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Lamb, John

DATE:

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Chancery - for record
the good office -
F.V.

Counsel
Filed day of Oct 1880
Pleads John G. Kelly - C.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John Land
Indictment
for Larceny from the person.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John N. Russell
Foreman.
Oct. 22. 1880.

John N. Russell
Pleads guilty
1.4.6 Mass. S.P.
F.V.

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

FORM 89½

SS.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. William Flicker
44 West 3rd Street, being duly sworn, deposes
 and says, that on the 11 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 deponent's
person
 the following property, to wit:

Chain One plated Watch

of the value of Two Dollars,
 the property of deponent's Father John
Flicker and in deponent's care

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

John Lamb
(now here) for the reason that
while deponent was standing in
the doorway of said premises said
defendant seized hold of and severed
said Chain from the Vest and
from the Watch contained in the
Vest then and there worn by de-
ponent and ran off with said
Chain - deponent pursued and
caused the arrest of the said
defendant

William Flicker

Sworn to before me, this

of October 1880

12 day

William Flicker
Police Justice

William Flicker

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

John Lamb 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.—

John Lamb

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

Nineteen Years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

249 Charlton Street

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Plumber

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

Answer.—

I am not guilty of the charge

John Lamb

Taken before me, this

12 day of *October* 188*8*

Police Justice.

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Form 89.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Flicker
44 W. 3rd St.

John Lamb

Affidavit—Larceny.

DATED

October 12 1880

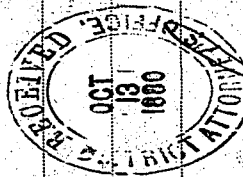
MAGISTRATE.

Wendell

OFFICER.

Sullivan

WITNESS.



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BAILED BY

No. STREET.

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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

John Lamb

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,

on the *eleventh* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty — at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

One chair of the value of two dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *William Flicker*
on the person of the said *William Flicker* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *William Flicker* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Landau, John

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Counsel,

Filed 7 day of Oct 1880
Pleads Not Guilty

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

John Landau

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. N. Penwell

Foreman.

Thos. J. Penwell

Wm. J. Penwell

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Form 112.

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

ss:

Police Court—First District.

Martin Schrenkisen
of No. *23 and 25 Elizabeth* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *about 25th* day of *May* 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, viz:

*Fifteen hundred empty Gold Leaf Books
each hundred being of the value of fifty cents
all being of the value of seven and 50/100
dollars*

~~of the value of~~

the property of

*deponent and his copartners Henry
Schrenkisen and Henry G. Schrenkisen doing
business at said numbers and street in said city*

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 *John Laudan*

*from the fact that deponent was informed
by Philip Post of No 98 Orchard Street
in this City that he was ~~was~~ instructed
by said Laudan who was the foreman
for said firm to take the above described
to his said Laudan House situate
at No 33 Chorystic Street in said City
on or about said date. That he did take
said property to said number and his said
Laudan's wife ~~direct~~ *direct* him to put
it in a wood house in the yard which was
kept by said Laudan. deponent did
replace said property in said wood house*

Martin Schrenkisen

Sworn to, before me, this

October

18

day

Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

John Landau

being duly examined before the undersigned, 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.

John Landau

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

36 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

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Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Barrister

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

Answer.

I am not guilty and demand a trial by jury
John Landau

Taken before me this

5

day of

October

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Police Justice.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, _____

Address, _____

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, _____

Address, _____

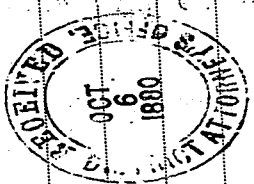
Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martin Schuchman
28 & 26 Elizabeth St.

John Landau



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Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

No. 5, by

Residence,

No. 6, by

Residence,

Dated *October 9th* 1880

H. Murray Magistrate.

Heidelberg & Co. Officer.
Central office Clerk.

Witnessed
Wm. Kest

370 to answer *Quited*
at *General Sessions*

Received at Dist. Atty's office

Dep. Sec. of Ho. 10 A.M.

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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

John Landau

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

*Fifteen hundred books (of the kind called
gold leaf books) of the value of one half
cent each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Martin Schrenkeisen

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

John Landau

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,

Fifteen hundred books (of the kind called Gold leaf Books) of the value of one half cent each

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

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

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

John Landau
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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DATE:

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of the State of New York, in and for the County of New York, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original thereof, as the same appears from the records of the said County of New York, and is true and correct.

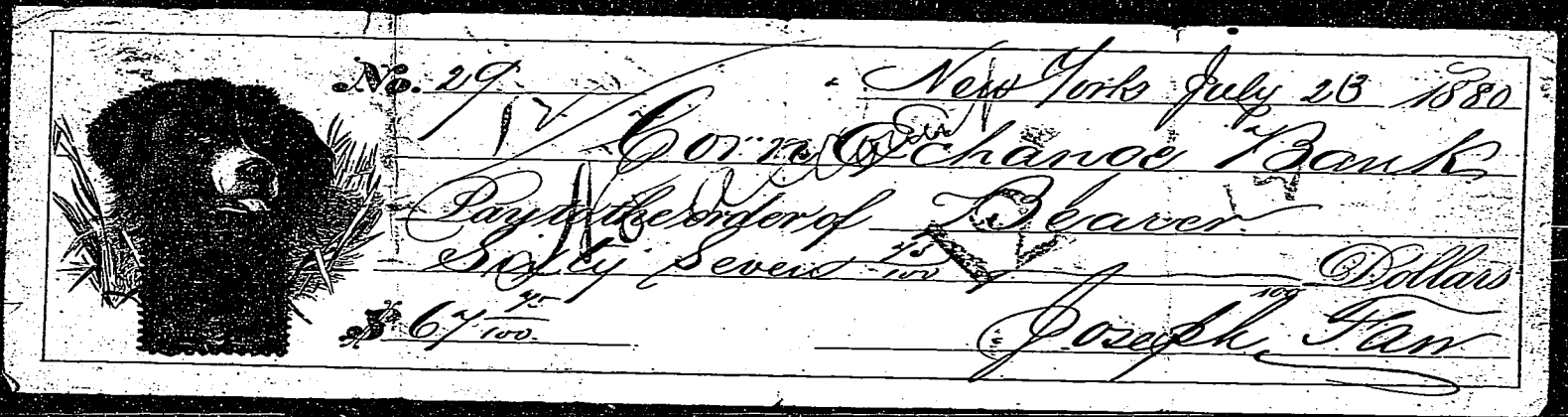
Witness my hand and the seal of the said County of New York, at the City of New York, this 1st day of July, 1893.

County Clerk of New York

Day of Trial, *1893*
Counsel, *OT*
Filed *1* day of *July* 1893
Pleads
THE PEOPLE vs. *Julius A. La Sala*
(3 cases)
Obtaining Money, &c. by False Pretences

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.
Reads just to Henry in the Court
A True Bill.
Chas. H. Kasulka
Foreman.

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C. F. May

A. H. Black & Son

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Julius A. La Sala being duly examined before the undersigned, 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.

Julius La Sala

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

38 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Nest Indies

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

64-2nd Place Brooklyn

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Steamship Man

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
Julius A. La Sala

Taken before me, this

day of

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Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

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

Theodore F. Clark
of No. 139 Washington Market Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 23^d
day of July, 1880., at the City and County of
New York,

Julius A. La Sala (now deceased)
did by means of that certain false
token (now attached) being in the
nature of a Bank Check to wit
Cory Exchange Bank and purported
to be made and signed by
Joseph Harr. That said defendant
presented said Bank check to
deponent. That deponent gave said
defendant the sum of Sixty
Seven Dollars and Seventy Five
Cents being the amount specified
in said check. That when deponent
presented said check, deponent
was informed at said Bank
that there was no such person
as Joseph Harr who had an
account in said Bank.
Deponent therefore charges that
said defendant did by means
of said false token cheat and
defraud deponent as aforesaid.
He said deponent will
knowing said token to be
false and fraudulent.

Sworn to before me
the 23^d of August 1880
J. H. H. H.
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

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

William S Parkhurst
of No. 13 William Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
day of ~~187~~ 1880, at the City and County of
New York, he is the paying teller
of the Corn Exchange Bank in
New York City and has been for
over a year. That ~~that~~ he
has examined the check here-
to annexed. That no such
person as Joseph Farn has
at the time referred to in
annexed affidavit of Theo. J.
Clarke an account in
deponents bank, and that
such check is false & fictitious.

Served to before me this 11 day
of August 1880

J. Herman Smith

W. S. Parkhurst

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name,

Address,

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name,

Address,

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Charles H. Cook
139 Washington Market
Subscribed by Cook
Offence,

Dated *August 7* 1880
Smith Magistrate.
Dunn Officer.
Condit Clerk.

Witnesses,

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CLERK'S OFFICE
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at *Quail* Sessions, *Condit*
Received in Dist. Atty's Office,
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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, _____
Address, _____

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

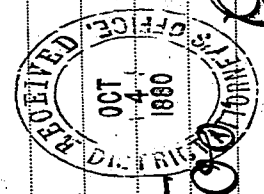
Name, _____
Address, _____

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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Madison H. Cook
139 Washington Market
Indicted by Grand Jury
State of New York
Offence, _____

Dated *August 9* 1880
Smith Magistrate.
Quinn Officer.
Conrad Clerk.

Witnesses, _____



\$ *500* to answer
at *Quinn* Sessions,
Conrad
Received in Dist. Atty's Office.

