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BRUSO AND SPENCER BOUND OVER FOR THEFT.

The Former's Story on the Stand—Books for the City Library—Willimantic for Better Roads—News in General.

Tobias Bruso and Carlo Spencer were arraigned in the police court yesterday morning charged with the theft of $16 from the house of Ferdinand Bruso last Sunday. Tobias pleaded guilty but Spencer, although admitting that he was with young Bruso Sunday afternoon, denied that he had anything to do with stealing the money. A plea of not guilty was entered and Tobias was put upon the stand. It was apparent at once that Bruso was determined to shield his companion. His story was that while in his father's house alone about noon Sunday he went to a bureau drawer to get a handkerchief and there discovered the money. Quickly picking out seven $2 bills and five $1 bills he left the house and went up street, where he soon met Spencer. Spencer, he said, was told of the find and told him to get it down at the house. Spencer suggested that they go to Perseverance, where his (Spencer's) brother was said to have money, and there they could get a car going to New Haven. He then started for the eastern end of the city to keep in hiding until time for their train to leave. Bruso said that during the afternoon he gave Spencer $10 of the money to get his supper with and when train time arrived he gave Spencer money and he bought two tickets for New Haven, for the money the keeping as much out of sight as possible. Bruso said that he expected to give Spencer more of the money. He told Spencer that the money was stolen. Spencer denied nearly all important statements made by Bruso and declared that he did not know that the money was stolen, although admitting that he had reason to suppose Bruso's father had a large amount of money in the house and that Tobias had no legitimate business with it. Spencer