Massachusetts  
on Requisition of Hon. J. W. Long  
Nov 10/80

A TRUE BILL  
J. W. Long  
Nov 24, 1870  
Foreman.  
J. W. Long  
New York  
Lawyer, N.Y.  
Sent me Prof. Sanders

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THE NEW YORK & BRIGHTON BEACH RAILWAY CO.  
14 PINE STREET.

JAMES W. ELWELL, PRESIDENT.  
EDWARD OWEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
WM. P. SHEARMAN, TREASURER.  
JOHN E. BAZLEY, SECRETARY.  
GEO. EDW. HARDING, CHIEF ENGINEER.

New York, July 30<sup>th</sup> 1880.

Mr. Fredk. E. Brandis -  
55 Fulton St. - City -

Dear Sir - Please deliver to the lease  
our Mr. Livingstone the transit which he spoke  
to you of this a. m. When returned to you,  
please bring your bill for approval to me, before  
presentation - Mr. Livingstone tells us he  
arranged with you at \$3 = per week. we shall  
need it from two to three weeks and will be  
responsible for all damage thereto -

Yours Truly  
Geo. Edw. Harding  
Chf. Engr.

nr 143.

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REC'D BY THE CLERK OF THE COURT  
JULY 31 1880

**Police Court—First District.**

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

George Edward Harding

of No. 1160 Broadway, Asset,  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 30th  
day of July 1880, at the City and County of  
New York, one Charles A. Sidney did by the  
use of a forged order bearing the signature  
of deponent obtain from one Frederick E  
Brandus a certain instrument used by civil  
engineers and known as a transit. That the  
use of deponent's name was unauthorized  
by him and was used by said Sidney  
with the felonious intent to defraud said  
said Brandus. That the value of the  
above named instrument obtained by said  
Sidney was one hundred & fifty dollars.

*George Edward Harding*  
*deposes and says on the 25th day*

*John J. ...*

Geo. Edw. Harding

Frederick E Brandus of No. 55 Fulton Street  
in the City of New York being duly sworn deposes  
and says that on the 30th day of July 1880 - one  
Charles A. Sidney did by use of a certain  
false token to wit a forged order bearing  
the name of George Edward Harding & here to  
annexed did obtain from deponent a certain  
instrument called a transit and used by  
civil engineers of the value of one hundred  
& fifty dollars. That deponent is informed & believes  
by said Harding that the annexed order is  
a forgery and never signed or authorized by  
him.

*Exam'd before me this*  
*25th day of Aug 1880*

*Frederick Brandus*

*John J. ...*

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name  
Address

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name  
Address

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, & CO.,

OF THE COMPLAINANT OF

*W. George E. Harding*  
1160 Broadway  
N.Y.

*Chas. Hedden*

*GGJ*

Offence,

Dated *July 23* 18*98*

Magistrate.



Officer.

*Frederick E. Brandis*

*25 Fulton St.*

Witnesses,

to answer

Sealings

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

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Police Court - First District.  
STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Edward Harding  
of No. 1160 Broadway Street,  
being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 2<sup>d</sup>  
day of August 1880, at the City and County of  
New York, one Charles A. Sidney did by the use  
of a forged order bearing the signature of deponent  
obtained from one William J. Gregg a certain  
instrument used by Civil Engineers and known as  
a Transit - that the use of deponent's name  
was unauthorized by him and was used by  
said Sidney with the felonious intent to defraud  
said Gregg - that the value of the above  
named instrument obtained by said Sidney  
was one hundred and fifty dollars

Ar. To: J. F. ...

Sworn to before me this  
30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880  
J. M. ...  
Judge

City and County of New York } ss William J. Gregg residing  
at 75 Fulton Street being sworn says that on  
the 2<sup>d</sup> day of August 1880 one Charles A. Sidney  
did by use of a certain false token, to wit  
a forged order bearing the name of George  
Edward Harding and thereto annexed did  
obtain from deponent a certain instrument  
called a Transit and used by Civil Engineers  
of the value of One hundred and fifty dollars  
that deponent is informed and believeth  
by said Harding that the annexed order  
is a forgery and never signed or authorized  
by him

William J. Gregg

Sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880  
J. M. ...  
Judge

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

Police Court First District.