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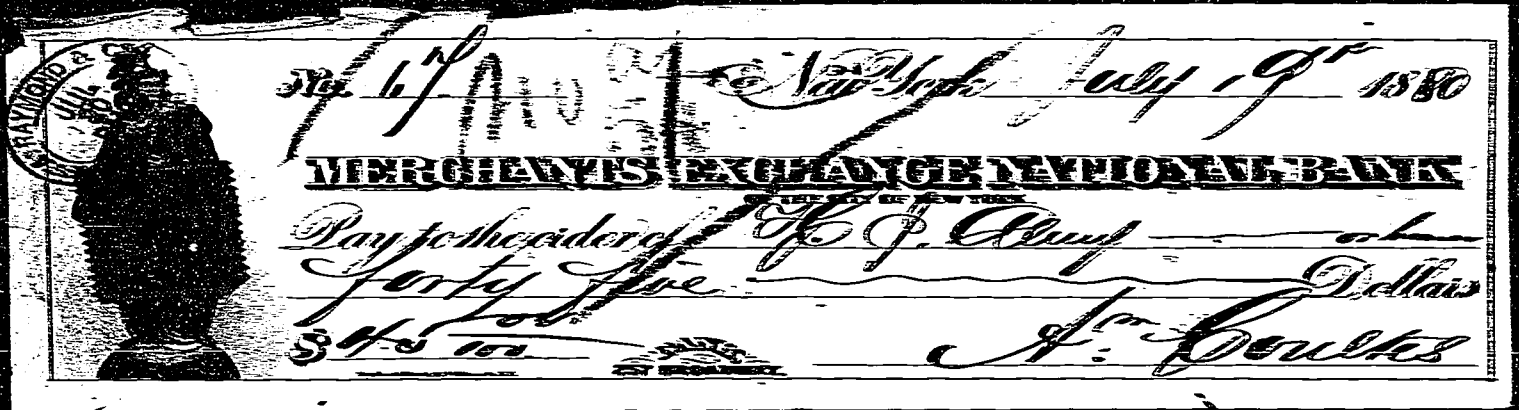
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W. J. Smith

W. J. Smith

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Form 10.

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

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

Charles H. Dunmer
of No. 254 Broadway Murk & BN Street
being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 21st day of July 1880 at the City
of New York, in the County of New York,

Sworn to, this

before me

day of

Aug

1880

Police Justice.

Nature of
The Merchants Exchange Bank issued from
the Park Bank through the exchange a
certain check signed A. Coulters, and further
that the defendant has been connected with the
Merchants Exchange Bank for several years
and has examined the books of said bank
and no such person as A. Coulters has
nor has had at any time any account in
said bank.

CH. Dunmer

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Form 10.

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

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

Ann L. Phillips

of No. 133 Fulton Street

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the or about 19 day of July 1880 at the City
of New York, in the County of New York,

Julius A. La Pater (now here) did by means
of that certain false token (here attached)
being in the nature of a bank check to wit
Merchant's National Exchange Bank and purporting
to be made and signed by one A. Coulters. That
said defendant did obtain from deponent through
his book keeper Theo W. Ants the sum of thirty
seven dollars being change due him after deducting
eight dollars which defendant owed deponent.
That said check was presented to the Merchant's
Exchange National Bank and was returned by
them as not being good no such person as
A. Coulters having any account in that bank.

A. L. Phillips

Sworn to this

before me

day of

June

1880

Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Julius A. La Sala being duly examined before the undersigned, 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.

Julius A. La Sala

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

38 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

West Indies

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

64-2nd Place Brooklyn

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Steamship Man

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty
Julius A. La Sala.*

When before me, this

day of

1871

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Form 116.

Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

OF THE COMPLAIN OF

Wm. L. Phillips

217 Broadway, New York

11/13 + 11/14/91

William L. Phillips

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Dated *Sept 11* 1890

Smith Magistrate.

Carpenter Notary Public.

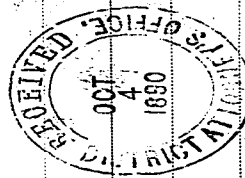
Charles H. Sumner Clerk.

257 Broadway Mechanics' Exch.

Bank

Witnesses, *W. L. Phillips*

138 Fulton St.



No. Street

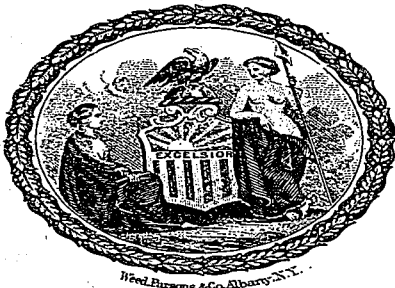
No. Street

\$ *500* to answer Committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.



Executive Chamber.

Albany, July 18, 1881.

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the Pardon of Julius N. La Sala who was sentenced on October 15, 1880, in your County, for the crime of Forgery 3^d degree for the term of three years and six months to the State Prison you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of Chapter 310, Laws 1849) to furnish the Governor with a concise statement of the case as proven on the trial, together with any other facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a Pardon. Be pleased also to state the previous character of the convict.

Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on a separate sheet.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Edward Higginell
Pardon Clerk.

To Samuel G. Sullivan
District Attorney, &c.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
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

Julius A. La Sala
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid
on the *twenty three* day of *July* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy eight~~ *eighty*, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, on the day and year last aforesaid, with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud one *Theodore J. Clark*
did then and there feloniously, unlawfully, knowingly, and designedly, falsely pretend and represent to *Theodore J. Clark*
that, a certain instrument and writing, to wit, an order for the payment of money, of the kind known as a *Bank Check*, which the said
Julius A. La Sala then and there presented
and delivered to the said *Theodore J. Clark* and which
said *Bank Check* is in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

No 29
Corn Exchange Bank
Pay to the order of Bearer
sixty seven ²⁵/₁₀₀ *Dollars*
\$ 67 ²⁵/₁₀₀ *Joseph Farr*

was a good and valid order for the payment of *sixty seven dollars*
and seventy five cents in money, and of the value of
sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents; and that a sum of
sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents in money belonging to the
said *Joseph Farr* was then in the possession
of the *Corn Exchange Bank*, and that said sum of
money was then payable and could be paid by the said *Corn Exchange*
Bank on the credit and account of the said
Joseph Farr whenever an order in writing,
signed by the said *Joseph Farr* authorizing
the said *Corn Exchange Bank* to
make such payment should be presented at the place of business of the said
Corn Exchange Bank and that a certain
Bank check, in the proper handwriting of
said *Joseph Farr* and which said
Bank Check was addressed to the said
Corn Exchange Bank at the place of business
of the said *Corn Exchange Bank*
at *Number Thirteen William Street* in the City and County of New York and which said *Bank Check*

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purported to be an order upon the said *Corn Exchange Bank*
to pay to the said *Joseph Farr* and to any
endorsee of the said *Joseph Farr* the sum
of *sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents* in money,
as a valuable security, to wit, an order for the payment of *sixty seven*
dollars and seventy five cent in money, and of the value of
sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents

And the said *Theodore Z. Clark*
then and there believing the said false pretences and representations
so made as aforesaid by the said *Julius A. La Sala*
and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of false pretences and representa-
tions so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said
Julius A. La Sala a certain sum of money
to wit the sum of *sixty seven dollars and seventy*
five cent in money and of the value of *sixty seven*
dollars and seventy five cents

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said *Theodore Z. Clark*
and the said *Julius A. La Sala* did then
and there designedly receive and obtain the said sum of money to wit: the sum
of *sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents* in money and of
the value of *sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents*
of the said *Theodore Z. Clark*
of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said *Theodore Z. Clark* by means
of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, and with intent feloniously to cheat
and defraud the said *Theodore Z. Clark*
of the same.

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Bank Check*
which the said *Julius A. La Sala* then and there
presented and delivered to the said *Theodore Z. Clark*
was not a good and valid order for the payment of *sixty seven dollars*
and seventy five cents in money, nor was the same a good and valid order
for the payment of any sum of money whatever.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, there was not then and there the sum of
sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents in money belonging to the
said *Joseph Farr* in the possession
of the said *Corn Exchange Bank*
nor was there then and there any sum of money whatsoever belonging to the said
Joseph Farr in the possession
of said *Corn Exchange Bank*

And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the said sum of money was not then payable and could not be paid by said Com Exchange Bank on the credit and account of the said Joseph Farr

whenever an order in writing signed by the said Joseph Farr authorizing such payment to be made should be presented at the place of business of the said Com Exchange Bank, nor would the said Com Exchange Bank pay any sum of money whatsoever upon such order so signed by the said Joseph Farr as aforesaid.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said Bank Check in the proper handwriting of the said Joseph Farr was not an order to pay to the said Joseph Farr or any endorsee of the said Joseph Farr the sum of sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents in money, nor was the same a valuable security, of the value of sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents in money, nor was it of any value whatever;

And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the pretences and representations so made as aforesaid, by the said Julius A. La Sala to the said Theodore F. Clark was and were in all respects utterly false and untrue, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid.

And Whereas, in fact and in truth the said Julius A. La Sala well knew the said pretences and representations so by him made as aforesaid to the said Theodore F. Clark to be utterly false and untrue at the time of making the same.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say, that the said Julius A. La Sala by means of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, feloniously, unlawfully, falsely, knowingly and designedly, did receive and obtain from the said Theodore F. Clark a certain sum of money, to wit, the sum of sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents in money, and of the value of sixty seven dollars and seventy five cents in money, and of the value of

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property, and effects of the said Theodore F. Clark with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud him of the same, 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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BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.
Reads *Pratt v. May* and *Pratt v. May*
A True Bill.
Clerk of Court
Foreman.