THE PEOPLE, & Co.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*George Handing*

*Charles A. Sidney*

*Tompson*

*A. W.*

Office, .....

Dated *31 Aug 1888*

*Smith* Magistrate.

Officer, .....

Clerk, .....



Witnesses, .....

to appear

Sessions, .....

Received in Dist. Atty's Office.

BAILED

No. 1, by .....

No. 2, by .....

No. 3, by .....

No. 4, by .....

No. 5, by .....

No. 6, by .....

No. 7, by .....

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THE NEW YORK & BRIGHTON BEACH RAILWAY CO.  
14 PINE STREET.

JAMES W. ELWELL, PRESIDENT.  
EDWARD OWEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
WM. P. SHEARMAN, TREASURER.  
JOHN E. BAZLEY, SECRETARY.  
GEO. EDW. HARDING, CHIEF ENGINEER.

New York, July 24<sup>th</sup> 1880.

*Boulevard St.*  
Messrs. Kniffel & Coen -  
#127 Fulton St. City -

Gentlemen - Have you a level or transit with  
a level attachment which you can hire us for a week or two?  
It will receive our best care, and if you can do so you  
will very greatly oblige - The bearer Mr. Livingstone one of  
my assistants will take it with him if you can accommodate  
us -

Very Truly Yours  
Geo. Edw. Harding  
Chf. Engr.

*Received City July 24<sup>th</sup> 1880*

Rid from F.S. look  
order for "Eng's Transit" on  
Stackpole Bros. 41 Fulton St. City  
said transit to be taken for one  
or two weeks, at a rental of  
\$10.00 and returned in as good  
order, as it was when rec'd.

Saml. C. Livingstone  
N.Y. & Brighton Beach Rwy.

(over)

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Police Court—First District.

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

George Edward Harding.

of No. 1160 Broadway Street,  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 24<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1880, at the City and County of  
New York, one Charles A. Sidney did by the  
use of a forged order bearing the signature  
of deponent obtain from one Frederick S. Cook  
a certain instrument used by Civil Engineers  
and known as a Transit. That the use  
of deponent's name was unauthorized by him  
and was used by said Sidney with other  
felonious intent to defraud said Cook. That  
the value of the above named instrument de-  
termined by said Sidney was one hundred &  
twenty five dollars.

Geo. E. Harding

City and County  
of New York

Frederick S. Cook residing at No  
423 Henderson Street - Jersey City in State  
of New Jersey being sworn says that on  
the 24<sup>th</sup> day of July 1880 one Charles Sidney  
did by use of a certain false taken "to wit"  
a forged order bearing the name of George  
Edward Harding and hereto annexed  
did obtain from deponent a certain  
instrument used by Civil Engineers and called  
a Transit of the value of One hundred  
Twenty five Dollars - That deponent is  
informed, and believes, by said Harding  
that the annexed order is a forgery and  
never signed or authorized by him

F. S. Cook

Sworn to before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880

Handwritten signatures and notes at the bottom of the page.

Form to before me this 30<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1880  
Police Justice

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*George E. Hawkins*

*Charles A. Sidney*

Offence, .....

Date: *31 August 1936*

*Smucke* Magistrate.

Officer, .....

Clerk, .....

Witnesses, .....

\$ ..... to answer

at ..... Sessions,

Received in Dist. Atty's Office.

BAILABLE,

No. 1, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 2, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 3, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 4, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 6, by .....

Residence, .....

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POLICE COURT - SECOND DISTRICT.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

George Edward Harding

of 1160 Broadway Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the 3d day of August 1880

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

one Charles A. Sidney did by the use of a forged order bearing the signature of deponent obtain from one Franz Kroedel a certain instrument used by civil Engineers and known as a Transit - that the use of deponents name was unauthorred by him and was used by said Sidney with the felonious intent to defraud said Kroedel, that the value of the above named instrument obtained by said Sidney - was one hundred Dollars  
Geo. E. Harding

Sworn to before me this  
day of September 1880  
Police Justice

City and County  
of New York

} Franz Kroedel - residing at No  
52 Nassau Street in said City of New York  
being sworn says that on the 3<sup>d</sup> day of August  
1880 one Charles A. Sidney - did by use  
of a certain false token "to wit" a forged order  
bearing the name of George Edward Harding  
and hereto annexed, did obtain from deponent  
a certain instrument used by Civil Engineers  
and called a "Transit" of the value of  
One Hundred Dollars  
that deponent is informed, and believs, by said  
Harding, that the annexed order is a forgery  
and never <sup>was</sup> signed, or authorized, by him  
Franz Kroedel

Sworn to before me this  
day of  
September 1880  
Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*J. E. Harding*

vs  
*Charles A. Sidney*

*City of Los Angeles*  
Offence.