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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

Julius A. La Sala
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid
on the *nineteenth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty*, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, on the day and year last aforesaid, with intent felon-
iously to cheat and defraud one *Aaron L. Phillip*
did then and there feloniously, unlawfully, knowingly, and designedly, falsely pretend
and represent to *Aaron L. Phillip*
that, a certain instrument and writing, to wit, an order for the payment of money, of
the kind known as a *Bank Check*, which the said
Julius A. La Sala then and there presented
and delivered to the said *Aaron L. Phillip* and which
said *Bank Check* is in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

No. 17 *New York July 19th 1880*
Merchants Exchange National Bank
of the City of New York
Pay to the order of H. J. Almy — or bearer
forty five *Dollars*
\$45⁰⁰/₁₀₀ *Bank* *Am. Coulters*
257 Broadway

was a good and valid order for the payment of *forty five dollars*
in money, and of the value of

forty five dollars ; and that a sum of
forty five dollars in money belonging to the
said *Am. Coulters* was then in the possession

of the *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York* and that said sum of
money was then payable and could be paid by the said *Merchants Exchange*
National Bank of the City of New York on the credit and account of the said

Am. Coulters whenever an order in writing,
signed by the said *Am. Coulters* authorizing

the said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York* to
make such payment should be presented at the place of business of the said
Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York and that a certain

Bank Check , in the proper handwriting of
said *Am. Coulters* and which said

Bank Check was addressed to the said
Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York at the place of business
of the said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York*
at *number two hundred and* ~~and which said~~ *seventy five* *Broad-*
way in said City and County of New York and which
said *Bank Check*

purported to be an order upon the said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York* to pay to the said *Am. Coulters* and to any
endorsee of the said *Am. Coulters* the sum
of *forty five dollars* in money,
was a valuable security, to wit, an order for the payment of *forty five*
dollars in money, and of the value of

forty five dollars -

And the said *Armon L. Phillip*
then and there believing the said false pretences and representations
so made as aforesaid by the said *Julius A. La Sala*
and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of false pretences and representa-
tions so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said

Julius A. La Sala a certain sum of
money to wit: the sum of *forty five dollars*
in money and of the value of *forty five*
dollars

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said *Armon L. Phillip*

and the said *Julius A. La Sala* did then
and there designedly receive and obtain the said sum of money to wit the sum
of *forty five dollars* in money and of the value of
of the said *forty five dollars*

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects
of the said *Armon L. Phillip*

of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, and with intent feloniously to cheat
and defraud the said *Armon L. Phillip*
of the same.

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Bank Check*
which the said *Julius A. La Sala* then and there
presented and delivered to the said *Armon L. Phillip*
was not a good and valid order for the payment of *forty five dollars*
in money, nor was the same a good and valid order
for the payment of any sum of money whatever.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, there was not then and there the sum of
forty five dollars in money belonging to the
said *Am. Coulters* in the possession
of the said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York*
nor was there then and there any sum of money whatsoever belonging to the said
Am. Coulters in the possession
of said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the*
City of New York

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And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the said sum of money was not then payable and could not be paid by said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York* on the credit and account of the said *Am. Coultres*

whenever an order in writing signed by the said *Am. Coultres* authorizing such payment to be made should be presented at the place of business of the said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York*, nor would the said *Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York* pay any sum of money whatsoever upon such order so signed by the said *Am. Coultres* as aforesaid.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Bank Check* in the proper handwriting of the said *Am. Coultres* was not an order to pay to the said *Am. Coultres* or any endorsee of the said *Am. Coultres* the sum of *forty five dollars* in money, nor was the same a valuable security, of the value of *forty five dollars* in money, nor was it of any value whatever;

And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the pretences and representations so made as aforesaid, by the said *Julius A. La Sala* to the said *Aaron L. Phillip* was and were in all respects utterly false and untrue, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid.

And Whereas, in fact and in truth the said *Julius A. La Sala* well knew the said pretences and representations so by him made as aforesaid to the said *Aaron L. Phillip* to be utterly false and untrue at the time of making the same.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say, that the said *Julius A. La Sala* by means of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, feloniously, unlawfully, falsely, knowingly and designedly, did receive and obtain from the said *Aaron L. Phillip* a certain sum of money, to wit, the sum of *forty five dollars*

in money, and of the value of *forty five dollars*

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property, and effects of the said *Aaron L. Phillip* with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud of the same, 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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LaSala, Julius A.

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Attorney's Office
6, 1881

Counsel,
Filed
Pleads

11 day of
1881

INDICTMENT.
FORGERY in the Third Degree.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Julius A. La Sala
(3 cases)

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Chas. H. Mason

Foreman.
Dec 12, 1881.

Pleads guilty
Not guilty
3.4.6
J. H. D.

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Police Court—First District.

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

John J. Corley
of No. 38 E 6th Avenue Street
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 29
day of July 1880, at the City and County of
New York,

He saw Julius A La Salla (now
here) sign a check on the Bank of
North America for Eighty five dollars
with the name of Edwin H Mansbach
and hand the same to one Josiah
Carpenter who is the proprietor of the
St Omer Hotel who handed said check
to a dependent who gave it to a district
messenger boy named James Dawson
(now here) for collection.

Done to before me John J. Corley
this 11 day of Aug 1880
[Signature]
Police Justice

Guy F Gosman of North Wall St being
duly sworn deposes and says he is the pay-
ing teller of the Bank of North America
that on or about the 29th day of July 1880
a check bearing the signature of E. H. Mansbach
for the sum of Eighty five dollars, was
presented by James Dawson (now here)
a district messenger boy for collection.
Deposited being the signature of E. H. Mansbach
to be a forger detained said Dawson until
he was arrested by Officer Cosgrove of Central
officer Police Guy F. Gosman

I am to before me
[Signature]
11 day of Aug 1880
[Signature]
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

Julius A. La Sala being duly examined before the undersigned, 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.

Julius La Sala

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

West Indies

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

64 2^d Place Brooklyn

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Steamship man

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Julius A. La Sala

Subscribed before me, this

11

day of

1872

Police Justice.

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Form 115.

Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

E. H. Sinsbaugh
35 Broadway

vs.
Julius A. LaSalle

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Dated *11th August* 1880

Smalley Magistrate.

Carson Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street.

No.

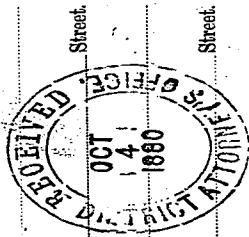
Street.

No.

Street.

\$ *500* to answer Committed.

Received in Dist. Atty's Office.



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No. _____ New York, *Aug 29* 18*80*

Bank of "North America"
The Nassau Bank,

Pay to the Order of *James O. O'Brien*

Eighty five _____ Dollars.

E. E. Cummings

Cor. Nassau and Beekman Sts.
John P. Mann, Stationer and Printer, 127 Nassau St., N. Y.

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Form 10.

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

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

Edwin H. Linsbaugh
of No. 35 Broadway Street

being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 11 day of Aug 18 80 at the City
of New York, in the County of New York,

He was shown a check bearing
his name drawn on the Bank
of North America for Eighty five dollars
and that said check is not his and
the signature E H Linsbaugh on said
check is a forgery.

Edwin H. Linsbaugh

Sworn to, this
before me,

day of

18 80

Police Justice.

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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

Juvenio A. La Sala

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *twenty ninth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *eighty* 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 of the kind commonly
called a Bank Check *Bank Check*
which said false, forged and counterfeited

is as follows, that is to say:

No *New York July 29th 1880*
Bank of North America

Pay to the order of Thomas Otto or bearer
Eighty five *Dollars*
\$ 85.00
100

E. H. Sinisabaugh

Cop. Nassau and Beekman Sts.

with intent to injure and defraud

Edwin H. Sinisabaugh,
The Bank of North America, John J. Corley

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.

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

THAT the said

said *Julius A. La Sala*

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

and falsely did utter and publish as true, with intent to injure and defraud the said
 Edwin H. Sinsabaugh, The Bank of North
 America, John J. Corley.

and divers other persons, to the jurors aforesaid unknown, a certain false, forged and counterfeited *instrument and writing of the kind commonly called a Bank Check*

which said last-mentioned false, forged,

and counterfeited

Bank check

is as follows, that is to say:

知

New York July 29th 1880

Bank of North America

Pay to the order of Thomas Otto or bearer
Eighty five ————— Dollars

Eighty five

Shuman

$$\frac{25}{100}$$

E. H. Sinsbaugh

the said

Julius A. La Sala

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

Bank Check

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

DATE:

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Day of Trial
Counsel, *Wm. H. Phillips*
Filed *18* day of *Oct* 1870
Pleads *not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Wm. L. Leach
Obtaining Money, &c. by False Pretences

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.
Put in
Oct 18
A True Bill.

Chas. H. Hanwell
Prepared in inst. of *Wm. L. Leach*
to *27* Dec. 1870
Part No Oct 25. 1870.
Discharged by the Court
with adjournance.

Filed by
Wm. L. Leach
Oct 18 1870

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

Wm L Leach 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.—

Wm L Leach

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

34 Years.

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York State

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

Peekskill

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Saloon Keeper

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

Answer.—

I am not guilty

W. L. Leach

Wm L Leach

July 1880

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Proctor & Proctor

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POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

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

S. Alaire Menden
of *No 60 Madison Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *28* day of *August* 188*8*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

86 *L. Leach* did unlawfully and feloniously utter the certain False Token or Check hereto attached and marked "A." for identification with intent to defraud deponent and whereby deponent was defrauded of the sum of Ten dollars—the property of deponent.

That on the said date ~~said~~ *Leach* asked deponent to cash said Check stating that said Check was good and would be paid on presentation at The Westchester County National Bank of Peekskill New York—deponent believing said statement to be true gave said defendant the said sum of Ten dollars in exchange for said Check—

Deponent was informed by Cornelius A. Pugsley Cashier of said Bank that said *Leach* had not on the date above named and never had an account with the said Bank.

Subscribed before me this *28* day of *October* 188*8*
J. H. [Signature]
Police Justice

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City and County of New York ss.
 Cornelius A. Pugsley of Peekskill New York being duly sworn says he is Cashier of the Westchester County Bank Peekskill New York - That on the 28th day of August 1880 Jb. L. Leach the within named defendant had not and never had an account with the said Bank

Subscribed before me this 7th day of October 1880
 J. H. Leach
 Justice of the Peace
 C. A. Pugsley

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Police Court - Second District

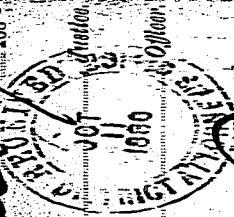
THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William M. Leach
 Cockadon Ave

vs. Jb. L. Leach

October 7 1880



Witnesses

Cornelius A. Pugsley
 Cashier of Westchester County Bank
 Peekskill New York

Committed in default of \$

Traded by

No.

Street

1500 Dan. Co St

cm

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New York Oct 21 1880

Received from Hiram L Leach
satisfaction in full for a check
on Westchester, New York Pittsfield
N.Y. drawn by said Leach to my
order & which said check was
dishonored for which said Leach
has been indicted. Mr Leach
wrote me before he was arrested
stating that he would pay me
the amount & if I had received
the letter in time I should not have
made the complaint against
him. I regard the matter a mistake
on the part of Leach and do not
think he intended to do wrong
in the matter.

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I Adeline Menden

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The People

Mr. J. J. Teach

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indictment for  
false pretenses -

Noted



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No. *5* *Peekskill N.Y.* *Aug 28* 188*0*  
*NEW YORK*  
*Hutchins & Hall Bank*  
Pay to the order of *William Hunter*  
*Five* Dollars  
*\$ 10.00*  
*H. L. Leach*  
*per 3 M*  
Thomas O'Shea & Co. 126 Nassau St. N.Y.C.

PAY TO THE ORDER OF *Charles A. ...*

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

To any Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in Writing and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned,  
one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by

*S. D. Maine Murden*

of No. *60 Madison Avenue* Street,

that on the *38* day of *August* 18*80*, at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

*H. S. Leach did unlawfully and feloniously utter a certain false token whereby defendant was defrauded of the sum of Ten Dollars the property of complainant*

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to answer the said complaint, and in the mean time to keep the peace, &c.

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you, the said Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him forthwith before me, or some other Police Justice, in and for said City, at the SECOND DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and seal, this *30th* day of *October* 18*80*

*[Signature]*

Police Justice.



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POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

S. Allane Murkin

vs.

H. R. Reach

WARRANT.

Dated Dec 7 1890

Smith

Magistrate.

Kelly

Court Officer.

Defendant

taken and brought before Justice

as within commanded

Disposition.

REMARKS.

Time of arrest,

Native of

Age

Sex,

Complexion,

Color,

Profession,

Married,

Single,

Read,

Write

Paula Hill

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CITY AND COUNTY  
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 *Hiram L. Leach*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid  
on the *twenty eight* day of *August* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, on the day and year last aforesaid, with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud one *S. Allaire Murden*  
did then and there feloniously, unlawfully, knowingly, and designedly, falsely pretend and represent to *S. Allaire Murden*  
that, a certain instrument and writing, to wit, an order for the payment of money, of the kind known as a *Bank Check*, which the said  
*Hiram L. Leach* then and there presented  
and delivered to the said *S. Allaire Murden* and which  
said *Bank Check* is in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

No

*Peekskill N.Y Aug 28 1880*

*Westchester Co Natl Bank*

*Pay to the order of S. Allaire Murden*  
*ten* *Dollars*

*\$10<sup>00</sup>*

*H. L. Leach*

was a good and valid order for the payment of *ten dollars*

*ten dollars* in money, and of the value of

*ten dollars* ; and that a sum of

said *Hiram L. Leach* in money belonging to the

of the *Westchester County National Bank*, and that said sum of

money was then payable and could be paid by the said *Westchester County National Bank*

on the credit and account of the said

*Hiram L. Leach* whenever an order in writing,

signed by the said *Hiram L. Leach* authorizing

the said *Westchester County National Bank* to

make such payment should be presented at the place of business of the said

*Westchester County National Bank* and that a certain

*Bank check*, in the proper handwriting of the

said *Hiram L. Leach* and which said

*Bank Check* was addressed to the said

at the place of business

of the said *Westchester County National Bank*

and which said *Bank Check*

at *Peekskill State of New York*

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Purported to be an order upon the said West Chester County National Bank  
to pay to the said Nirvan L. Leach and to any  
endorsee of the said Nirvan L. Leach the sum  
of ten dollars in money,  
was a valuable security, to wit, an order for the payment of ten dollars  
in money, and of the value of

ten dollars  
And the said S. Allaire Murren  
then and there believing the said false pretences and representations  
so made as aforesaid by the said Nirvan L. Leach  
and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of false pretences and representa-  
tions so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said  
Nirvan L. Leach a certain sum of  
money to wit, the sum of ten dollars  
in money and of the value of ten  
dollars

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects  
of the said S. Allaire Murren  
and the said Nirvan L. Leach did then  
and there designedly receive and obtain the said sum of money to wit the  
sum of ten dollars in money and of the value  
of the said S. Allaire Murren  
of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects  
of the said S. Allaire Murren by means  
of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, and with intent feloniously to cheat  
and defraud the said S. Allaire Murren  
of the same.

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said Bank Check  
which the said Nirvan L. Leach then and there  
presented and delivered to the said S. Allaire Murren  
was not a good and valid order for the payment of ten dollars  
in money, nor was the same a good and valid order  
for the payment of any sum of money whatever.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, there was not then and there the sum of  
ten dollars in money belonging to the  
said Nirvan L. Leach in the possession  
of the said West Chester County National Bank  
nor was there then and there any sum of money whatsoever belonging to the said  
Nirvan L. Leach in the possession  
of said West Chester County National Bank



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And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the said sum of money was not then payable and could not be paid by said *West Chester County National Bank* on the credit and account of the said *Hiram L. Leach* whenever an order in writing signed by the said *Hiram L. Leach* authorizing such payment to be made should be presented at the place of business of the said *West Chester County National Bank*, nor would the said *West Chester County National Bank* pay any sum of money whatsoever upon such order so signed by the said *Hiram L. Leach* as aforesaid.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *Bank Check* in the proper handwriting of the said *Hiram L. Leach* was not an order to pay to the said *Hiram L. Leach* or any endorsee of the said *Hiram L. Leach* the sum of *ten dollars* in money, nor was the same a valuable security, of the value of *ten dollars* in money, nor was it of any value whatever;

And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the pretences and representations so made as aforesaid, by the said *Hiram L. Leach* to the said *S. Allaire Murser* was and were in all respects utterly false and untrue, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid.

And Whereas, in fact and in truth the said *Hiram L. Leach* well knew the said pretences and representations so by him made as aforesaid to the said *S. Allaire Murser* to be utterly false and untrue at the time of making the same.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say, that the said *Hiram L. Leach* by means of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, feloniously, unlawfully, falsely, knowingly and designedly, did receive and obtain from the said *S. Allaire Murser* a certain sum of money, to wit, the sum of *ten dollars*

in money, and of the value of *ten dollars*

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property, and effects of the said *S. Allaire Murser* with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud *him* of the same, 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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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lee, William

**DATE:**

10/22/80



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**DESCRIPTION:**

Monroe, George

**DATE:**

10/22/80



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Counsel, *Wm*  
Filed *2* day of *Oct.*  
Pleads *In Guilty.*  
1876.

THE PEOPLE

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William Lee I

George Morne I

INDICEMENT.

Assault with Intent to steal  
as a pickpocket.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
*District Attorney.*

## A True Bill.

Chas H. Kamm  
Foreman.

Oct 22 1892.