Dated *17 Sept* 18*80*

Witnesses,

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Committed in default of \$ ..... surety.

Bailed by .....

No. .... Street.

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THE NEW YORK & BRIGHTON BEACH RAILWAY CO.  
14 PINE STREET.

JAMES W. ELWELL, PRESIDENT.  
EDWARD OWEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
WM. P. SHEARMAN, TREASURER.  
JOHN E. BAZLEY, SECRETARY.  
GEO. EDW. HARDING, CHIEF ENGINEER.

New York, Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> 1880.

Mr. F. Kroedel -  
#52 Nassau St.  
City -

Dear Sir -

Our Mr. Livingston the  
beaver, reports that you have a transit which you  
are willing to hire us at \$7 = per month -

Please deliver the same to him, and present  
you bill to me for approval and payment between  
the 15<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of each month -

We may not require it longer than one  
month and guarantee to return it to you in as  
good order and condition as when loaned and  
will pay for any necessary cleaning or repairs.  
If kept longer than one month we will pay  
at the same rate and at the same time -

Yours Truly  
Geo. Edw. Harding  
Chief Engr -

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THE NEW YORK & BRIGHTON BEACH RAILWAY CO.  
14 PINE STREET.

JAMES W. ELWELL, PRESIDENT.  
EDWARD OWEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
WM. F. SHEARMAN, TREASURER.  
JOHN E. BAZLEY, SECRETARY.  
GEO. EDW. HARDING, CHIEF ENGINEER.

New York, Aug - 6<sup>th</sup> - 1880.

Mr. V. Smith Esq.  
Rensselaer Building  
Massan St.  
City.

Dear Sir.

Our Mr. Livingstone the loan, informs me that you have very kindly offered to loan us a transit for a couple of weeks while ours is being repaired. We find it very difficult to obtain one from any source and are indebted to Mr. Holmes for referring us to you.

I accept your offer with many thanks, and shall see that it is returned to you in good order and condition. Please allow our Mr. Livingstone to take it with him.

Any courtesies I can extend to you over our Road I shall be most happy to do.

Very Truly Yours

Geo. Edw. Harding  
Chf. Engr.

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Police Court - First District.

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

George Edward Harding  
of No. 1160 Broadway Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880, at the City and County of New York, one Charles A. Sidney did by the use of a forged order bearing the signature of a deponent obtain from one William F. Smith a certain instrument used by Civil Engineers and known as a Transit - that the use of a deponent's name was unauthorized by him and was used by said Sidney with the felonious intent to defraud said Smith. That the value of the above named instrument obtained by said Sidney was two hundred and twenty five Dollars

Sworn to before me this 30 day of August 1880  
Police Justice

Geo. E. Harding

City and County of New York

ss William V. Smith residing at Room 8, Sixth Floor Bennett's Building being sworn says that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880 one Livingston alias Charles A. Sidney did by use of a certain false token to wit a forged order bearing the name of George Edward Harding and hereto annexed, did obtain from deponent a certain instrument called a Transit and used by Civil Engineers, of the value of two hundred and twenty five Dollars - that is informed (and believed) by said Harding that the annexed order is a forgery not signed or authorized by him

W. F. Smith  
Sworn to before me this 30 day of August 1880  
Police Justice



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THE NEW YORK & BRIGHTON BEACH RAILWAY CO.  
14 PINE STREET.

JAMES W. ELWELL, PRESIDENT.  
EDWARD OWEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
WM. F. SHEARMAN, TREASURER.  
JOHN E. BAZLEY, SECRETARY.  
GEO. EDW. HARDING, CHIEF ENGINEER.

New York, August 2<sup>nd</sup> 1880.