*Speltz.*

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The People  
 vs.  
 William Lee  
 and  
 George Munroe

Court of General Sessions. Before Recorder  
 Smythe. Friday October 22. 1880.  
 Indictment for assault with intent to steal.  
 John Flanigan sworn and examined, testified  
 I am an officer of the ninth precinct. I know  
 the prisoners, I saw them on the evening of the 11<sup>th</sup>  
 of October on the corner of Twenty third St. and  
 Broadway. Officer Dilks was with me at the time.  
 We were passing up Broadway on the corner  
 of Twenty third St. and Broadway; there was quite  
 a crowd there; we were detained by the procession  
 passing through Twenty third St. and I saw those  
 two prisoners; one of them standing in front of  
 a man and the other standing on his left  
 side trying to pick his pocket. Munroe stood  
 in front of him and Lee stood by his side.  
 I saw Lee have his hands on the man's  
 clothing. I watched his hand and I saw he  
 had nothing as they let the man go by. They stood  
 there a moment and went back on Broadway  
 probably ten or twelve feet. There was another  
 man coming up Broadway that had a girl with  
 him and they placed themselves in the same  
 position by that man. Munroe in front of  
 him and Lee by his side. Lee inserted his  
 hands on his clothing again or in his  
 pockets and I watched them again; he had  
 his hands under his coat, which was a

dress coat. I saw on that occasion that they had not abstracted anything from his pockets, the man walked up towards the curb on 23<sup>d</sup> St. and there they let him go by and they went back again on Broadway about the same distance some 12 or 15 feet when there was a third man come along and they operated in the same manner. Munroe pointed to a man that was coming up Broadway and immediately got in front of him and Lee placed himself on the left side and there he got his hands under his coat in the same way and suddenly he stopped. I held Lee on that occasion and Dilks got hold of Munroe. Looked in his hands and saw he had nothing and I arrested him. I arrested Lee and Officer Dilks arrested Munroe. Neither of us were in uniform. The prisoners asked what they were arrested for and I told them for attempting to pick pockets. They said they were not doing anything of the kind. We took them over across Broadway into Fifth Avenue and down Fifth Avenue to the Station House. Cross Examined. This was on the night of the 11<sup>th</sup> of Oct. There was a great crowd in the street at 23<sup>d</sup> St. and Broadway on the south east corner. The procession was going East I think. I just arrived on the corner. My impression is they were going East. I did not notice particularly. How long

did this occupy? The whole thing did not occupy more than five or seven minutes. My attention was attracted to these men at that time. I did not pay any attention to the procession. There was a crowd on the sidewalk; some were moving and some were standing still. These prisoners were on the centre of the sidewalk; that is where they operated where they would stand. I did not know any of the men these prisoners stood by; the first man was standing still near the edge of the curb. I could not tell exactly how the first man was dressed; he had dark clothing on. I think the first man did not have an overcoat, but I cannot tell. I did not see Munroe put his hand on anybody but he stood in front of the <sup>first</sup> man. I saw Lee touch the first man with his hand, I could not say which hand; he stood up against his side. I saw his hands on the man. I stood nearly on the side of Lee, I was looking right at him. I stood close along by the man. I was watching the man's position; he had his hand under the man's coat. I stood alongside of the prisoner all the time. I am speaking now about the first man. I could not say whether his coat was buttoned or not, I could see the skirt of his coat, the lower portion of it was not buttoned. Munroe stood in front of the man and Lee

stood right alongside of him and I watched Lee's hands when he took them away from the man to see if he had anything in them. Lee's hand was under the man's coat. Munroe stood up pressing against the man and Lee stood by his side; the three of them were in a bunch together. At times the crowd was quite dense; then they would pass on and there would be quite a space for a moment or two. There was times there when the crowd was quite dense; they would carry a person right along almost. Broadway and Fifth Avenue below Twenty third St. was full, I did not go over on the other side of the square. There was a great many people crowding and pushing. It was nearly over the same ground from where they left the first man until they picked up the second man, not more than ten or twelve feet. They met him south of where they had left the first man. They went down Broadway the width of the sidewalk from the curb to the building. The second man had dark clothing and a coat, and as my recollection serves me the cut of the coat was the same as I have got on myself - a walking coat. I did not see Munroe put his hand on the man; he stood immediately in front of the man and Lee stood on his left side. Munroe pressed his back against the



man. I was watching them right close within three feet of them. I was right behind the three of them, I could cover them with my eye. I think the second man upon whom this attempt was made was ~~in~~<sup>in</sup> the middle of the sidewalk and going in the direction of Twenty Third St; he was walking with a small girl or a young lady, he was going up towards Twenty fourth St. and he was in about the centre of the sidewalk. I was close behind them as close as I could get, within two or three feet of them. The prisoner Munroe was faced in the same direction as the man; Munroe's back was fronting the man's face; the second one was at his left side and walking in the same direction. There was quite a crowd. I saw the second man about fifteen feet from the curb on Twenty Third St; he was moving in that direction slowly; he had a lady with him, I think she had hold of his left arm. They remained together all the time. Munroe got on the left side of the man and he (Munroe) got between the man and the girl. When I first saw this man and girl they were in the middle of the sidewalk not more than that from the curb on Twenty Third St. in Broadway on the east side. I think the sidewalk is about 15 or 20 feet wide there.

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They were about on the commencement of the Twenty Third St. sidewalk on the line of the building, as near as I can recollect that was about the position they were in; they had evidently come from Broadway; they were facing in that direction the man was on the right side of the girl; she had a hold of his left arm with her right arm, the crowd was passing and pushing along very rapidly and a person would not notice a crush of that kind. How long did that man stay on the sidewalk before Lee pushed her away? About a minute or two. The lady did not go away at all from the man; he had shoved in and got alongside of the man. The girl had hold of his arm; she may have dropped it for a moment, not more. George H. Dilks sworn and examined. I am an officer of police attached to the 9<sup>th</sup> precinct, on the 11<sup>th</sup> of October in the evening I was with Officer Hanigan in the vicinity of 23<sup>rd</sup> St. and Broadway; we were not in uniform; we saw the prisoners. We were walking up Broadway and we got very near the corner; he called my attention to the two prisoners. Munroe was standing in front of a man and the other one was alongside of him and they immediately separated and left the man. The time I saw them I walked a few steps down Broadway, may be five or six feet

from where they were, and then the ~~other~~ man came walking up Broadway and had a little girl by the hand, and he walked to the corner. As he passed the two men they both started after him. Munroe walked in front of him and the crowd was very dense on the corner, and before Lee could get up to him Munroe turned in front of the man, stopped him and held him there. He did not exactly take hold of him, but he got in front of him, the man could not move any further than what he was on account of Munroe standing in front of him holding him there. They stood on the corner there for a moment and the man moved around the corner in Twenty Third St. Munroe was still in front of the man, I went up behind him and looked over his shoulder. I could see Lee's hand disappear under his overcoat, he had on a black overcoat, he had a mustache and a goatee. I remember his face distinctly, he had a little girl by the hand. They left this man and walked back again down Broadway. Mr. Flanigan and I followed them. They stood a moment, there was another man coming up Broadway, they started after this man. Munroe started ahead of him and Lee called Munroe's attention that was the man, pointing his finger at him. Then Munroe stopped in front of this man and Lee

went up to the man I was carried away a step or two, I don't know what they did to that man. In a few moments Hanigan grabbed Lee and told me to get the other man, which I did. Cross examined I saw them by the first man but I did not see them touch him. I saw the first man between the two, but I did not see them touch him. I saw Munroe stop the third man as he did the others, I saw Lee call Munroe's attention to the third man, I saw him stop the second man. I saw him stop in front of the third man. This was within a foot of the corner of 23<sup>d</sup> St. on the south east corner; the prisoners were on Broadway near the middle of the sidewalk, I was as close to them as I could get, I was within a foot or a foot and a half of them; they came down Broadway five or ten feet. Every time the prisoners would move out from where they were standing, we would move with them. The crowd next the curb was quite thick. Mary Weaver, sworn and examined for the defence testified that the prisoner Lee was her brother, that she was with him on the night of the procession at the corner of 23<sup>d</sup> St. and Broadway. I had my sister's three children and I lost my brother in the crowd. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty. Lee was sent to the penitentiary for one year and fined \$250. Munroe was sent to the penitentiary for one year.

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testimony in the case  
 of Lee and George  
 Minner

filed Oct. 1960

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FORM 10.

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

of No. *9* *Recruit Bldg* Street being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the *11* day of *October* 18*98* at the City of  
New York, in the County of New York,

*on the South East Corner of Broadway*  
*+ 23<sup>rd</sup> Street in said City; depo-*  
*-nent saw*

*William Lee & George Mours*  
*now present. severally lay their*  
*hands upon the clothing upon*  
*the person of a man. with intent*  
*to steal as pick pockets. and*  
*charges each of said defendants*  
*with an Assault with intent*  
*to steal.*

*John Flanagan*

Sworn before me, this

10<sup>th</sup> day of  
October 1898  
Police Justice.



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FORM 10.

Police Court—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Hargan  
9th Precinct

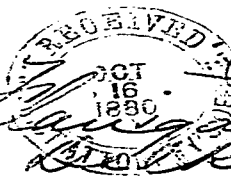
vs.

William Lee  
George Munroe

AFFIDAVIT

Arrested with  
intent to steal

Dated, 12 October 1880



(H. Justice.

Office

Witness,

George W. Dick  
9th Precinct.

Transferred to  
General Session

500 to day



0498

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

*William Lee and George Monroe*  
*each*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,  
on the *eleventh* day of *October* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *eighty* at the Ward City and County afore-  
said, with force and arms, in and upon one *John Doe whose real name is to these*  
*jurors unknown but who is here designated as John Doe* did make an assault, and that the said

*William Lee and George Monroe*  
the hands off *him* the said *William Lee and George Monroe*  
, unlawfully did lay

upon the person of the said *John Doe whose real name is to these jurors*  
*unknown but who is here designated as John Doe*, and upon the clothing

which was then and there upon the person of the said *John Doe whose real name*  
*is to these jurors unknown but who is here designated as John Doe*  
with intent then and there certain goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*John Doe whose real name is to these jurors unknown, but who*  
*is here designated as John Doe*  
on the person of the said, *John Doe whose real name is to these jurors unknown but who is*  
*here designated as John Doe* then and there being found, from the person of the said  
*John Doe whose real name is to these jurors unknown, but who is here*  
*designated as John Doe* then and there  
feloniously 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

**276**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Levy, Abraham**

**DATE:**

**10/14/80**



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Counsel,

Filed *12* day of *Oct.* 18*86*

Pleads *for Equity* *or*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Abraham Levy*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*John H. Harrell*

Foreman.