Mr. Wm. T. Gray -  
#75 Fulton St  
City -

Dear Sir -

Our Mr. Livingston,  
the beaver, reports to us that you have a  
transit which you are willing to rent us at  
the rate of \$10 - per mo. If satisfactory to you  
please deliver to him, we guaranteeing to  
return to you in good order. We shall probably  
need it for one month and may be longer.  
At expiration of month or return of the  
instrument please present your bill to  
me for approval.

Yours Truly,  
Geo. Edw. Harding  
Chf. Engr.

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THE NEW YORK & BRIGHTON BEACH RAILWAY CO.  
14 PINE STREET.

JAMES W. ELWELL, PRESIDENT.  
EDWARD OWEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
WM. P. SHEARMAN, TREASURER.  
JOHN E. BAZLEY, SECRETARY.  
GEO. EDW. HARDING, CHIEF ENGINEER.

New York, Aug 11<sup>th</sup> 1880.

J. T. Hobby Esq  
Hempstead L. I.

Dear Sir,

Can you oblige me with  
the loan of a transit for from two to three weeks?  
I shall receive my best care and attention and  
be returned to you in good order and condition. Any  
arrangement you may make with my Assistant  
Mr. Livingstone, the loan, as to the rent for week  
for the same will be agreeable to me. If you can  
accommodate me in this matter I shall esteem  
it a very great favor as I am in immediate  
and pressing need of it.

Mr. Jas. Morgan of the N.Y. C. & B. B.  
suggested that you could probably without doubt  
oblige us, if so please let our Mr. Livingstone  
bring it with him and greatly oblige

Yours Truly  
Geo. Ed. Harding  
Chief Engineer

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THE NEW YORK & BRIGHTON BEACH RAILWAY CO.  
14 PINE STREET.

JAMES W. ELWELL, PRESIDENT.  
EDWARD OWEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
WM. P. SHEARMAN, TREASURER.  
JOHN E. BAZLEY, SECRETARY.  
GEO. EDW. HARDING, CHIEF ENGINEER.

New York, July 30<sup>th</sup> 1880.

Mr. Geo. S. Mollman  
#116 Fulton St.

Dear Sir -

Can you favor us with the loan of a transit from two to three weeks for use on our Road? It shall receive the best of care and we will be responsible for all injury. If you can oblige us in this matter, any arrangement you make as to the amount of fee to be paid for the same into our Mr. Springstone the bearer, will be satisfactory to us and you can deliver to him.

Yours Truly

Geo. Edw. Harding  
Chf Engr.

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Police Court—First District.

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

George Edward Harding  
of No. 1160 Broadway Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 1880, at the City and County of New York, one Charles A. Sidney did by the use of a forged order bearing the signature of deponent obtain from one George S. Wolman a certain instrument used by civil Engineers and known as a Transit. - That the use of deponent's name was unauthorized by him and was used by said Sidney with the felonious intent to defraud said Wolman - That the value of the above named instrument obtained by said Sidney was one hundred and fifty dollars

Sworn to before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880  
Police District

City and County of New York

Charles E. Garrison attorney for George S. Wolman residing at No. 116 Fulton Street being sworn says. That on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 1880. - one Charles A. Sidney did by use of a certain false token to wit a forged order bearing the name of George Edward Harding and hereto annexed, did obtain from deponent a certain instrument called a Transit and used by Civil Engineers of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars and believes by said Harding that the annexed order is a forgery and never signed or authorized by him

Test Sworn to

Sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880

James J. [Signature]  
John [Signature]

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON COMPLAINT OF

*George E. Harding*

*vs.*  
*Charles A. Sidney*

BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 2, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 3, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 4, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 5, by .....

Residence, .....

No. 6, by .....

Residence, .....

Offense, .....

Date *31 August 80*

Magistrate, .....

Officer, .....

Clerk, .....

Witnesses, .....

\$ ..... to answer

at ..... Sessions,

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

Police Court—First District.