*Can't on*

*Another indictment*

*Oct 18*

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FORM 89½

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

SS.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

*Montferrand Berrou*  
 of No. *224 Mosier* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
 and says, that on the *5* 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,

the following property, to wit:

*Good and lawful money*  
*of the issue of the United States Treas-*  
*ury Department viz - Gold and Silver*  
*Coins together of the value of Eighteen*  
*25/100 - Two Handkerchiefs - and One*  
*pair Drawers and One Bat in all*

of the value of *Twenty Eight 25/100* 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

*Alphonse Levi*  
*(now here) for the reason that*  
*deponent saw said defendant*  
*take said property from the trunk*  
*in the room occupied by deponent*  
*at said premises - and that de-*  
*ponent was informed by Madeline*  
*Blouzet that she found all portion of*  
*said property to wit; the said mon-*  
*ey in the possession of said de-*  
*pendant*

*Montferrand Berrou*

Sworn to before me, this

*October**1880*

day

Police Justice.



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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. ) ss.

*Alphonse Levi* 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.—

*Alphonse Levi*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

*Thirty years*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

*France*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

*Brooklyn Street*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

*Cook*

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

Answer.—

*complainant lent me  
Ten dollars. I was  
a short time  
Alphonse Levi*

Taken before me, this

day of October 1886

Police Justice.

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Affidavit—Larceny.

Monterrand Bernard  
224<sup>th</sup> Market  
Alphons Levi

DATED October 6 1880

Smith MAGISTRATE.

Moore OFFICER.

WITNESS:

Madeline Blouck  
224 Market Street



1000 TO ANS.

BAILED BY CM

No.        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

*Abraham Levy*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,  
day of *October* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *Eighty* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force  
and arms, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one  
thousand dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value  
of five hundred dollars each : twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars,  
and of the value of one hundred dollars each : thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars,  
and of the value of fifty dollars each : fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the  
value of twenty dollars each : sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value  
of ten dollars each : eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and  
of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars  
each : ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each :  
one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind  
known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each :  
one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of  
the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar  
each : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due  
and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind  
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars : two promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value  
of twenty dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), be-  
ing then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each : ten promissory notes for the payment of money  
(and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each : ten  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatis-  
fied, of the value of three dollars each : fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as  
bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each : thirty promissory notes for  
the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value  
of one dollar each : bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the  
jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as  
double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each : three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the  
value of ten dollars each : six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each :  
fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each : ten gold  
coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each : thirty gold coins (of the  
kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each : gold coin of the denomination to the jurors  
unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver  
coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each : sixty silver coins (of the kind usually  
known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each : one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as  
quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each : three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes),  
of the value of ten cents each : six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five  
cents each : one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each : silver  
coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value  
of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each : five hundred coins  
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of Amer-  
ica, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomi-  
nation of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each : two hundred due bills of the United States  
of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the  
denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each : five hundred due bills  
of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as frac-  
tional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each.

*Two Handkerchiefs of the value of Fifty cents each*  
*Two pair of drawers of the value of one dollar each*  
*one coat of the value of seven dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Monteferand Bernard*  
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 there being found,

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CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon  
their Oath, do further present

That the said Abraham Levy

in the County of New York, aforesaid on the *Fifth* 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, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each: eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. 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*Two pair of drawers of the value of one dollar each*  
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by a certain person or

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

stolen of the said *Montfeirand Berard*

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

(the said

*Abraham Levy*

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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Levy, Althouse

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ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY SEVEN

The People vs. Alphonse Levy  
 Court of General Sessions. Before Recorder Smythe. October 18. 1880. Indictment for grand larceny and receiving stolen goods.  
 Bernard Montferrand, sworn and examined.  
 I live at 224 Mosier street, a boarding house kept by Madame Clouzat. I lived there on the 5th of October. I had a trunk in my room in which I had \$18.25 - a ten dollar, a five dollar, a three dollar gold piece and 25 cents in silver. I had also shirts, drawers &c in the trunk, neckties and papers. I was only four days in the city, I came from Havana; the prisoner was already in the house when I took rooms there; the prisoner came into my room twice; the first time he came in he took a package which contained two pairs of drawers, two handkerchiefs, and a coat. I paid ten dollars for all of them; the second time he came he threatened me and asked me to give him some money. I was lying on the bed; he said, "Let us see about the money; beware if you say anything, the trunk was not locked but the key was in it; the prisoner opened the trunk and searched through everything and put the things on the floor. I had the money between two shirts; he took the money; then he left and went down stairs. In the mean time Mr. Clouzat came up with a candle in her hand burning and I told her that the prisoner stole my money.



It was about 8 o'clock in the evening. I was in bed on both occasions when the prisoner came into the room. I did not ask for help because I was afraid that the prisoner would beat me. The prisoner lit a piece of paper with a match when he came into the room; the prisoner spoke French to me.

Cross Examined. He had some drinks this day. I saw the prisoner go to my trunk. I was not drunk; it was beer that I drank; the landlady was just coming towards my room and the prisoner commenced to descend the stairs. I told her that the prisoner stole everything; the Madame got hold of the prisoner and she took the money that he had in his hands; he went down stairs; I and the prisoner were out walking that same day and we had something to drink. He said he would find some occupation for me, for I was not acquainted here. Madeline flouzet sworn and examined. I live 224 Wooster St; the prisoner only worked in my house, but the complainant lived there. The prisoner worked as a "runner" for rice and went to Castle Garden. I remember the evening of the 5th of Oct; the complainant and the prisoner came home about 7 1/2 or 8 o'clock and they took their supper and afterwards the complainant went up stairs to his room.

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The prisoner and the complainant went into the dining room together and the Frenchman went up to his room. Levy asked me if the Frenchman was up stairs? I told him I did not know. Then he went up into the room. I thought I had a suspicion that something may happen. Then I lighted the candle and went up to the room of the Frenchman. When I came to the room I saw everything out of the trunk lying on the floor. Then I said to Levy, "what are you doing in this room?" I told him it was not his business to go into the rooms. I got hold of his arm and put him out of the room. Then the Frenchman said, "I am robbed, he took everything" then I told the prisoner he could not leave the room until he gave up the money. I took off his coat. He had the money in the right hand pocket; he had some big pennies in his hand and he said, "That is all I have." I said I will search again. He took the money in his right hand and was about to lay it on the bed and I got hold of his hand, opened it, and took the money out; there was a ten dollar, a five dollar <sup>piece</sup> and three dollars in gold, 25 cents and some pennies. Levy came down stairs with me and asked me for five dollars. I said if he did not leave immediately I would have him arrested because I was alone and could not go out to call.



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somebody. The next morning he was arrested and the Frenchman told me that he stole also a package; then I went and had him arrested. He was found by the policeman in a cellar of a lager beer saloon in Washington Place. Thomas A. Moore sworn I am an officer of the 15<sup>th</sup> precinct and arrested the prisoner on the 6<sup>th</sup> of Oct at 69 South Washington square; the last witness told me one of her boarders had been robbed. I went into the house and searched the basement, then went into the yard and found the prisoner concealed in the water closet. He ran away and I chased him and found him on the top of a vault in the rear; he had drawn a board over to conceal himself. He said nothing about the money having been loaned to him. Alphonse Levy sworn in his own behalf said that he brought the complainant's trunk from an Italian hotel to Madame Fleurat's place, that he promised to help him to get work, that he went with him to the Central Park and they drank one glass of beer and the complainant loaned him five dollars, that while in his room he requested him (the prisoner) to look for money in the trunk. Madame Fleurat took the \$5 which was found on the bed; she only found 5 cents with me. I said to her, "you owe me five dollars; she said, you had better go. I was a little drunk."

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I went away and the next day he had me arrested.

The jury rendered a verdict of grand larceny. He was sent to the State prison for three years and six months.

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Testimony in the case  
of ~~the~~  
Alphonse Levy  
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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 *Alphonse Levy*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York,  
day of *October* in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Fifty Eight* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force  
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OF NEW YORK

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, ~~do~~ *do* further present

That *Alphouse Levy*

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Day of Trial  
Counsel,  
Filed 29 day of Oct 1880  
Plends *Chas. L. Mitchell (Chas.)*

Obtaining Money, &c. by False Pretences  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Chas. L. Mitchell*  
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BENJ. K. PHELPS  
District Attorney.  
Part Nov Nov 8. 1880  
Dread & convicted  
A True Bill.

*Chas. L. Mitchell*  
Foreman.

*Chas. L. Mitchell*  
Jury  
Nov 12



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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Jeremiah Lewis* 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.—

*Jeremiah Lewis*

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

*30 years*

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

*N. Y.*

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

*50 W. 9<sup>th</sup> St.*

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

*Cannerman*

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

ANSWER.—

*I am not-guilty!*

*Jeremiah Lewis*

*Subscribed before me this*

*21<sup>st</sup>*

*day of*

*Oct*

*1880*

*Police Justice*

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## POLICE COURT SECOND DISTRICT.

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

of 188 6 16 Avenue John A Oxley Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October 1880.  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Serry Lewis (now here) did by means  
of a false printed and written token  
check and defraud deponent out  
of ten dollars. under the following  
circumstances, said deponent came  
to deponent and asked deponent to  
cash the check (hereby attached) being  
a check for twenty five dollars on  
the 6<sup>th</sup> National Bank. deponent  
told said deponent he would  
give him ten dollars and if  
deponent found said check was  
good deponent would give said  
deponent the balance thereof  
on the following day. deponent  
then gave said deponent said  
ten dollars, and thereafter  
deponent ascertained that said  
check was false and fraudulent  
that no such person as Alexander  
J. Duncan the maker of said check  
had any account in said bank  
all of which said deponent  
threw at the time of uttering  
said check.

Signed to be sworn by John A. Oxley  
this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October 1880.  
James H. Hulse  
Chief Justice

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City of New York

County of New York ss

Henry D. Northrup being sworn  
says that he is the paying teller  
of the 6<sup>th</sup> National Bank of the  
City of New York. That deponent  
has made an examination of the  
books of said Bank that there  
is no such person as Alexander  
D. Duncan keeping an account at  
said Bank

Sworn to before me  
October 1889  
Henry D. Northrup  
Police Justice

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Police Court - Second District

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John D. O'Leary  
194 673 am

Jeremiah Lewis

Oct 22

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Justice  
Clare

Witnesses,

15th Prec

9th Prec

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Committed in default of \$1000 - surety

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Books  
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304 Chestnut St.

Philad<sup>a</sup> Nov 10. 1880.

Hon. Recorder Smythe  
New York City.  
Dear Sir:

May I be permitted to  
address you respecting J. Lewis who  
was convicted before your honor's court  
on the 8th inst. for obtaining money  
upon a check that was worthless. I  
notice in the New York Times that upon  
the plea of his counsel you have deferred  
sentence until Friday next.

With exceedingly delicate  
health & a consumptive diathesis this  
young man had sufficient will to  
struggle through the world for many  
years conducting himself respectably  
and without cause for blame. Of late  
<sup>embarrassed efforts in his work,</sup>  
lack of means & almost complete desti-  
tution have led him to the commission

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of that which deserves punishment. But, Sir, be merciful. He has not the constitution to live through a sentence of years, & I feel confident that the penitence which he now deeply feels for his crime & the terrible disgrace of being tried before the world have had so great an effect upon his exceedingly sensitive spirit that he will never again commit a wrong upon society.

There are many good traits of character that could be shown in this young man, but I will allude at present to but one. I well remember with what devotion & care he watched over & nursed, with the tenderness & skill of a woman, his now sanctified mother, who was for several years a suffering but patient invalid, requiring the closest attention.

His tenderness of heart has I fear been in some degree the cause of his



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wrongful action. A desire to help others  
has most likely led him gradually  
astray without his <sup>realizing</sup> ~~conceiving~~ the enormity  
of the act; <sup>fatal too late.</sup> He is young, not over 33  
and if you should be pleased to limit  
the punishment to the minimum  
period named in the law, it will  
not only enable him the sooner to  
begin life anew in an honest career  
but also save him from an early grave.  
The confinement of a cell, & the mental agony  
attending a prison life, would soon  
destroy without hope of even a brief re-  
covery his delicate constitution.

I address you Honor with  
the greatest respect, & trust that I  
am not infringing any rule by  
pleading for Lewis before sentence  
has been given.

(Yours respectfully  
John G. Ford)

The misconduct of Lewis is not from a misled

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disposition. He was always an amiable  
boy & man & tenderly raised and  
religiously educated by a good mother  
but the failure of his father in business  
when Louis was a young lad prevented his  
receiving those advantages of education  
that would have led him, from his ambitious  
& sanguine spirit to a higher plane in life  
and a sturdier attention to religion, which  
would have taught him to resist the  
temptations that ever beset the unwary  
and unprotected.



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ALEXANDER T. DUNCAN

No. 28

New York, Oct 7 1880

The **Sixth National Bank,**

Pay to

Cash

or order,

Twenty five

Dollars

\$ 25

A. T. Duncan

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A. Hencas

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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

*Jeremiah Lewis*  
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid  
on the *Eighteenth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and *seventy-eight*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms, on the day and year last aforesaid, with intent feloni-  
ously to cheat and defraud one *John A. Oxley*  
did then and there feloniously, unlawfully, knowingly, and designedly, falsely pretend  
and represent to *Mexico John A. Oxley*  
that, a certain instrument and writing, to wit, an order for the payment of money, of  
the kind known as a *bank check*, which the said

and delivered to the said *John A. Oxley* then and there presented  
said *bank check* is in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

*No. 30. New York Oct 18. 1880.*  
*The Sixth National Bank*  
*Pay to Cash* *on order*  
*Twenty five* *Dollars.*  
*\$25* *A J Duncan*

was a good and valid order for the payment of *Twenty five Dollars*  
in money, and of the value of

*Twenty five Dollars*; and that a sum of  
*Twenty five Dollars* in money belonging to the

said *Alexander J Duncan* was then in the possession  
of *The Sixth National Bank*, and that said sum of

money was then payable and could be paid by the said *The Sixth National Bank*  
on the credit and account of the said

*Alexander J Duncan* whenever an order in writing,  
signed by the said *Alexander J Duncan* authorizing

the said *The Sixth National Bank* to

make such payment should be presented at the place of business of the said  
*The Sixth National Bank* and that a certain

*bank check*, in the proper handwriting of  
said *Alexander J Duncan* and which said

*bank check* was addressed to the said  
*The Sixth National Bank* at the place of business

of the said *The Sixth National Bank*  
at *New York* and which said *bank check*

purported to be an order upon the said *Sixth National Bank*  
 to pay to the said *Alexander Duncanson* and to any  
 endorsee of the said *Alexander Duncanson* the sum  
 of *Twenty five dollars* in money,  
 was a valuable security, to wit, an order for the payment of *Twenty five*  
*dollars* in money, and of the value of

*Twenty five dollars*  
 And the said *John A Oxley*  
 then and there believing the said false pretences and representations  
 so made as aforesaid by the said *Jeremiah Lewis*  
 and being deceived thereby, was induced, by reason of false pretences and representa-  
 tions so made as aforesaid, to deliver, and did then and there deliver to the said  
*Jeremiah Lewis* *ten dollar in money and*  
*of the same of ten dollars*

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects  
 of the said *John A Oxley*

and the said *Jeremiah Lewis* did then  
 and there designedly receive and obtain the said sum of money *from the sum*  
*of ten dollar in money and of the value of ten*  
 of the said *John A Oxley*

of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property and effects  
 of the said *John A Oxley* by means  
 of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, and with intent feloniously to cheat  
 and defraud the said *John A Oxley*  
 of the same.

Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *bank check*  
 which the said *Jeremiah Lewis* then and there  
 presented and delivered to the said *John A Oxley*  
 was not a good and valid order for the payment of *Twenty five dollars*  
 in money, nor was the same a good and valid order  
 for the payment of any sum of money whatever.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, there was not then and there the sum of  
*Twenty five dollars* in money belonging to the  
 said *Alexander Duncanson* in the possession  
 of the said *The Sixth National Bank*  
 nor was there then and there any sum of money whatsoever belonging to the said  
*Alexander Duncanson* in the possession  
 of said *The Sixth National Bank*

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And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the said sum of money was not then payable and could not be paid by said *The Sixth National Bank* on the credit and account of the said *Alexander I Duncan*

whenever an order in writing signed by the said *Alexander I Duncan* authorizing such payment to be made should be presented at the place of business of the said *The Sixth National Bank*, nor would the said *The Sixth National Bank* pay any sum of money whatsoever upon such order so signed by the said *Alexander I Duncan* as aforesaid.

And Whereas, in truth and in fact, the said *bank checks* in the proper handwriting of the said *Alexander I Duncan* was not an order to pay to the said *Alexander I Duncan* or any endorsee of the said *Alexander I Duncan* the sum of *Twenty five Dollars* in money, nor was the same a valuable security, of the value of *Twenty five Dollars* in money, nor was it of any value whatever;

And Whereas, in fact and in truth, the pretences and representations so made as aforesaid, by the said *Jeremiah Lewis* to the said *John A Oxley* was and were in all respects utterly false and untrue, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid.

And Whereas, in fact and in truth the said *Jeremiah Lewis* well knew the said pretences and representations so by him made as aforesaid to the said *John A Oxley* to be utterly false and untrue at the time of making the same.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say, that the said *Jeremiah Lewis* by means of the false pretences and representations aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, feloniously, unlawfully, falsely, knowingly and designedly, did receive and obtain from the said *John A Oxley* a certain sum of money, to wit, the sum of

*Ten Dollars*  
in money, and of the value of

*Ten Dollars*  
of the proper moneys, valuable things, goods, chattels, personal property, and effects of the said *John A Oxley* with intent feloniously to cheat and defraud *him* of the same, 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:**

Logan, Jane

**DATE:**

10/14/80



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Counsel,  
Filed *Oct. 1889*  
day of  
Pleads *Not Guilty.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Jane Logan*  
*(2 Cases)*

*Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

*Part for Oct 20. 1889*

*Pleads P.L.*  
A True Bill. *Per: Disput.*

*Chas H. Hamlin*

*Foreman.*



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FORM 89½

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

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

*James Skipton*  
of No. *321 6th Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the *6* day of *Oct* 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 ladies hat two dozen  
and one napkins and a quantity of  
fringe*

of the value of *Twenty three* Dollars,

the property of *Heck O'Neil Composing and  
comprising the fund of H O'Neil & Co  
and then in the care and custody 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 *Jane Logan*

*(Thru her)* for the following reasons: *He  
with that deponent is informed and  
verily believes by one Masterson that he  
found the above named articles in the  
possession of said Jane Logan and  
deponent identifies said property as being  
the property of H O'Neil & Company that  
deponent knows that the above named property  
was not sold to the said Jane Logan.*

*James Skipton*

Sworn to before me, this  
*Oct* 18*80*

*William H. Smith*  
Police Justice.