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

George Edward Harding  
of No. 1160 Broadway Street,  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 12<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1880, at the City and County of  
New York, one Charles A. Sidney did by the use of  
a forged order bearing the signature of deponent  
obtain from one Jonathan D. Hobbs a certain  
instrument used by Civil Engineers and known as a  
Transit that the use of deponent's name was  
unauthorized by him and was used by said Sidney  
with the felonious intent to defraud said  
Hobbs - that the value of the above named  
instrument was one hundred and fifty dollars

Sworn to before me this  
30 day of August 1880  
Police Justice

Geo. E. Harding

City and County  
of New York

ss Jonathan D. Hobbs residing at  
Hempstead Island being sworn says

Swungston

That on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880, one  
~~Charles A. Sidney~~ <sup>alias Charles A. Sidney</sup> did by use of a certain  
false token "to wit" a forged order bearing  
the name of George Edward Harding and  
hereto annexed, and obtain from deponent  
a certain instrument called a Transit and  
used by Civil Engineers, of the value of one  
hundred and fifty dollars. That  
deponent is informed and believes by  
said Harding that the annexed  
order is a forgery and <sup>not</sup> signed or authorized  
by him

Sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of August 1880  
Police Justice

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name .....  
Address .....

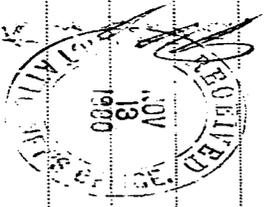
COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name .....  
Address .....

POLICE COURT - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*George Eldersberry*  
*Charles A. Spang*



Offense, *Robbery*

Date *31 Oct 88*

Magistrate.

*Smith*

Officer.

Clark.

Witnesses

\$ ..... to driver

at ..... Session.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office

BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence .....

No. 2, by .....

Residence .....

No. 3, by .....

Residence .....

No. 4, by .....

Residence .....

No. 5, by .....

Residence .....

No. 6, by .....

Residence .....

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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, present:

That

Charles A. Sidney

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the ~~17th~~ <sup>18th</sup> day of ~~July~~ <sup>July</sup> in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ <sup>eighty</sup> with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, feloniously did falsely make, forge and counterfeit, and  
cause and procure to be falsely made, forged and counterfeited, and willingly act and  
assist in the false making, forging, and counterfeiting a certain  
instrument and writing to wit a request for the  
delivery of goods.

which said false, forged and counterfeited request for the delivery  
of goods is as follows, that is to say:

The New York & Brighton Beach  
Railway Co.  
14 Pine Street.

New York July 30<sup>th</sup> 1880.

- James W. Ellwell President.
- Edward Owen. Vice President.
- Wm. P. Shearman Treasurer.
- John E. Bazley. Secretary.
- Geo. Edw. Harding. Chief Engineer.
- Mr. Fredk. E. Brandis -  
#55 Fulton St. City.

Dear Sir -  
Please deliver to the bearer  
our Mr. Livingston the Transit which he spoke to you of  
this a.m. When returned to you, please bring your bill  
for approval to me, before presentation. Mr Livingston  
tells us he arranged with you at \$3 a per week, we shall use  
it from two to three weeks and will be responsible for all damages  
with intent to injure and defraud  
Yours truly  
Geo Edw Harding  
Chf. Engr.

Fredrick E Brandis.

and divers other persons, to the jurors 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.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present:

THAT the said *Charles A. Sidney*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, feloniously and falsely did utter and publish as true, with intent to injure and defraud the said

*Frederick B. Brandes*

and divers other persons, to the jurors aforesaid unknown, a certain false, forged and counterfeited *instrument and writing* to wit, a request for the delivery of goods

which said last-mentioned false, forged, and counterfeited *request for the delivery of goods*

is as follows, that is to say:

*The New York & Brighton Beach Railway Co.  
14 Pine Street.*

*James W. Eliott President,  
Edward Owen Vice President,  
Wm. P. Shearman Treasurer,  
John E. Bagley Secretary.*

*New York July 30, 1880.*

*Geo. E. Harding - Chief Engineer  
Mr. Fredk. E. Brandes  
55 Fulton St. City*

*Dear Sir - Please deliver to the bearer our Mr. Livingstone the transit which he spoke to you of this A.M. When returned to you, please bring your bill for approval to me, before presentation. Mr. Livingstone tells us he arranged with you at \$3 - per week, - we shall need it from two to three weeks and will be responsible for all damage thereto*

*Yours truly,  
Geo. E. Harding  
Chf. Engr.*

the said

*Charles A. Sidney*

at the same time *he* so uttered and published the last-mentioned false, forged, and counterfeited *instrument and writing*

as aforesaid, then and there well knowing the same to be false, forged, and counterfeited 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.