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Affidavit—Larceny.

JAMES SKIDMORE  
321 vs. 6, 6000  
James Logan

DATED Oct 6 18 80

Smith MAGISTRATE.

Smulberger OFFICER.

WITNESS: W. L. Gellum  
Oct 30 7 10 PM

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FORM 89½

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Alexander Calder  
 of No. 122 East 177<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
 and says, that on the 6 day of Oct 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,

the following property, to wit: one cloth dohman

of the value of Nineteen 50<sup>cts</sup> Dollars,

the property of Benjamin Altman and Company

the said firm being composed of Benjamin Altman and  
David Frankenberg and in the care and keeping  
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 Jane Cogan <sup>(now free)</sup> for the

following reasons (to wit): That deponent saw  
said Jane putting the above named ~~cloth~~ dohman  
in a satchel then in the hand of said Jane. That  
deponent then called one Masterson who is employed  
by the firm of Altman and Company as a detective  
and caused the arrest of said Jane and said  
Masterson took the dohman from her possession

Alexander Calder

Sworn to before me this  
6 day of Oct 1880  
Alfred W. M.  
 Police Justice.

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Form 894

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Alexander Cadden*  
*1922 E 1922*  
*Jane Cooper*

Affidavit—Larceny.

DATED *Oct 6* 18 *80*

*Smith* MAGISTRATE.

*Smith* OFFICER.

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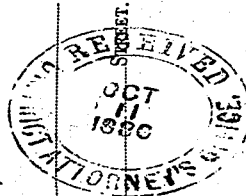
WITNESS:

*H. J. Farnham*  
*192 307. 6th Avenue*  
*Conn*

*W. J. Farnham* TO ANS.

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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

*Jane Logan*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*Sixth* 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 hat of the value of ten dollars  
twenty five rapknives of the value of  
twenty cents each  
eight yards of fringe of the value of  
one dollar each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Hugh Neil*

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

Jane Logan

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 hat of the value of ten dollars -  
Twenty five napkins of the value of  
twenty cents each  
eight yards of fringe of the value of  
one dollar each

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

Hugh O'Neil

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

Hugh O'Neil

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

James Logan

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 *14* day of *Oct*, 188*8*  
Pleads *Ans Gaulty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Jane Logan*  
*(Case)*

*Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*John W. Turner*  
Foreman.

*Put in*  
*Oct 20*

*Subscribed & sworn to before me*  
*Oct 20 1888*



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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

*Jane Logan*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*Sixth* 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 cloak (of the kind called a dolman)  
of the value of nineteen dollars and  
fifty cents*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Benjamin Altman*

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

*John Logan*

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 cloak (of the kind called a  
dolman) of the value of nineteen dollars  
and fifty cents*

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

*Benjamin Altman*

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

*Benjamin Altman*

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

*John Logan*

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:**

Lord, Lafayette

**DATE:**

10/27/80



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Counsel,  
Filed 27 day of Oct 1880  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Safayette Lord  
Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

*Henri G. P.*

A True Bill.

Chas W. Hannell  
Foreman.

1. Y. C. M. S. P.  
*F. C.*

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

*Charles A. Klemens*  
of No. *502 E. 11th* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says that on the *18th* day of *October* 188*0*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent. *from 4 premises N<sup>o</sup> 427 East*  
*12th Street*  
the following property viz: *Three coats, three pantaloons, and*  
*two vests, One silver watch and*

of the value of *One hundred and seventeen* Dollars  
the property of *deponent or bailee*

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 *Lafayette Lord*  
*(nowhere) for the reason that on the date*  
*of the above named loss stolen and carried*  
*away the aforementioned property, named it with*  
*a certain name broker, that he confessed the*  
*taking to this deponent and delivered into his*  
*possession a certain name tickets with which*  
*deponent retained the property which deponent*  
*identifies as the same taken stolen carried away*  
*from his possession.*  
*Charles A. Klemens*

Sworn to, before me this

day of

*October*188*0*

J. J. Sullivan, Notary Public.

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

*Lafayette Lord* 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.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*Defendant stands  
mute*

Taken before me, this

*24* day of

*Sept*  
1890

POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

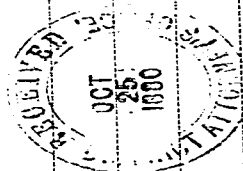
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POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles H. Haines  
vs.  
502 E 11<sup>th</sup> St.

Kefauver Lord



Dated Oct. 21 1890

Magistrate.

District Officer.

17<sup>th</sup> Clerk.

Witness

\$ 1000 to answer  
at 11<sup>th</sup> Sessions—  
Comm. H. H.

Received at Dist. Attys 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

*Lafayette Lord*

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

*Three coats of the value of twenty dollars  
each*

*Three pairs of pantaloons of the value of  
ten dollars each pair.*

*Two vests of the value of five dollars each*

*One watch of the value of seventeen dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

*Charles A. Klemens*

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

*Lafayette Lord*

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,

*Three coats of the value of twenty dollars each.*

*Three pairs of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars each pair*

*Two vests of the value of five dollars each*

*One watch of the value of seventeen dollars*

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

*Charles A. Klemens*

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

*Charles A. Klemens*

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

*Lafayette Lord*

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.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Lunday, Edward

**DATE:**

10/08/80



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*New Haven*

Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed *8* day of *Oct* 1880

Pleads *In Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*128*  
*138*

*Edward Sunday*

*BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
[Receiving Stolen Goods.]*

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney,

*Oct 19th Oct. 19. 1880*

*pleads. P.P.*

A TRUE BILL. *Per S. D. M.*

*John A. Hannell*

Foreman

*Oct. 21st.*

*David J. Judd*

*5-6-*

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## Police Office. Third District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }No. of 317 1/2 Bowery Street, being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises No. 317 1/2 Bowery  
Street, 17 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick Building  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Leases factory and dwelling  
for deponent and his family were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means forcibly breaking the lock of the  
door leading to the room of deponent's dwelling  
on the top floor of said premises  
on the Night of the 20 day of September 1880,  
and the following property, feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.

one Ladies Dress, of the value of forty five  
dollars a quantity of Childrens Clothing  
of the value of ten dollars  
two Ladies Wrappers, of the value  
of five dollars said property  
being in all of the value of Sixty  
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

Edward Sunday (now Lou)

for the reasons following, to-wit: That deponent caught said  
Edward with the aforesaid property  
in his possession and when caught  
he threw the aforesaid property away  
and escaped from deponent,

Sworn before me George Thunelmann  
this 30 day of September 1880

J. Hillbert  
Police Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward Sunday 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.—Edward Sunday

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—22 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—New York

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—Hunter Dr. Brooklyn

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—Laborer

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

Answer.—I am not guilty

Edward Sunday

How long in Brooklyn.

Aug, 21

When work

Taken before me this

30

day of September

1890

Police Justice

Received in Dist. Atty's Office, *Care*



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The People  
vs.

Edward Lunday

Court of General Sessions  
Before Recorder Smythe  
Oct 8 1880  
Direct Examination

Edward Lunday testified:

A second cousin of mine told me that an aunt of mine named Cunningham lived at 317 1/2 Bowery, but she had married the second time a man named Hannigan.

Cross Examined

I lived in Peoria, Illinois, Ill. I worked in a crockery store. I also worked at farming for my brother. I lived in Conover St. Brooklyn. I don't know what the number is, I think it is 178, 278 or 187. I think it is 187 if I am not mistaken. My cousin Hannah Golden lives in King St. Brooklyn.

I lived with John Schaffer in Brooklyn 187 I believe Conover St. I had some money I earned in Peoria in the crockery store. I brought about \$75 with me here, I lived on it since the 20th of August. I had 16 cents in my pocket when I was arrested. I had my board paid two weeks in advance.

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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

*Edward Lunday*

late of the ~~seventeenth~~ *twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the ~~twentieth~~ *twentieth* day of ~~September~~ *September* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~with force and arms, at the Ward,~~  
City and County aforesaid, the ~~dwelling house~~ *dwelling house* of

*George Husselman* there situate, feloniously and  
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers  
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and  
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with  
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

*George Husselman* then and there being, then and there  
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

*One skirt of the value of twenty dollar*

*One overskirt of the value of twenty dollar*

*One waist of the value of fifteen dollar*

*Two wrappers of the value of two dollar  
and fifty cents each*

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

*George Husselman*

so kept as aforesaid in the said ~~Dwelling house~~ *Dwelling house* then and there being, then and  
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York, and their dignity.

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

*Edward Sunday*

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 skirt of the value of twenty dollar  
One overskirt of the value of twenty dollar  
One waist of the value of fifteen dollar  
Two wrappers of the value of two dollar  
and fifty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*George Musselman*

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

*George Musselman*

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

*Edward Sunday*

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.**